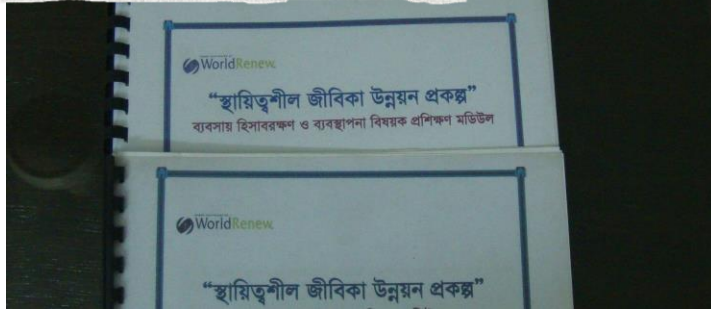


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GIFT CATALOG 2018-2019



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Thank you for your gift of **small business training**

Billions of people around the world survive on what food they can grow. If they can manage it, they grow a little extra to sell so that they can pay for some basics other than food: medicine, school fees, shoes, or building materials. These things aren't "extras"—they're necessities and part of an abundant life.

Small business training is an asset that can translate a person's hard work into success. Your gift of small business training from World Renew's gift catalog provides a hardworking person with the skills they need to make that happen: materials and training in management, bookkeeping, and marketing, as well as support and mentoring as trainees apply their learning to real life. By offering training in conjunction with agricultural learning and setting up village savings and loan associations, **hopeful business owners find not just training but also the social support they need to aim at their success.**

In Uganda, Joyce's need to earn income was urgent. Her husband left her, and she became the sole provider for their five children. In partnership with the Diocese of Northern Uganda, World Renew had started a "self-help" group in Joyce's community to help the people

there continue progressing from a system of handouts and relief in response to two decades of brutality under Joseph Kony and his army.

Joyce joined her community group eagerly and began by depositing the small amount of money she had into the savings program. This allowed her to take out a loan of 60,000 Ugandan shillings (about \$17). **The small business training she received in her group gave her the skills she needed to take the next step:** Joyce opened a micro-business selling onions, cooking oil, salt, and washing soap from her home.

Over time, her income has stabilized, and Joyce feels confident in her ability to provide consistently for her children. Talk about thriving! Eager to share the success and support she has experienced, Joyce encourages other women to start their own small businesses.

Joyce wanted to support her children, and a gift like yours gave her the skills, support, and confidence she needed to do that. Your gift to World Renew's gift catalog in 2018-2019 gives someone else like Joyce in Uganda or Bangladesh the opportunity to experience the dignity and thriving that come from earning enough.

"... I HAVE COME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE, AND HAVE IT TO THE FULL."

—John 10:10

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