





Restoring hope to Kids & families around the world since 1973.

Tom Eggum and Hope 4 Kids International

In 2023, Tom Eggum celebrated 50 years of devoting his life to making a difference for children and communities around the world that have been suffering from extreme poverty and disease through various life-saving projects. Hope 4 Kids International, a Christian, non-profit organization, reaches out to those in the greatest need by bringing necessary care to children with the mission of sharing God's hope through dignity, health, joy, and love.

Leading teams on exciting, life-changing shortterm missions to projects around the world, Hope 4 Kids International is committed to serving impoverished children who are hurting physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Teams travel with an open heart equipped with essential medical supplies and other provisions in an effort to carry the message of God's love and hope through these impacting outreaches.



Hope 4 Kids International sponsors over 3,000 orphans and vulnerable children from Uganda, Philippines, Guatemala, Nepal and Romania and gives sponsors at least one opportunity a year to travel to meet their sponsored child. For the last 20 years, their most prominent projects are in Uganda where they have been developing communities by drilling deep-water boreholes, building churches, schools, and medical clinics. Recently, they have developed the Hope 4 Kids Ministry & Education Campus a 26+ acre property in rural Tororo, that provides the highest quality primary, secondary, and vocational education to



many of the most impoverished children in the country. The campus hosts at secondary boarding school, a vocational boarding school, a sports complex, and a medical clinic scheduled to open in July 2024. It is also the East African headquarters for their NGO with a staff of over 40 people who serve on the front lines everyday overseeing their sponsored children, borehole drilling and water projects, international development projects, and spiritual programs.

Through their Water 4 Kids International division, Hope 4 Kids International has celebrated the opening of over 1050 boreholes, bringing fresh safe water to over three-million people. Tom leads teams to these projects to both directly impact the lives of children they reach out to as well as to change the lives of the team members by providing a transformational opportunity for each person to use their life to make a profound difference in this world.





Tom Eggum got started sitting in a college classroom reading about the struggles in the Soviet Union who suffered silently behind the Iron Curtain. He took matters into his own hands and began to smuggle suitcases full of bibles into the Soviet Union until he was caught, arrested, and blacklisted by the KGB. He had his visa revoked and was forbidden to enter the Soviet Union for five years. Instead of standing on the sidelines, he took six trips into Communist China and Vietnam with contraband medicine, antibiotics, clothes, and shoes. From these life-altering experiences, he founded Hope 4 Kids International in 1973.

Currently, Hope 4 Kids International has been in over 103 countries restoring hope and necessary care to every child they serve. For more information on how you can join Tom Eggum to become a difference maker, visit their website at www.h4ki.org for information about international mission trips, child sponsorship, drilling deep-water boreholes, village development or other philanthropic opportunities.



