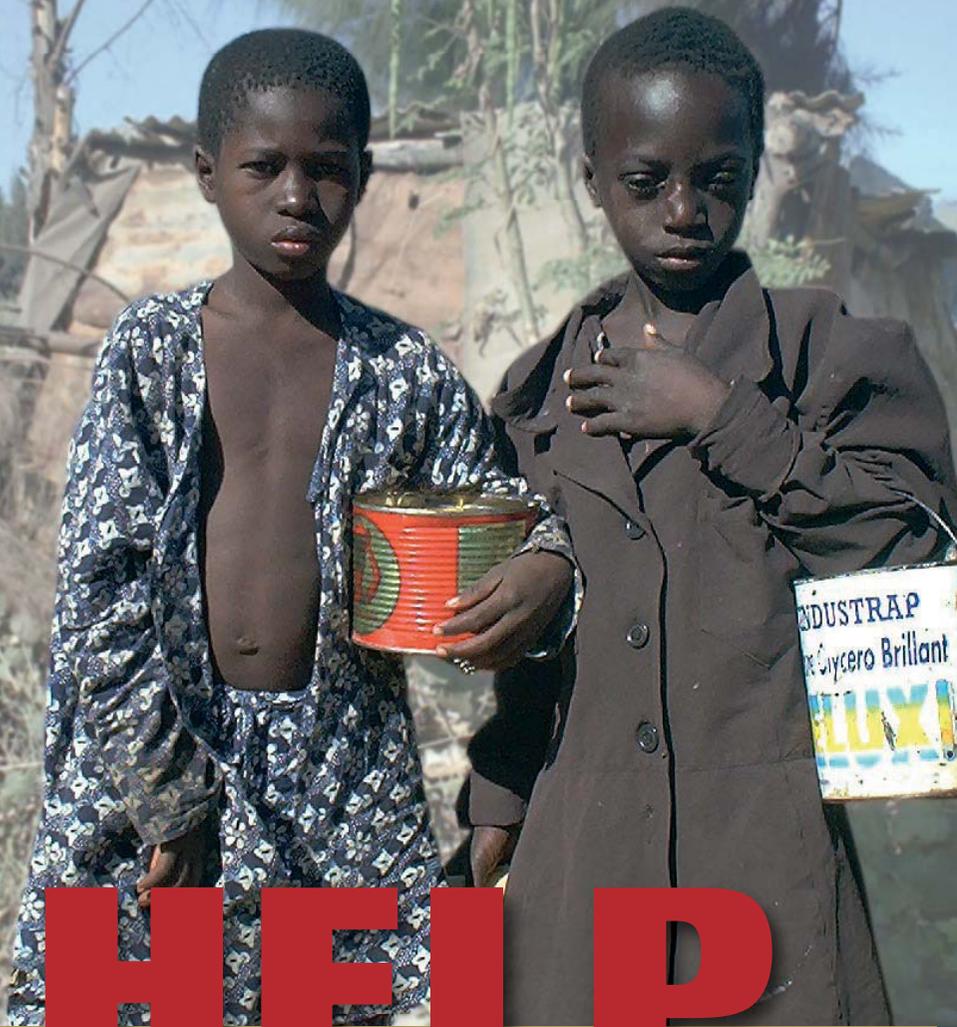


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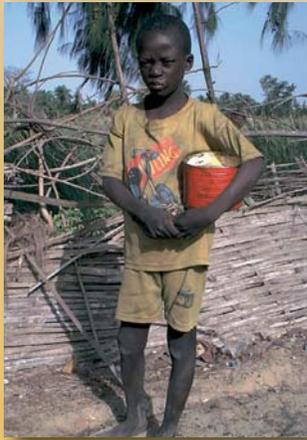
# SENEGAL



# HELP

for street children

Isaiah 58,7: "I want you to share your food with the hungry and to welcome



### Help in Senegal – why?

Senegal is considered to be an African role model country. However, hardly anybody knows about the thousands of street children who have to go begging in the streets.

### The destiny of street children

Illiteracy and a low income as a consequence force parents to send their kids out on the streets begging. Often, boys from 4 years on have to attend a Quran school. Mean people use this tradition to bring children from the villages into the cities where they spend their lives begging in the streets with no protection. **Violent abuse is a common consequence.** Many kids get sick, die at a young age or become criminals. They are traumatized and do not get any educational training.

**Without external intervention there is no chance to escape this inhuman system.**

### About us

**PERSPEKTIVE SENEGAL** was founded in 2002 by the Schott family. Its aim is to give street children in Senegal a new life perspective. During their six years in Senegal the family established the project and a team of 10 native staff.

In 2007 a Swiss lady, Beatrice Marceau-Ziswiller, took on the leadership of the project on the ground in Senegal and continues to develop it with the senegalese staff team.

### Accomplishments

In our residential training center we have room for 36 children who want to leave the streets. Older street kids are also welcome to complete school up to P6 with us. Besides a 4-year officially recognized apprenticeship for carpenters, we also offer workshops to train for shoemaker and mechanics and work on the computer. Gardening, farming with domestic animals and sports are our special add-ons. After graduation we support the young adults during their first three years of work.

**If possible, we organize the reconciliation between the street kids and their families. On an international level we inform about the issue of the street children and lay out possible solutions.**

### What we are striving for

We are continually striving to extend our range of effectiveness so that more kids get a chance to come off the streets and receive a solid education. So far, we already bought 1 hectare of land where we are building a center with residential educational training for 70 children.

### Our longterm aim:

Illiteracy and a lack of education generate poverty and begging children over and over again. Our idea is to break this chain by means of education. Partners who strongly support our network are e.g. the wives of the ambassadors who are deployed in Senegal.



poor wanderers into your homes. Give clothes to those who need them..."



## We give a 100% guarantee that your donations get there!

We are a small but efficient project. In order to make sure that all donations benefit the street kids we keep the administrative costs as low as possible.

At the moment the operating costs of the project amount to 3,000 € per month. This includes the school, the educational training (carpenter and shoemaker), lodging, food, etc. as well as the salaries and wages of the teachers and tutors.

We are grateful for all one-time gifts and regular donations that help us to achieve a longterm improvement of the situation of street children in Senegal.

**With your contribution more street kids will be given a new life perspective.**

We would love to send you our regular newsletter to keep you updated.

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