

As the year 2018 has passed, God enabled us to collect 156 shoeboxes which exceeded our goal. These shoeboxes went to the countries of Angola, Southern Africa, Cameroon, Central Africa, and Columbia, South America and to Hard to Reach Areas.

The following is the testimony of a young girl in one of the Hard to Reach Areas who received a shoebox:

Showing Love and Truth

A shoebox recipient writes, "I am a person who thought that there is no one who cares for me and loves me. I was wrong because there is One who loves me a lot and who sacrificed Himself and His whole life for me so I could walk His path, know His truth, and live the life which He provided. Lord, You gave me a gift in which I got all the things I had not expected such as The Holy Bible, games, soaps, crayons, and drawing books. I was needing but not expecting to get these things from anyone. Thank you a lot, Lord. Thank you so much!"

We will be collecting items for the shoeboxes differently from the previous years. There is one age group of children who get very few shoe boxes. The age group is the girls and boys from 10 to 14 years of age.

We will focus in the month of January on soap and washcloths, combs and brushes, deodorant, and toothbrushes.

Remember our goal for 2019 is 175 shoeboxes.