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TECHNOLOGY TODAY SKILLS FOR LIFE IN THE 21ST CENTURY

Dear supporter of Gitare Kenya Outreach:

Through generous donations from faithful contributors like you, our board has been able to build a school where children from Gitare can now access a high school level education. Nelson Mandela a former president of South Africa once said, "What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived; it is what difference we have made for the life of others that will determine the future." We believe that this school has changed for the better the lives of those who have graduated and will continue to do so for future generations.

Access to technology is an essential component of modern education, yet many schools in rural Kenya lack computers and related technology. This year we are reaching out to you to seek your support for this initiative, for purchase of computers and related technology, as well as student tuition assistance. Saint Josephine Bakhita school is situated in rural Kenya where there is no exposure and access to technology. By providing these tools, we can empower students, enhance their learning experience, develop essential skills, and prepare them for a successful future in the digital world. Use of technology is a major driver of world economies and Kenya is moving fast to embrace this new world order. This year's Newsletter enclosed with this letter has a list and cost of technology needs.

Students at St. Josephine Bakhita school come from very poor families. The average family of those who attend our school struggles to raise the required tuition of \$370.00 a year per student. Although this may seem quite affordable by American standards, it is largely an unreachable amount for most families of students who attend. With your financial support you will be partnering with us in "FIGHTING POVERTY, CLASS BY CLASS, DESK BY DESK."

We are a non-profit organization, a 501C(3). Visit us on our website: www.gitarekenyaoutreach.org where you can also make your donation electronically or please send your donation to:

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Thank you for your consideration of our request. "Asante Sana", Swahili for "Thank you very much"!

Sincerely,

Mary Biggee,

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