



## FORBES names an investment in World Vision water **A TOP 5 BIG BET IN PHILANTHROPY**

In 2016, *Forbes* magazine and The Bridgespan Group ranked Dana and Dave Dornsife's \$40 million grant to World Vision's water, sanitation, and hygiene programs in Africa as one of the **five most promising "big bets" in philanthropy for social change.**

The Dornsifes' decades-long relationship with World Vision, which has included dozens of trips to see our work around the world, was singled out for praise. **The strength of this partnership**—one of six criteria used to qualify the most promising "big bets"—got the highest score possible from the independent ranking panel, who also gave the gift excellent marks on **realism** of strategy and **clarity** of desired results. Other categories included **ambition**; built-in **learning and improvement**; and the **role of philanthropy** in "moving the needle."

World Vision set a clear and ambitious goal in 2015, pledging to reach 20 million people with clean water by 2020. Together with our partners and the communities we serve, **we achieved—and surpassed!—this goal, reaching 22.5 million people as of 2021.** We've **invested in learning** through an evaluation partnership with the Water Institute at the University of North Carolina. And major philanthropic gifts from friends like the Dornsifes have enabled World Vision to continue reaching **one new person with clean water every 10 seconds.**

As the leading nongovernmental provider of clean water in the developing world, we're a proven leader in solving the global water crisis. And our next goal is even bolder: **Reaching everyone, everywhere we work by 2030**—even in the toughest places, where instability and conflict can make humanitarian work seem impossible.

We believe every child deserves clean water. And we believe that, as Jesus said, all things are possible with God.

Join us in leaving a generational legacy: **Help end the global water crisis in our lifetime.**

Read the full *Forbes* article at [worldvisionphilanthropy.org/Forbes](https://worldvisionphilanthropy.org/Forbes)

### THE NEED

**EVERY DAY, MORE THAN 800 CHILDREN DIE FROM DIARRHEA** caused by contaminated water, poor sanitation, and unsafe hygiene practices. But clean water sets kids free from disease—and free to reach their full potential.

### 2021 RESULTS OF IMPACT INVESTING

Provided access to clean water for  
**3 MILLION PEOPLE**

Helped improve hygiene for  
**2.3 MILLION PEOPLE**

Provided handwashing facilities for  
**3.5 MILLION PEOPLE**

Trained **8,763 FAITH LEADERS** in promoting healthy water, sanitation, and hygiene behaviors in their communities

World Vision is a Christian humanitarian organization dedicated to working with children, families, and their communities worldwide to reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty and injustice. World Vision serves all people, regardless of religion, race, ethnicity, or gender.