

SPECIAL COVERAGE: SUMBAR EARTHQUAKE



From up left, clockwise:
1. World Harvest volunteer team
2. Family Kit package from World Harvest, for the earthquake victims
3. Unloading of logistic aid in Halim Perdanakusuma
4. One of World Harvest team, being interviewed by television station

Fourteen volunteers from World Harvest had arrived at Padang yesterday. Logistic aid has been delivered today at 6.45 and 6.55 AM (West Indonesia Time) from Halim Perdanakusuma airport. World Harvest cooperates with **Pigeon, Ultra Jaya, New Creation Church** and other donors in giving this aid. World Harvest also supplies Family Kit packages, containing bread, instant noodles, baby food, mosquito-repellent lotion, blanket, blankets, biscuits, mineral water, cooking oil and several other daily needs. While unloading these aids in Halim Perdanakusuma, one of the television stations in Indonesia has interviewed World Harvest team.

Right now, the earthquake victims desperately need clean water, generators and medical help. Those who do not get adequate access to sanitation are infected by various diseases, such as skin disease and diarrhea. Just yesterday (October 7, 2009) World Harvest's medical team helped 160 patients who suffered from various illnesses, from skin disease, respiration disease, to various traumas.

World Harvest still strives to collect **one million US dollars** to provide the needs of earthquake victims and give them adequate medical and logistic help. You can also take part in this recovery program.

TESTIMONIES

"I went to Padang Pariaman by my own initiative, because I want to serve the victims with the talents and skills I have. I pity them, especially because most of them have no access to medical help. I am very grateful that I get the opportunity to serve alongside World Harvest team. The team members are very communicative and cooperative, making it easy to communicate with the patients. The relationship within the team members is also wonderful. Thank you, World Harvest, for this great cooperation." (dr. Daniel, 27 yrs old)

"It is not uncommon for the people of Padang to experience light earthquake, but the one happened several days ago was exceptional. When the earthquake happened, I was baking cake in the first floor of my house. The house itself was a three-storey-building, an old house. I had my mother with me; she suffered from a disease that weakened her body. When our house shook, I tried to take my mother out with me to our yard, but it was difficult because my mother couldn't move properly. But it turned out that our slow reaction saved us from being trapped in the fall of the second and third storey of my house. We were supposed to be doomed, but God amazingly saved our lives. I really thank Jesus for that!" (Mrs. Susan, secretary of IFGF GISI Padang)

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RUPIAH ACCOUNT

World Harvest Peduli
Ac. 234-01-00260-00-3
Bank CIMB Niaga Cab. Pintu Air
Jakarta Pusat

US DOLLAR ACCOUNT

World Harvest
Ac. 172-02-00046-00-1
Bank CIMB Niaga Cab. Sawah Besar
Jakarta Pusat
Swift Code: BNIAIDJA

"I had no choice but to queue for free logistic help in World Harvest's post. Not only have I lost my home, but with only 10,000 rupiahs a day as daily income, I also can't afford daily needs which grew to be very expensive after the earthquake. The logistic help is delivered properly in World Harvest's post; that's why I chose to queue here. While queuing, I had difficulty breathing; but luckily World Harvest's medical team immediately provided help for me. I am very much grateful for World Harvest being here." (Nelda, 30 yrs old, household maid)