



A Safer, More Compassionate World Forum

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Important Web Site Links

www.ourvoicestogether.org

Home Page for Our Voices Together

www.ourvoicestogether.org/site/PageServer?pagename=lrn_home

Our "Teaching Tolerance Book Club" selections are for book clubs. A couple of the featured books (such as Journey into Islam) include discussion guides that you can download from our website.

www.ourvoicestogether.org/site/PageServer?pagename=gv_circles

Information about Giving Circles including the Northern Virginia Giving Circle for Afghan Education.

www.theclarencelfoundation.org

The Clarence Foundation is an international grantmaking organization based in Oakland, California, USA. Our mission is to promote and support donor engaged international philanthropy. We seek to engage donors at a heart level, so they may personally experience how their resources, and more importantly their involvement, can make a significant impact to help end world poverty. We facilitate Giving Circles. For more information on how you can start or join a giving circle, contact Marc Ross Manashil at marc@theclarencelfoundation.org

www.ecosystemsnepal.com

EcoSystems was started in 1996 by Bay Area expatriates David and Haydi Sowerwine. The company works to improve the welfare of Nepal's rural people by offering transport and energy systems that are safe, efficient, inexpensive, and environmentally sound. To date, EcoSystems has successfully installed 32 WireBridges throughout Nepal.

www.dzifoundation.org

The dZi Foundation develops sustainable programs that positively impact individuals and communities within the Himalayan region. Our work is focused in the areas of education, health and welfare. These programs are designed to serve within the existing social framework, maintaining particular sensitivity to local culture and tradition.

www.shantafoundation.com

Mike and Tricia Karpfen's Shanta Foundation is currently working in the mountains of Myamar in collaboration with small villages to enhance their basic quality of life. Our focus is on partnering with them to improve the education, health, and financial sustainability of their entire village.

<http://faculty.fortlewis.edu/arbeenyp/CRE/index.htm>

Fort Lewis College Common Reading Experience 2007- *Mountains Beyond Mountains*

www.pih.org

Dr Paul Farmer's Partner's in Health model of care – partnering with poor communities to combat disease and poverty

www.makeallchildrensmile.org

Judy Duke's web site. She is in the process of forming a non-profit organization so all donations will be tax-deductible.

www.ikat.org

Founded by Greg Mortenson and Dr. Jean Hoerni Central Asia Institute's mission is to promote and provide community-based education and literacy programs, especially for girls, in remote mountain regions of Central Asia .

www.roomtoread.org

John Wood's web site (Leaving Microsoft to Change the World)

www.hemingwaybookclubofkosovo.com

Paula Huntley's web site

www.lwv.org and www.lwvlaplata.org

League of Women Voters of the US and of La Plata County

Note: This list can be found on our web site for easy linking www.lwvlaplata.org click on Global Outreach