



# Operation Christmas Child

## SHOEBOX GIFT RECEIVING COUNTRIES

For more than 30 years, Samaritan's Purse has been bringing great joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to millions of children across the globe through its Operation Christmas Child project. For many of these children, the gift-filled shoebox is the first gift they have ever received. Samaritan's Purse partners with local churches worldwide to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need and to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Since 1993, Samaritan's Purse has collected and delivered over 220 million shoebox gifts to children in more than 170 countries and territories, many of which are listed below:\*

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| Albania                          | Gambia                   | Panama                           |
| American Samoa                   | Georgia                  | Papua New Guinea                 |
| Angola                           | Germany                  | Paraguay                         |
| Antigua and Barbuda              | Ghana                    | Peru                             |
| Argentina                        | Greece                   | Philippines                      |
| Aruba                            | Grenada                  | Poland                           |
| Australia                        | Guam                     | Portugal                         |
| Bahamas                          | Guatemala                | Republic of the Congo            |
| Barbados                         | Guinea                   | Romania                          |
| Belize                           | Guinea-Bissau            | Rwanda                           |
| Benin                            | Guyana                   | Saint Kitts and Nevis            |
| Bolivia                          | Haiti                    | Saint Lucia                      |
| Bosnia-Herzegovina               | Honduras                 | Saint Vincent and the Grenadines |
| Botswana                         | Hungary                  | Senegal                          |
| Brazil                           | Ivory Coast              | Serbia                           |
| Bulgaria                         | Jamaica                  | Seychelles                       |
| Burkina Faso                     | Kenya                    | Sierra Leone                     |
| Burundi                          | Kiribati                 | Slovakia                         |
| Cameroon                         | Kosovo                   | Slovenia                         |
| Canada                           | Latvia                   | Solomon Islands                  |
| Central African Republic         | Lesotho                  | South Africa                     |
| Chad                             | Liberia                  | South Sudan                      |
| Chile                            | Lithuania                | Suriname                         |
| Colombia                         | Macedonia                | Tanzania                         |
| Cook Islands                     | Madagascar               | Thailand                         |
| Costa Rica                       | Malawi                   | Togo                             |
| Croatia                          | Mali                     | Tokelau                          |
| Curacao                          | Marshall Islands         | Tonga                            |
| Czech Republic                   | Mauritius                | Trinidad and Tobago              |
| Democratic Republic of the Congo | Mexico                   | Turks and Caicos Islands         |
| Dominica                         | Micronesia               | Tuvalu                           |
| Dominican Republic               | Moldova                  | Uganda                           |
| East Timor                       | Mongolia                 | Ukraine                          |
| Ecuador                          | Montenegro               | Uruguay                          |
| El Salvador                      | Mozambique               | Vanuatu                          |
| Equatorial Guinea                | Namibia                  | Venezuela                        |
| Estonia                          | Nauru                    | Wallis and Futuna Islands        |
| Eswatini                         | New Caledonia            | Zambia                           |
| Fiji                             | New Zealand              | Zimbabwe                         |
| Finland                          | Niger                    |                                  |
| France                           | Nigeria                  |                                  |
| French Polynesia                 | Northern Mariana Islands |                                  |
| Gabon                            | Palau                    |                                  |

\*Plus many hard-to-reach countries not listed for security reasons. Many of the shoeboxes sent to these nations were built online.