



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION WITH LEPROSY PATIENTS

Date : 15.12.2008
Venue : St. John's Leprosy Patients Rehabilitation Association,
Godamedu, Saidapet
No. of Beneficiaries : 70 Families

Leprosy has affected people for thousands of years. It was, and often still is, seen as a contagious, mutilating disease. Today, leprosy can be clinically cured relatively easily, yet the effects that it has on a patient's life can carry on indefinitely. It is a stigmatizing condition, and can lead to the person affected being rejected and excluded from society.

The Cherian Foundation received an appeal on 22nd November 2008, from St. John's Leprosy Patients Rehabilitation Association, Godamedu, Saidapet, who are serving for 70 families and caters her services to 70 children in this colony. The Trustee decided to provide financial support, buckets and used nice clothes.

The staff of Raj Group was motivated to bring their used old clothes in a good condition, with enrich thought of "Our old dress could become someone else's new dress in the coming Christmas and New Year".

Sharing the joys of Christmas with residents of leprosy colony is a great way to teach them about sharing and caring. On 15th December 2008, the trustee of The Cherian Foundation shared their joy with this community by the financial support, buckets and nice old clothes.

REPORT ON CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION 2008

Date : 18.12.2008
Venue : Villivakkam Panchayat School, Sector - 9
No. of Beneficiaries : 154 Children

Christmas is the time for spreading joy and cheer. It is the occasion to wish all your near and dear ones a "Merry Christmas". The joyous activity of The Cherian Foundation is celebrating the Christmas joy with the children of the Panchayat School.

Rotary Model School, Sector -9 children were enjoyed Cakes, Sweets and Hot Chips with on 18th December 2008. Mrs. Valsa Benjamin Cherian was the chief guest and she also donated Buckets to the school.

Celebration of Christmas is incomplete without the carol songs and wishes. The students sang few songs and the chief guest shared the idea of Christmas wishes, which go a long way in maintaining relationships and creating a bond that can only become stronger with time.