

freedom freedom

MOBILITY Mobility creates independence and new opportunity for recipients and their families. A mobile child is able to attend school. A mobile adult is able to get a job and provide for their family. An elderly person with mobility can rejoin society or family activities after years of staying in bed. We estimate that each wheelchair we deliver impacts the lives of 10 people in a lasting positive way.

TO A PERSON IN NEED, A WHEELCHAIR CAN DELIVER DIGNITY AND HOPE FOR A BETTER FUTURE



ACTION Shipping brand new wheelchairs, valued at \$600 in Canada, in bulk by 100 to 280 wheelchair sea containers allows the Global Wheelchair Mission Network to provide a wheelchair to someone in need with the help of our in-country distribution partners for each donation of \$190. They are designed to be highly durable and therefore appropriate for use in developing countries.

Currently the partnership is rapidly broadening across Canada, touching the hearts of Knights, Councils and their priests and parishes.



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IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

THE NEED In many developing countries, the only way for a person with physical disabilities to be mobile is to crawl along the ground or be carried by family or friends. An all too common reality is that many people stay in bed or in the corner of a room for years at a time, sometimes for the rest of their lives. The number of physically disabled is likely underestimated due to the difficulty in accounting for "forgotten" citizens who spend their lives hidden from sight.



MISSION Canadian Wheelchair Foundation / Fondation Chaise Roulante Canada is a Canadian registered charity dedicated to:

- raising awareness of the needs and abilities of people with physical disabilities.
- delivering mobility into the lives of those who have no means to acquire a wheelchair.
- transforming lives through Mobility, and with it giving Freedom, Dignity and Hope.

HOW THE KNIGHTS CAN HELP

Since 2003, Knights have sponsored the delivery of thousands of wheelchairs to destinations around the globe, including; Afghanistan, Vietnam, Sierra Leone, the Philippines, the Dominican Republic, Poland, Cuba, Mexico, Canada and many more.

- Individuals or Councils are able to sponsor entire containers to the country of their choice!
- Wheelchair Sunday parish drives are held in churches across the country and have sponsored thousands of wheelchairs.
- Teletón Children's Rehabilitation Centres across Latin America are looking forward to delivering wheelchairs with us specifically to children.

To learn more about these programs and watch videos of Knights delivering wheelchairs please visit: www.cdnwheelchair.ca



"BY HIS HAND WE TOUCH THEIR LIVES... AND CHANGE OUR OWN FOREVER."



DONOR FORM \$190 will deliver a wheelchair to someone in need of Hope, Mobility, Freedom and Independence. Please, fill out this donor information form completely in case we need to contact you about the delivery and distribution of wheelchairs.

Enclosed is my tax-deductible donation of

\$190 \$380 Other _____

For information on whole container options, please contact our office.

Council _____ State _____

Donor Name _____

Mailing Address _____

_____ City _____

Province/State _____ Postal Code/Zip _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

For a donation of \$190, you will receive a beautiful certificate of thanks with a photo of a wheelchair recipient.

NO - I would not like to receive a Certificate with photo / or

YES - I would like to receive a Certificate with photo

Certificate will Read:

Canadian Wheelchair Foundation wishes to thank

Donor (as noted above) / or other: _____

For the Gift made:

in the Name of: in Memory of: in Honour of:

Gift Recipient Name(s): _____

Please mail to me at the above address / or

Please mail directly to Gift Recipient at the following:

Address _____

_____ City _____

Province/State _____ Postal Code/Zip _____

WHOLE CONTAINER OPTIONS: (Contact office for more information)

\$53,200 = 280 standard / 260 mountain bike tire wheelchairs to:

\$20,900 = 110 standard / 100 mountain bike tire wheelchairs to:

Cheque enclosed / or

Credit Card: Visa MasterCard American Express

Name as it appears on card _____

Card Number _____

Expiry Date _____

Signature _____

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO:

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