



Annual Report 2022

One UMMAH Foundation





Our Founder

Mohammad Saeed Rahman is a global visionary, philanthropist, and leader in ethical investing, known for his passionate commitment to lifting people up and making a positive impact worldwide. As the founder of One Ummah

Foundation, Rahman has dedicated himself to uplifting marginalized communities and providing essential support to those in need. Rahman's philosophy is centered around marrying passion with compassion, believing that by combining one's personal drive with a genuine concern for others, transformative change can be achieved. He firmly believes that everyone deserves equal opportunities, regardless of their geographical location or socio-economic background.



"If you marry your passion
with compassion, everyone
is lifted"

-Mohammad Saeed
Rahman



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Win a Victory for Humanity

One Ummah Foundation is a 501c3 charity dedicated to eliminating child labor by breaking the cycle of illiteracy and poverty in underdeveloped countries.



The primary goal of the One Ummah Foundation is to reduce the incidence of child labor by creating greater opportunity for education and by reducing a families' need to rely on their children as income-earners, freeing the children to attend school.

At One Ummah Foundation, we strongly prioritize the dignity and respect of every individual we serve. As an organization, we encourage our staff members to minimize the use of photography or images during our humanitarian efforts.



Our Story

In loving memory of Mustafa Saeed Rahman, whose life was tragically cut short just six days before his 12th birthday, the Rahman family established the One Ummah Foundation. The foundation's name, meaning "One People," embodies our commitment to uniting communities and helping children around the world, regardless of their ethnicity or religion.

One Ummah Foundation has prioritized the enhancement of educational infrastructure, recognizing it as a fundamental pillar for empowering children. We have worked diligently to construct new schools, refurbish existing facilities, and provide essential resources to both new and existing educational institutions. Our efforts have included the provision of books, uniforms, and even nutritious meals, ensuring that children have the tools and environment necessary to thrive. By investing in educational infrastructure, we are not only fostering a love for learning but also creating spaces where children can dream, grow, and pursue their ambitions. These initiatives have empowered countless children, enabling them to overcome barriers and unlock their full potential.

We provide humanitarian support by,

- providing essential materials that enable children to access educational opportunities
- establish infrastructures that empower children to progress and thrive in their lives
- assisting families in attaining self-sufficiency, and promoting their independence and resilience.
- working towards stabilizing families and alleviate their suffering due to humanitarian crisis

**One Ummah Foundation believes the idea of pluralism:
where OUF believes in helping anyone who is in need,
regardless of religion and such**



“Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for humanity.”

Horace Man

575,000+

children have been helped in bringing them out of poverty, setting them up with educational pathways, and removing them from the prevalent child labor situation

100%

of all donations go directly to serving humanity.

250,000+

families have been provided necessities such as food, clothing, blankets, and shelter

As we embark on the future, One Ummah Foundation remains committed to fostering meaningful relationships with trusted contacts who play a vital role in ensuring the efficient and exclusive use of donor funds for their designated projects. We recognize the importance of transparency and accountability in our operations and will continue to uphold these values.



Where We Work



Currently, in our twenty-third year, One Ummah Foundation supports humanitarian aid in about 30 countries and counting, including: Pakistan, India, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Malawi, TOGO, Cambodia, Philippines, Indonesia, Senegal, Niger, Kenya, Somalia, Tanzania, Brazil, Guatemala, Syria, Afghanistan, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Yemen, Palestine, Nicaragua, Columbia, Uganda, Malaysia, Thailand, Nigeria, Turkey, Nepal

Our Financials

January 2022 -
December 2022



DONATIONS

\$2,440,035.68

**large portion of our endowment fund

GLOBAL DISBURSEMENTS

\$869,116.47

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$ 25,823.77

*covered by our founder

only 1% was spent in overhead!!

Project Disbursement Breakdown:

Education	\$789,627.95
Food Programs	\$57,387.47
Medical	\$22,101.05

Alhamdulillah, we were able to reach our goals in 2022. With the leftover donation, we will continue to use this in 2023 as well.



The Year in Review

Despite facing numerous challenges, Alhamdulillah, the unwavering support of our donors, partners, and volunteers enabled us to make a significant difference in the lives of the underprivileged across more than 20 countries.

One of the major hurdles we encountered was the soaring inflation rates, especially in food prices. Recognizing that the poorest of the poor are the most vulnerable to this crisis, we redoubled our efforts to provide crucial aid. Our food programs, catering to several thousand families, faced increased costs. Nevertheless, we were determined to continue our mission and were able to subsidize food prices and distribute monthly rations to families in need.

Understanding the interdependence of education and nutrition, we focused on providing quality food to students hailing from low-income families. By supplying rations to their families, we removed the burden of hunger, allowing children to attend school without having to work to feed their families. Many of them were burdened with debts, unable to provide a simple meal for their families. With the support of our compassionate donors, we stepped in to alleviate their debts, offering them a fresh start and able to economically sustain themselves. This, in turn, enabled us to rescue some children from the harsh clutches of child labor, fostering a brighter future for the next generation.

Education is a beacon of hope that can break the cycle of poverty. In Pakistan, we encountered a school with nearly 2400 students, lacking even the basic necessities like chairs. Determined to create a conducive learning environment, we donated essential furniture, providing the students with desks to study comfortably. Additionally, we were able to bring solar panels to schools in Karachi and other areas, where electricity was scarce. Through this initiative, we aimed to empower these institutions and ensure students can learn with ease. Ultimately, our goals end through helping children and trying to eradicate child labor. And this could not have been done without the help of our supporters, our partners, and our volunteers.

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What's Next

One Ummah Foundation is putting a focus on bringing everyone into the 4th Wave knowledge economy by providing better technology to schools and helping students stay updated with advancing technology. It's imperative to focus on the education of children and safely make them as virtual as possible. This includes better computers, laptops, and online education. We will also be putting an emphasis on education for teachers and providing them with the technology necessary.

With inflation at an all time high, food inflation has hit the impoverished the most. OUF will be increasing ration programs 3 to 4 folds to help as many people as possible. We strongly believe in providing children with nutritious meals so they can focus on their education, as part of our mission to eradicate child labor. This means collecting and disbursing more funds to fight food inflation in all parts of the world. With the help of our donors and sponsors we can make a difference in the lives of our Ummah.

In 2023 OUF is partnering with a number of new organizations to help bring awareness and resources to already established organizations. We don't reinvent the wheel and instead offer our resources by partnering with organizations already doing the work in their communities. We have added a number of new initiatives to our list and will continue to add more every year InshAllah. We will also maintain our expenses below 1% by continuing to find best practices in delivering services. Upholding all our other values aligned, OUF is determined to continue to keep our expenses low so that all the funds go to those that need it most. With the help of our founder and our volunteers we will continue to be of service to our Ummah.

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