

Dear Friends of ASAP,

Special thanks once again to Common Ground Ministries for including ASAP in the <u>3rd Annual A Harvest of Hope</u> held in Newport Beach, CA June 3rd, 4th & 5th. This home and garden event attracts more attention each year and brought exciting ideas for sustainable living and well-being to local and global communities.

Sustainability is the capacity to endure. At ASAP we know that the two <u>Village Savings & Lending (VS&L)</u> projects that came to an end this summer will continue to benefit families for years to come. With your help, ASAP is proud to have helped reduce the negative impact of HIV/Aids on 1,500 women & girls during the 3 year project partnership with CWW . The new found self reliance that these girls have discovered through VS&L strengthens their income generating activities, greatly reducing their vulnerability and need to resort to risky behaviours in order to survive. <u>Click here</u> to read more.

Through ASAP's "Out of School Adolescents" project partnership with CRS, ASAP has helped over 1,800 girls, between the ages of 12 and 17 survive and thrive in Eastern Zimbabwe, Regai Tsunga, ASAP's Country Director in Zimbabwe, shared his team's success stories of empowering girls with organizations from around the world during the launch of the publication, "My Skills, My Money, My Brighter Future in Zimbabwe" at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. Click here to read more.

Big thanks to you who make our work possible! If you donated directly, in-kind, or through the <u>Combined Federal Campaign Aid to Africa Federation</u>, <u>EBay Giving Works</u>, <u>Africa Direct</u>, or <u>Global Giving</u>, - YOU make our work possible.

Thank you sincerely from all of us at ASAP Africa in Zimbabwe & the USA!



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