



## **MANNA FOR CHILDREN**

**bring Bible stories  
to poor children  
who cannot afford expensive  
story and activity books.**

"Give me color book!" shouted the small boy in his native Khmer language.

He was just one of the hundreds of kids who live at the city dump in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. He wanted a book to read-and-color book like all the other children had.

Charia Our and her husband Thearith had prepared 400+ Christmas bags for the people who live at the city dump. And in each bag they put bread, soap crayons and a Manna for Children book to color. Charia had translated the book and printed 500 copies at her own expense.

Since then, this young couple has been able to rent a building near the dump and turn it into a community center. The children come there for a snack and to learn about Jesus.



### **SMALL, LOW-COST BOOK**

The small, low-cost coloring books we call "Manna for Children" are based on Bible stories. They are useful for teaching Bible truth, literacy-reading and to develop motor skills in these disadvantaged children in orphanages, hospitals, refugee camps where children have nothing.

The books are effective in class. The teacher can explain the story before the children begin to color the pictures. In Vacation Bible School, two pages can be colored each day.

To test comprehension, the child can be asked to explain the story or asked what a certain picture means.

Coloring the pictures helps impress the story on their memory so they cannot forget it.

### **HOW TO USE THE BOOKS**

A pan of crayons can be placed in the center of a circle of children. Each child can take a crayon from the pan, use it and then put it back. The teacher puts the crayons away at the end of the period.



The books can be useful to summer teams going overseas. We are looking for North American and European churches which will sponsor the translation and printing of a book. With packs of crayons, these slim, economic books can be taken along by team members.

Whether you are home-schooling, work with kids' clubs in your church, or going on a short term missions trip to another country, it is very easy to download the PDF files for these books from the

MannaPublications.org website and to print and make photocopies to distribute as needed.

Do you have some unused crayons or pencil crayons in your house that you could donate?



Manna Publications helps the Christians in poor countries print and distribute affordable Bible commentaries. *Manna for Children* is a similar effort to provide an attractive, activity book at low cost for the many needy children who rarely have a good book of their own. Each book is also to share the gospel in a clear way.

When our supporters are generous, Manna Publications will help toward printing costs for these unique children's books.

**NOTE: Please check with us if you would like it in a special translation, or if you would be willing to translate for us into a language you know.**

The best way to obtain these books is by downloading from our website;  
**MannaPublications.org**

The special page, Manna for Children is;  
**MannaPublications.org/P/Childrens.shtml**  
If you have further questions, you can use the contact form on the site, and you will be referred to the person best able to help you.

### DONATIONS

Yes, donations are welcome! Join us in giving spiritual Manna to children in many parts of the world.

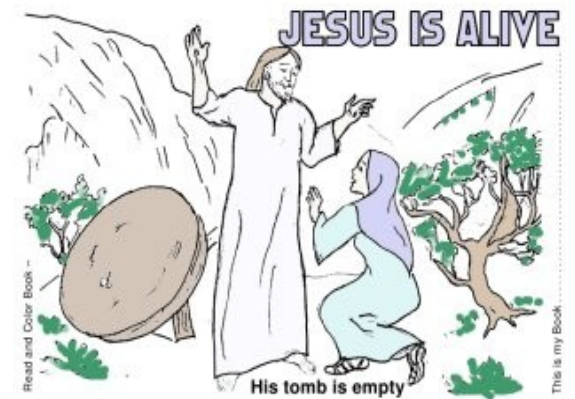
To receive a tax-deductible receipt, please make checks payable to O.D. Presbyterian church Box 277, North Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 and mark "for Manna Publications."

You may contact the founders of Manna Publications,  
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### Read-and-Color Books now Available:

The Powerful Lantern (African story)  
Wise Men Seek Jesus (Christmas)  
Jesus is Alive (Easter and/or Gospel)  
Timothy (Family values)  
Samuel (Prayer)

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