

NOW CHOOSE A CARD

We have a variety of cards for you to choose from to go with your Comfort Gift. Some have been left blank for your own message and others have a message inside. Choose the one you would like for each gift and add the code to your purchase. Designs specially created and generously gifted by Halcyon Martin (HM), Ella Ashworth (EA), David Gasana (DG), Camila Muradas (CG) and Phil Arbon (PA).



Christmas (star 001)
by HM
"Merry Christmas and Happy New Year"



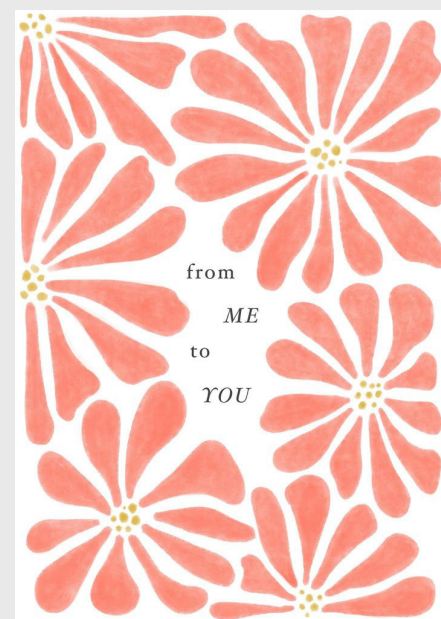
Christmas (joy 002)
by EA
"Merry Christmas"



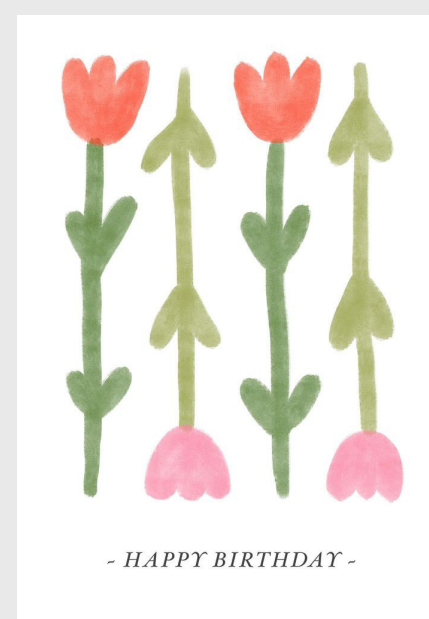
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by DG
"Merry Christmas!"



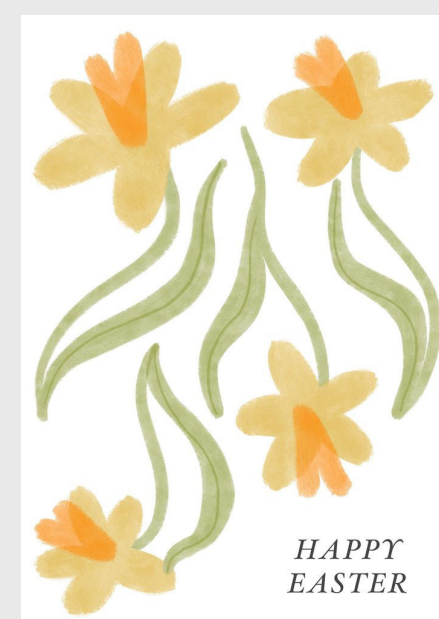
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by CM
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Me to You (gift 005)
by EA
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Birthday (birth 006)
by EA
"Happy Birthday"



Easter (easter 007)
by EA
"Happy Easter"



Waving (wave 008)
by CM
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Waterfall (water 009)
by HM
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Market day (market 010)
by PA
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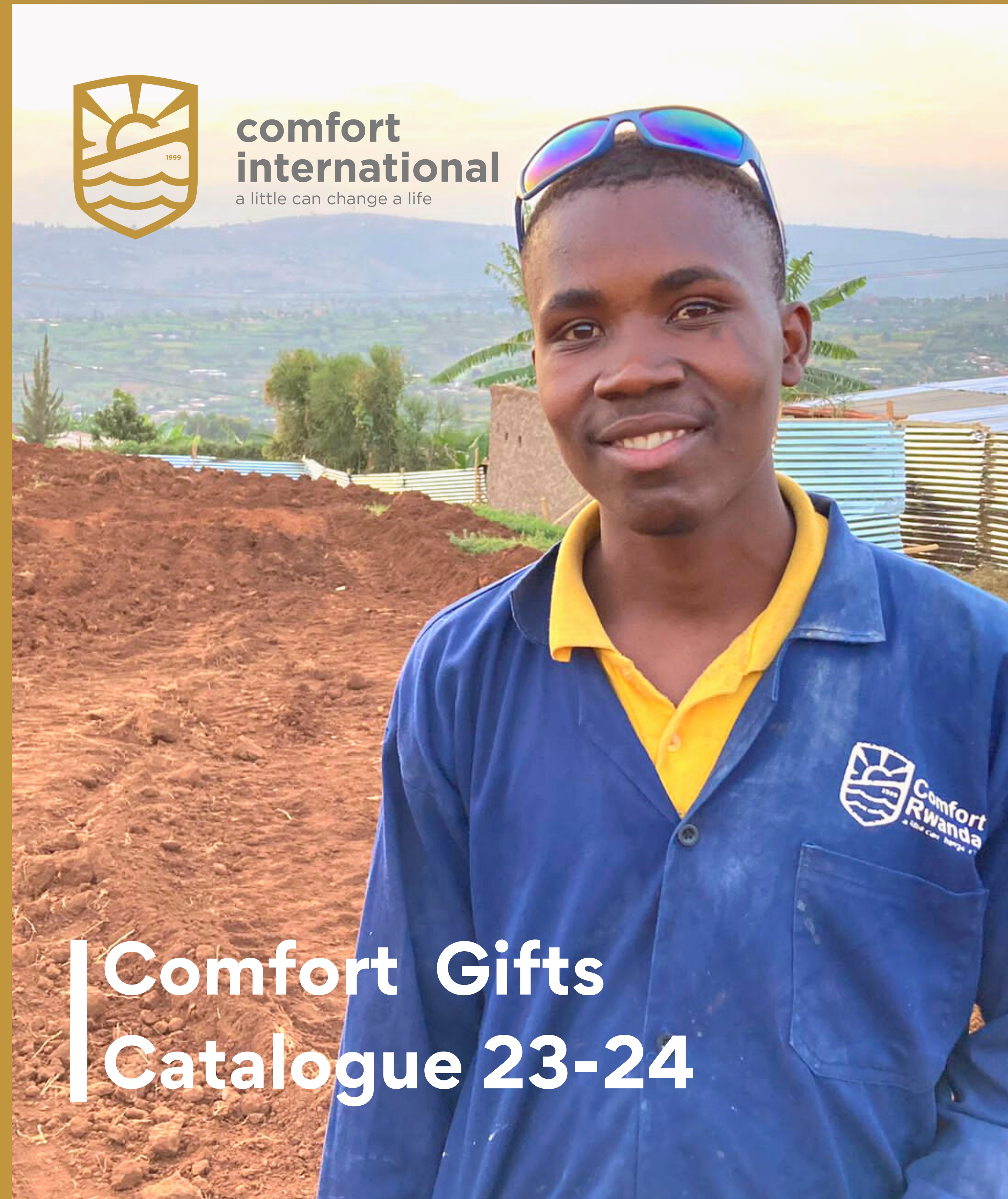
Rwanda (Rwanda 011)
by PA
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African Home (home 012)
by PA
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COMFORT GIFTS

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Why Comfort Gifts?

Comfort International has been working since 1999 to alleviate poverty and trauma in Rwanda, D.R.Congo, Burundi, Uganda and South Sudan. By sending a Comfort Gift to someone special, you give them a chance to participate and help change someone's life.



Comfort Gifts have been supporting children in Bisesero to receive school meals. In the last 6 months, this has resulted in a 41% increase in attendance, 14% improvement in grades, and 80% of children behaving better according to their teachers. It has also led to a dramatic reduction in children showing severe signs of malnutrition at Birara nursery.

Where Does The Money Go?

Comfort International forwards the money to Rwanda, D.R.Congo, Burundi, Uganda or South Sudan to purchase the gift of your choice. Last year, **your gifts** paid for nutritious meals for school and nursery children at risk of and suffering from malnutrition. They supported hospital midwives in Congo, fed families in South Sudan, sent children to school and much more!

What Do I Receive?

A greetings card or Christmas card with a small information card detailing the gift and project supported will be sent to you for you to give to your friend or loved one.

How Do I Buy A Comfort Gift?

Choose the gift and card you would like to give, then fill out the order form and send it together with the appropriate payment to the Comfort International office OR go online to shop.comfortinternational.org and look for Comfort Gifts.

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MUMS AND BABIES

Mums and babies are some of the most vulnerable members of society. Our projects aim to encourage and support them in a safe community environment to a point where they can support themselves and their child and move into the future with hope and purpose. You can support by contributing to the cost of safe accommodation, to a start up fund for a Mum to start an income generating activity to help get out of the cycle of poverty or towards fees to send a child to nursery, giving them the best start in life.



Safe Place to Live

£20
gift code MUM01

Send A Child To Nursery

£10 for 1 month
gift code MUM02

Start Up An Income Generating Project

£10 contribution
gift code MUM03

BATWA OF BURUNDI



The Batwa people of Burundi have been displaced from their homes in the forest and find themselves with no land for homes or crops to feed themselves. They live in desperate conditions, with families in "houses" that are not even big enough to lie down in. Help give the gift of land to the Batwa, so they can build proper houses and cultivate fields to feed their families.

Land for the Batwa

£15
gift code BUR01

CENTRAL HOSPITAL RUSAYU

The Central Hospital Rusayu is situated near Goma, North Kivu, DRC. It serves some of the poorest areas by providing general medical care and surgery, child immunisations, maternity care, rape survivor surgery, dental care and health education to a vast number of people otherwise unable to afford it, including thousands displaced by the ongoing conflict. The staff work with minimal resources under the constant threat of war to save as many lives as possible. When you buy a gift from here you will be working right alongside them.



Salary for a Midwife

£30 for 1 week
gift code HOSP01

Life-saving Medicines

£10
gift code HOSP02

Hospital Bed

£20 contribution
gift code HOSP03



TRAINING PASTORS

Comfort International supports the training of pastors in Uganda and Burundi. The pastors are equipped in many aspects of leadership. They will go on to influence churches and communities all across their nations. Your gift will help a low income pastor attend one of the eight teaching weeks which are spread throughout the year.



One Week of Training

£20
gift code CIMS01

Set of Course Notes

£8
gift code CIMS02

PRIMARY & SECONDARY EDUCATION



School Fees

£20 for 1 Term
gift code EDU01

Brick To Build A New School

£10
gift code EDU02

Salary for a Teacher

£20 for 1 week
gift code EDU03

Education is key to escaping the cycle of poverty and for the future growth of individuals and communities. Many of the poorest children in Rwanda, D.R.Congo, South Sudan and Burundi are unable to pay school fees or buy uniforms and equipment. By choosing an educational gift you will be giving a child a stronger foundation for the future. You can also support the dedicated teachers in DRC who sacrifice so much to make sure these children can receive an education.

CHILDREN OF LIBERTY

In the Democratic Republic of Congo, an incessant war rages, and children are forced into the awful roles of child-soldiers and slaves. Our partners at Comfort Congo work tirelessly to rescue these young people and welcome them to a life of restoration at the Village of Hope, where they can receive physical, emotional and spiritual care.



A place at the Village of Hope

£25 for 1 month
gift code COL01

"I now have recovered the meaning of happiness and joy. I don't feel I am without value anymore as a person."

*Robert, Child of Liberty
Village of Hope, DRCongo*

STREET KIDS RESCUE



Comfort International supports seven growing Street Kids Rescue Projects; four in Rwanda, and one each in Burundi, South Sudan and D. R. Congo. These are mainly supported by individual sponsorship but there is often a lag time between a child being rescued and a sponsor being found. In that time the cost of medical insurance, food, safe accommodation and clothing needs to be covered. Our aim is that, where possible, these children return to their families where they continue to be supported through the project.

Medical Insurance For 1 Year

£12 for 4 children
gift code CHILD01

Sponsor an ex-street child

£25 for 1 month
gift code CHILD02

Christmas Party

£10
gift code CHILD03



Build a Transformation Centre

£20 donation
gift code CHILD04

Many children who have come out from living on the streets still struggle with the trauma of their past and with the pull of drug abuse and gang culture. Comfort Transformation Centre will help them break free towards a brighter future. The centre will include accommodation for up to 80 children, provide excellent facilities including for school revision, play, sport, cooking, dining and group activities, as well as emergency housing and much more.

FEEDING PROJECTS

Comfort International is working to fight hunger through local partners in Africa. Your gift could pay school meals for a child in rural Rwanda, for only £3.50 a month, allowing them to focus on their studies instead of wondering where their next meal might come from. It could help provide a nutritious breakfast for nursery children at high risk of malnutrition. £15 could provide food for up to 5 families in South Sudan, the world's poorest country, where hunger and starvation are rife. Or, in DRC, where conflict rages and children are made orphans every day, your gift could provide life-saving food packages for children who are survivors of the war, now threatened by starvation.



School Meals For 1 Child

£3.50 for 1 month
gift code FEED01

Nursery Nutrition For 1 Week

£10 for 20 children
gift code FEED02



Food Support In South Sudan

£15 for 5 families
gift code FEED03



Emergency Food For An Orphan In Sake

£20 for 3 months
gift code FEED04

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Me to You (gift 005)		Rwanda (rwanda 011)	
Birthday (birth 006)		African Home (home 012)	

Your name and address for posting

Increase the value of your gift by 25p for each £1 with Gift Aid

I confirm that I am a UK Income or Capital Gains taxpayer, have read this statement and want Comfort International to reclaim tax on all donations I make until I notify you otherwise. I understand I must pay Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax (other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify) in the tax year at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities and CASCs I donate to will reclaim on my gifts for that tax year and that the charity will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 I have given.

tick here Name _____ Signature _____
Address _____ Post Code _____
Church/organisation _____ Date _____



Comfort International would love to keep you up-to-date about all aspects of our work, ie. news, events and fundraising. Please tick your choice below:

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Please do not send me any information.

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Salary For A Teacher (EDU03)	20.00		
A Place At The Village of Hope (COL01)	25.00		
Medical Insurance for 4 Children (CHILD01)	12.00		
Sponsor An Ex-Street Child (CHILD02)	25.00		
Christmas Party (CHILD03)	10.00		
Build A Transformation Centre (CHILD04)	20.00		
School Meals For 1 Month (FEED01)	3.50		
Nursery Nutrition 20 Kids for 1 Week (FEED02)	10.00		
Food Support In South Sudan (FEED03)	15.00		
Emergency Food For An Orphan In Sake (FEED04)	20.00		
Salary For A Midwife (HOSPO1)	30.00		
Life-saving Medicines (HOSPO2)	10.00		
Hospital Bed (HOSPO3)	20.00		
One Week Of Pastors' Training (CIMS01)	20.00		
Set Of Course Notes (CIMS02)	8.00		
Safe Place To Live For Mum & Baby (MUM01)	20.00		
Send A Child To Nursery (MUM02)	10.00		
Income Generating Activity Starter (MUM03)	10.00		
Land For The Batwa (BUR01)	15.00		
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Grand Total			

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