

Riverside Sharing Fund -- Your 2004 EMC Dollars at Work in the World!

Every year, 10% of EMC goes to the Riverside Sharing Fund which gives grants to organizations locally, nationally and internationally. Here is a list of Sharing Fund grants in 2004. If you want more in-depth information, take a look at the Sharing Fund binder in the Riverside Library -- photos and more about each organization.

<u>Sharing Fund</u>			<u>Amount</u>
<u>Sponsoring Organization/Project Name</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>of Grant</u>
Uganda Children's Charity Foundation	Solar lighting for Sabina Home	Uganda	\$5,000
Liberty Center for Survivors of Torture/Restoration of Hope Services	Supplies, child care & transportation for clients	Philadelphia, PA	\$5,000
Songcatchers, Inc./Reaching for Peace Through Music	Instruments, equipment and scholarships to needy children attending summer camp	New Rochelle, NY	\$5,000
Centro Nueva Creacion/Prework Leadership Program	Funding youth teams working on environmental, technological and arts projects	Philadelphia, PA	\$5,000
Scientific Technology & Sustainable Agricultural Development, Inc.	Nyaka AIDS Orphan School providing educational, spiritual and care services	Uganda	\$5,000
UCC Coalition for LGBT Concerns/Open & Affirming Program	Education & outreach to congregations and campus ministries	Guilford, CT	\$5,000
Campaign to End the Death Penalty/Stop All Executions	Follow-up work and strategy after 2003 national convention	Chicago, IL	\$5,000
Information Project for United Methodists	Distribution of "United Methodism @ Risk:A Wake-up Call"	Kingston, NY	\$5,000
African Services Committee/HIV Voluntary Counseling&Testing	Funding for HIV prevention information, condoms, free voluntary HIV testing&counseling	Ethiopia	\$5,000
Global Ministries/Working Children, the Weakest Laborers	Protection, training and promotion of children's labor rights in three local villages	Egypt	\$5,000
Higher Education for Women in Prison/Peer Tutor Training	Support to have inmates become tutors in pre-college reading and writing programs	Bedford Hills, NY	\$5,000
Nana's Children Mental Health Foundation, Inc./Research Project	Funding for research compilation of therapeutic play project for homeless children	Phoenix, AZ	\$5,000
Operation Crossroads Africa/Medical Project	Funding for study to determine requirements of program director for Africa	Africa	\$5,000
STOP-Students and Teachers Organized with Parents	Purchase of instruments/uniforms for Band/office equipment for Journalism programs	Bronx	\$5,000
Argus Community, Inc./New Leaf work experience program	Funds participants working in greenhouses and herbal vinegar enterprise	Bronx	\$5,000
Fundacion Dominican de NY/Preventive Art program	Scholarships for youth at risk of pregnancy or drug addiction to Preventive Art program	NYC	\$5,000
World Student Christian Federation/Christian Muslim Dialogue	General support for youth from Christian and Muslim backgrounds to attend seminar	Beirut	\$5,000
The Aid and Education Project	General support for Mayan Cultural Education and Women's Literacy Programs	Guatemala	\$5,000
Fessenden Supportive Housing, Inc./House	General support for home for men in recovery	Yonkers, NY	\$3,000
Harlem Family Institute	Professional psychotherapy for Harlem children (School Age K-12)	Harlem	\$5,000
Morningside Retirement and Health Services	General support to provide services so elderly may remain in their homes	NYC	\$5,000
Senior Action in a Gay Environment (SAGE)	Development of bilingual materials for East Harlem & Bronx outreach	Harlem/Bronx	\$5,000
COFATDO/Empowerment of Juveniles in Prison	Supplies, tools, sewing machines, etc. for instruction of inmates in shoemaking	Cameroon	\$5,000

Manna House Workshops/Artistic Staff-Music Instructors	Salaries for private/group lessons in Jazz voice, dance and instruments for youth at risk	Harlem	\$5,000
Adoption Center of Washington/Orphanage Building for Infants Vietnam	Help in building orphanage for infants who may later be adopted	Vietnam	\$5,000
Witness for Peace/Witness for Peace Cuba Program	Design, printing and dissemination of "From Isolation to Integration"	Cuba	\$5,000
Women for Women of Sierra Leone	Help in renovating building for Community Learning Center	Sierra Leone	\$5,000
The Church of Gethsemane/Project Connect	Church members write & visit with inmates, sending literature, food, clothing, etc.	Brooklyn, NY	\$5,000
The Steve Biko Cultural Institute/Open Minds-Open Doors	Leadership development for low-income Afro-Brazilian students	Brazil	\$5,000
Church World Service	Emergency Flood Relief - Haiti & Dominican Republic	Dom Rep/Haiti	\$5,000
The Densford Fund is an endowed bequest which funds projects related to American Indian youths.			
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Union Theological Seminar	Scholarship support for American Indian Union Seminary students	NYC	\$3,000
Cal-Wood Education Center/ Summer Cultural Camp	Scholarships to American Indian Youth of the Denver Metro Area to attend camp	Denver, CO	\$5,000
Bemidji State University/Student Emergency Assistance Fund	Creation of fund to help Indian students with emergency needs so that they can continue in school	Bemidji, MN	\$5,000
AIDS Action Foundation/Connecting Native American Youth to CARE	Materials to direct service providers for Native American Youth affected by AIDS	Alaska/Arizona/ New Mexico	\$5,000