

Right Sharing OF WORLD RESOURCES

“Let us then see what love can do”

William Penn, 17th Century Quaker

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God calls us to the right sharing of world resources, from the burdens of materialism and poverty into the abundance of God's love, to work for equity through partnership with our sisters and brothers throughout the world.

What can you get using lime juice and fermented hard-boiled eggs?



If you said “a terrible smell,” you’d be absolutely right – but more importantly, you can make organic pesticides! When I was in India visiting Right Sharing projects in February, I had the opportunity to attend a training for the women of the Trust for Sustainable Resource Development (TSRD). TSRD works to restore natural and sustainable farm practices to the region of India where they work and live, and do so using organic, locally-sourced resources for fertilizer and pesticide. It was a great joy to be present at the training, and to see the ways in which Right Sharing not only works to empower women, but also to engage practices that are in right relationship with the earth.

Thanks go to you for sharing your abundance to make this work possible! Look on the next page for a financial summary of how your gifts have been stewarded to support right sharing of world resources and empowerment of women and communities. I know from my recent visits to Kenya and India that hundreds of women are gratefully experiencing transformation through RSWR. The heart of this transformation is best reflected in the stories of individual women, so we have

included a few of these stories for you in this annual report.

Did you know that in 2017 RSWR will celebrate 50 years of working for equity through partnership with our sisters and brothers throughout the world? We embrace this work joyfully, as we continue to listen for God’s call, striving to understand and strengthen our partnerships to create together a more just and healthy world. We are implementing practices to provide better reporting for increased understanding, accountability, and evaluation. We are researching ways to enhance training and support for loan recipients to enable greater success and transformation in the quality of their lives. We are also working at home to provide opportunities to explore spiritually the burdens of materialism and the blessings of right relationship.

Your contributions support the sustainable agriculture of TSRD and the good work of other RSWR partners. Let’s celebrate these successes together, and give generously for future partners. Your gifts mean more trainings, more stinky organic pesticide, and more lives changed.

With God’s abundant love,
Jacqueline Stillwell, General Secretary



Financial Summary | 2016



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KENYA
INDIA
SIERRA LEONE

PROVIDING
PARTNERS
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FINANCIAL
SUMMARY
for fiscal year
7.1.2015 through
6.30.2016

Right Sharing of
World Resources
is a Quaker
Organization
which supports
grassroots
income-
generating
projects in the
developing world
and provides
educational
opportunities in
the United States

Revenue	Contributions	\$	551,126
	In-Kind Donations	\$	6,606
	Earned Revenues	\$	56,775
	Total Revenue	\$	614,507

Expenses	Program	\$	415,325
	Administrative	\$	24,225
	Development and Outreach	\$	81,877
	Total Expenses	\$	521,426

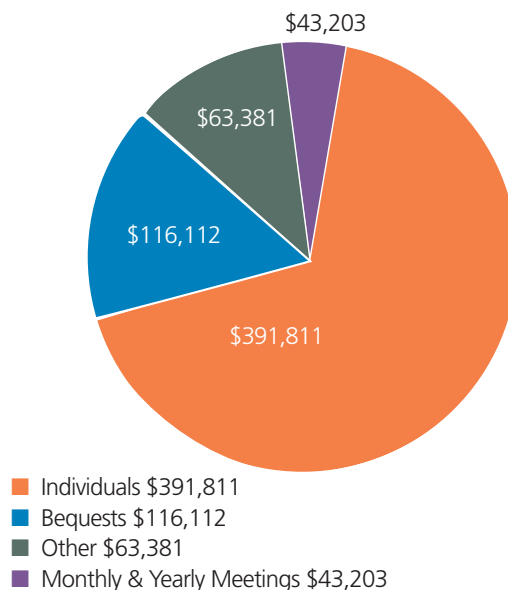
Assets	Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	499,120
	Investments	\$	1,266,109
	Pledges Receivables	\$	9,640
	Prepaid Expenses	\$	1,231
	Fixed Assets (net)	\$	1,871
	Other Assets	\$	5,645
	Total Assets	\$	1,783,616

Liabilities	Accounts Payable	\$	4,890
	Grants Payable	\$	68,128
	Notes Payable	\$	217,472
	Other Liabilities	\$	11,728
	Total Liabilities	\$	302,218

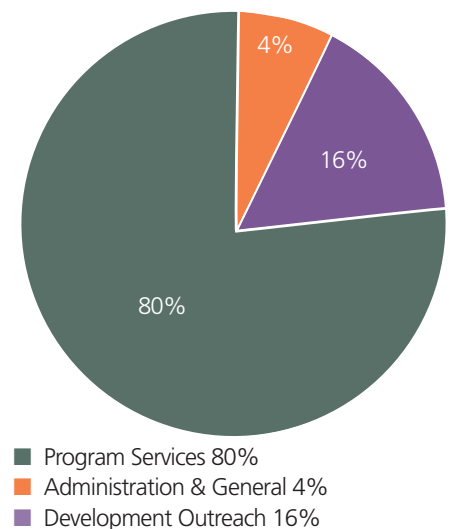
Net Assets	Endowment Fund	\$	1,292,816
	Temporarily Restricted	\$	30,160
	Unrestricted – Other	\$	65,341
	Fund Revenue	\$	93,081
	Total Net Assets	\$	1,481,398

TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS \$ 1,783,616

2016 FISCAL YEAR
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2016 FISCAL YEAR
Total Expenditures = \$521,426



Our best stories of this year!

Right Sharing funded two rounds of projects in the last fiscal year. We were able to positively impact the lives of 621 women in India, 243 in Kenya, and 437 in Sierra Leone. However, lest we get too bogged down in figures, we would also like also to share a transformative story from each region, as these are the heart of our work.

SIERRA LEONE

Aminata is an orphan and a school drop-out. At a young age she lost her father during the rebel war, and more recently her mother died of Ebola. She joined Makolo Women Development Organization, which received a grant from RSWR in June 2015. MWDO taught her to make and sell “country cloth” suits, a form of traditional dress. With a loan from the RSWR funds, she started a country cloth business, which is now running successfully. As a result, she has saved some of her money to go back to school as of September 2016. She plans to continue her business and attend school at the same time.



Sierra Leone



Kenya

KENYA

Damaria Ayisi is the mother of five children. Her husband works in Nairobi as a casual laborer; whatever money he gets is sent back home for their children’s education, but it is never enough. She joined the Musasa Friends Women Group when it was formed. From the group’s small funds, she borrowed Ksh.500 (\$5) and later increased it to Ksh.1000 (\$10). This small amount of money enabled her to start a small business of her own. Since she was doing well, she dreamed of expanding her business but didn’t have the capital to do so. To her delight, her group received a grant from RSWR in 2015. With the grant money, she was able to borrow to expand her green grocery. She is now assisting with the payment of school fees for her children, and has her own bank account.



India

INDIA

Faridha Begam is fifty years old. She and her husband have three grown children. Sadly, her eldest son, a taxi driver, died in an accident. His widow and two children came to live with her and her husband. The grief and extra people to feed created hardship within the family. Although Muslim women do not usually work outside the home, she joined Kalanjyam Trust, which helped her to start a vegetable vending business from within the home. She received a loan of INR.7350 (\$109). Her daughter-in-law assists her with the business, and the family now has enough income to get by. They are repaying the loan, setting aside money for future investment, and also saving for the future.

RIGHT SHARING of WORLD RESOURCES

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Thank You for Your Tributes

Right Sharing of World Resources thanks you for your gifts in honor or in memory of these individuals or events in your life. What a meaningful contribution to their legacy! Your generous gift contributes to a cycle of change benefiting hundreds of women, their families and their communities.

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