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What Cambodian ministry was born out of this sentiment?

"Show love and compassion by helping those more vulnerable than us...what better way to do that than to start with the children?!"



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In Cambodia, agriculture has the potential of being an engine for economic growth and food security, to address the one fifth of Cambodians who are food deprived, and continue making improvements in the country's health.



Spoken by Clara Biswas, missionary with the UMC Missionary Street Children Ministry. The project creates educational opportunities for street children to improve their quality of life, meet nutritional needs, teach about God's love for them, and create fellowship opportunities.

By nurturing and loving 500 children in the Phnom Penh area, the ministry is bringing the love of Jesus to those whose lives are unimaginable to us. From the dump site where children sift through garbage to find food, to the resettlement area where children receive no education, to the two orphanages she visits regularly, this project opens the space for hope to flourish.



