

Merry Christmas

from everyone at BtL

More than one billion Christmas cards (17 for every man, woman and child) will end up in bins across the UK this year. One tree is needed to make about 3,000 cards. That's why this year we have decided not to send you a traditional Christmas card. Instead we have donated our Christmas card fund to Children in Crisis. So not only are we doing our bit to help save the environment, we are also helping a worthwhile cause.

Children in Crisis exists to improve the lives of children around the world affected by conflict, deprivation, poverty or other hidden crises, by working in partnership with local communities to provide education, healthcare and protection.

£5,000 could enable Children in Crisis to train 10 teachers in Liberia.
£1,386 could pay for all the desks and benches for a school in the democratic republic of Congo.

£100 could pay for the training manuals for 20 trainee teachers in East Timor.

£40 could pay for a medical kit including a thermometer, stethoscope, iodine and a blood pressure monitor, for a trainee midwife in China.

£18 could pay for a school kit for a child from the Kuchi Community, Afghanistan. This includes a school uniform, a school bag and all their text books, exercise books, and stationery.

To donate to Children in Crisis or to sign up to the newsletter, please visit www.childrenin crisis.org

