



HOMES
FOR HOPE

WHAT IS HOMES FOR HOPE?

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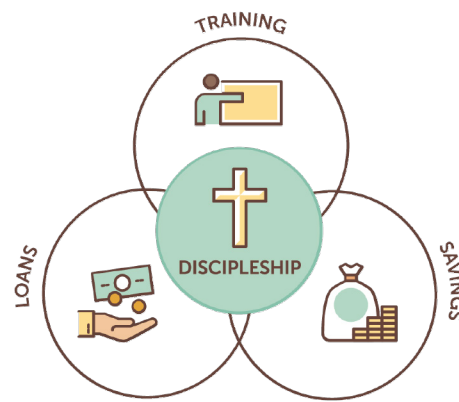


Yoselin Ambrosio Aldaves
owns a shop in Peru

WHAT WE DO

Homes for HOPE partners with the building industry to invest in underserved families around the world for their holistic flourishing unto the glory of God.

For more than 25 years, Homes for HOPE alongside HOPE International has been on a mission to break the bonds of global, generational poverty through Christ-centered microenterprise development strategies. We've developed multiple ways to help the building community leverage their generosity to give talented men and women in poverty a hand up, not a handout.



THE CHALLENGE

Nearly **847 million people** worldwide live on less than **\$3.00 per day**.

The World Bank says, "The surest way out of poverty is **a good job.**"

HOMES FOR HOPE IS



...a building industry response to global poverty. To get involved...

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THE IMPACT



Over \$2 Billion
in loans disbursed



3.7 Million
people served



98%
loan repayment rate



19,400
church partnerships

HISTORY

Following the Soviet Union's collapse in the early 1990s, Jeff Rutt, a three-time NAHB America's Best Builder Award winner, traveled to Ukraine with his church, delivering food, clothing, and medical supplies to Zaporozhye.

However, Pastor Petrenko, their Ukrainian host, told Jeff that these shipments were creating dependency and harming local businesses. He asked Jeff to find a way to help them become self-sufficient.

Inspired, Jeff founded HOPE International in 1997. Using profits from one of Jeff's home builds, HOPE issued \$500 loans to 12 entrepreneurs, who invested in their businesses and repaid HOPE with interest. The local staff reported much gratitude and a need for more funding to serve even more people!

Jeff shares, "This is a great way for people to help—[builders and trades] are doing what they are talented at doing: running front-end loaders, putting up drywall, designing a structure, or choosing the right appliances. **They're able to help transform somebody's life on the other side of the world by doing what they do for a living right here.**"

Initially focused on one Ukrainian community, HOPE has grown to invest in the dreams of underserved families around the world, providing holistic poverty alleviation through **discipleship, training, a safe place to save, and loans.**



Founder Jeff Rutt with Astia from the Dominican Republic



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WHERE WE SERVE

HOPE-led programs

- (S) Savings group programs & partners
 (M) Microfinance institutions & partners

