Gifts of Help, Hope & Healing



Mission Aviation Fellowship 2024 Christmas Gifts Catalogue



Share God's love with life-changing gifts this Christmas

Millions of people miss out on the help they need simply because it is too dangerous or time consuming to reach them.

For almost 80 years, MAF has flown over jungles, mountains and deserts, to bring medical aid, emergency relief, long-term development and the hope of Jesus Christ to isolated people who would otherwise go unreached and forgotten.

MAF partners with over 1,500 organisations, providing the crucial link between people in desperate need, and the help, hope and healing made possible by the generosity of people like you. Operating 117 aircraft in over 24 countries, every few minutes a MAF plane takes off or lands in some of the most remote parts of the world. For thousands of isolated communities across the globe, MAF flights are not a luxury but a lifeline.

This Christmas, we wanted you to have the opportunity to bestow a gift of hope to unreached and forgotten people. By partnering with MAF this Christmas and choosing one or more gifts found in this catalogue, you'll be helping to deliver practical and spiritual care to isolated people. What an exciting way to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas this year!



A Very Jerry Christmas



Gift of Fuel

When the equivalent of one jerrycan (just \$50) gets poured into our aircraft, we are fuelled for up to 20 minutes of flying time. For isolated communities, these flights replace days of travel on foot and save many lives.

As Kiwi's we have a long history of generously gifting jerry cans of fuel at Christmas time. Without fuel, MAF work would be possible. The Papua New Guinea fuel crisis this year showed first-hand what happens when there's no fuel - planes are grounded, people are stuck, and communities go without essential needs.

Fuel the mission of MAF to bring help, hope & healing to isolated people across the globe.



Gift of Care

Give Comfort and Hope for Timor-Leste's Medevac Patients

With your support, MAF can keep providing essential care packs to medevac patients in Timor-Leste. Each pack includes items such as food, water, hygiene items and a Bible, bringing comfort and hope to families, who have, in emergency situations, had to leave without packing.

Each care pack has these items and more.





Scan the QR code to learn more about the stories behind the gifts.



Gift of Farmer Support

Help Fly Vets to Support Farmers

With just \$10, you can help MAF fly a team of Vets to remote Kenya, where a 4-day trip provides spiritual support for farmers and treatment for over 18,000 animals. Your donation covers the cost to MAF per 143 animals treated.



Gift of Sight

Fund a Life-Saving Flight to Save Sight

For just \$25, you can help fly a team of doctors and specialists to remote areas in Kenya to undertake eye health clinics. Your support can bring the gift of sight and transform lives in communities that would otherwise go without access to critical eye care.



Gift of Hope

Enable People to Hear About God's Love in Their Own Language

Your gift can deliver a solar-powered audio Bible loaded with hours of Bible narration, perfectly suited for those who are unable to read.



Gift of Training

Support a New Generation of Aircraft Engineers

Without engineers, our planes can't fly. Support the vital work of MAF engineers by contributing to a training fund for new apprentices. Help reduce barriers to entry for aspiring licensed engineers, ensuring our planes continue to bring help, hope and healing to those in need.





Gift of Transformation

Deliver the Message of Jesus to Remote Communities

By donating a box of Bibles for MAF to deliver to people living in isolation, you help MAF bring God's Word to people who may never have had access to it, offering lifechanging spiritual encouragement.



Gift of Renewal

Invest in the Future of MAF

Funding a new plane for MAF is part of a global initiative, which aims to modernise our current fleet, to ensure we can meet the challenges of serving remote communities into the future. Join a growing group of friends supporting this bold plan.



Gift of Outreach

Enable Missionary Outreach

MAF enables the Gospel of Jesus Christ to reach the far corners of the earth. By funding a flight for outreach, you will enable the safety of missionaries as they share and translate the gospel, plant churches, train pastors and deliver Bibles. MAF flights significantly contribute to the safety and sustainability of missions outreach.



Gift of Education

Fund a Ticket for a Student on Arnhem Land's "Flying School Bus"

Access to education is challenging for Indigenous children in East Arnhem Land, where rough, remote roads can make travel nearly impossible. MAF flights provide a vital lifeline, enabling students to reach school and receive an education, while staying close to their families.



Where Most Needed

Support MAF's "Where Most Needed" fund to help us address urgent and evolving needs across our global programmes. Your donation ensures we can respond effectively to the greatest challenges and make a significant impact where it's needed most.



Gift of Light

Help a Mother Give Birth Safely

MAF Technologies in Papua New Guinea are equipping rural "Mama's Waiting Huts" with solar lighting, creating safe spaces for pregnant women in remote areas. This lighting ensures care during labour, reduces risks, and stabilises both mother and baby before they return home. Give the gift of light this Christmas.



Gift of Healing

Fund a Life-Saving Medevac

Just \$400 covers the cost of a medevac in Timor-Leste, where MAF is the sole operator flying to most district airstrips and providing essential medevac flights. With our team evacuating a patient every one to two days, the need for support is urgent and ongoing.



Gift of Flight

Your Gift Can Save 10 Lives

When the equivalent of one drum of fuel (just \$500) gets poured into our aircraft, we are fuelled for 200 minutes of flying. For isolated communities, these flights replace days of travel on foot and save many lives.





Gift of Aircraft Parts

Help Keep the Planes Flying

Help our team in Mareeba keep our planes in the air. Rough airstrips and high flight times take a toll on our aircraft. Your gift can help replace regularly consumed items like air and fuel filters, tyres, or batteries; ensuring our planes are ready to fly at a moment's notice.



Gift of Service

Enable our Team to Provide Loving Support at Critical Times

Support the "Closing the Loop" project in Timor-Leste by enabling MAF to provide compassionate care and support for medevac patients. Your donation will help ensure patients and their families are flown home comfortably and with dignity after their hospital treatment.



Gift of Partnership

MAF New Zealand has 13 families, working in remote regions globally, each with unique needs tied to their specific roles and programmes. This Christmas, give the gift of love and care to support these amazing families where they serve.



Gift of Safety

Sponsor an Evacuation Flight for a Victim of Domestic Violence

MAF in Arnhem Land has a vital partnership with Crisis Accommodation Gove and local Women's Shelters to offer emergency evacuation for victims of domestic violence in remote communities. Our aircraft can cut travel time from 12 hours by road to just 20-60 minutes, providing crucial, timely support and safe escape from danger.



Ways to give



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