



2017 Annual Report

DESTINY RESCUE USA Inc.



From the Founder

Thank you for your continued support! Because of you and your commitment to defend children around the world, Destiny Rescue has brought freedom and healing to more kids and youth than ever before! In fact, we had another record-setting year with 620 precious lives set free. But that's not all.

We also improved our aftercare programs by providing more options for children and their families. This allowed them to choose the very best solution for their unique family situation. That being said, I'm happy to announce that our success rate of keeping kids out of the sex industry once rescued went from 70% in 2016 to 80% in 2017. More lives rescued.

More lives restored, and more families empowered. Yes, what a year for the books! Thank you for being part of our team. Together, we will continue to push back darkness in 2018, pulling more children than ever into the light so that they can live out their God-given destinies free of exploitation.

I am grateful to be on this important mission with each of you.

Be Blessed,



Tony Kirwan

Founder & President
Destiny Rescue International



From the CEO



Thanks to you, our faithful partners, and the grace of God, 2017 was a record breaking year!

Together, “we” were able to rescue 620 children out of the sex trade and find them safe beds. One key to our success was the fact that our relationships with the anti-trafficking police grew stronger, resulting in 12 major raids. In the wake of raids come arrests and jail time, which bring a new sense of fear for the traffickers and hope for justice and freedom for the vulnerable.

Ninety-three percent of those rescued were girls. The average age was 15. The youngest was a 4 year old little girl. “We” get to change that for her!

Perhaps the best news is that we are seeing 80% of the kids we rescue stay free — choosing their new destinies. I hope you take a few quiet moments to consider the significance of your generosity...imagine her smile.

Whether you inspire a Rescue Sunday at your church to help Rescue a Child, become a Rescue Partner, join us on a Team Trip to experience the front lines of our work, or host an annual Jewelry Party, you make this possible. By God’s grace we are changing destinies!

For the King and the kids,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kirk Falconer'.

KIRK FALCONER

CEO, Destiny Rescue USA



620 Individual Rescues

WERE MADE POSSIBLE IN 2017

We are excited to share with you the forward progress in our mission that you helped make possible in 2017.

620 young lives have been rescued during the 2017 year, many new vocational and education opportunities were pursued as girls become empowered towards their true destinies.

Over 346 children were protected from exploitation through our prevention programs and we have more supporters than ever before using their voices to speak up for these children!



966

CHILDREN
CARED FOR

Through your generosity, the lives of 966 children were affected through both prevention and rescue programs throughout the 2017 year.



80%

AFTERCARE
SUCCESS RATE

4 out of 5 girls that entered our care
stayed free from the sex trade.
Our highest rate since DR's inception
16 years ago.





Our Projects

Destiny Rescue
has 6 Project Nations
where we are focusing our efforts
to see children set free!

IN FOCUS

Thailand

2017 Rescues

158

Children cared for

248

Aftercare locations

3

STORIES OF HOPE

Moey's Story

Moey came to Thailand's Promise home after running away from her village home where she suffered emotional abuse in her relationship with her mother.

No longer being able to handle the strain her relationship with her mother caused, Moey decided to run away and find work in a city bar. It was this bar where one of our rescue agents found Moey. She had suffered greatly after having fled from one terrible situation at home to another at work, which was causing her to live in a state of high alert and fear.

After arriving into the care of our aftercare teams, Moey faced yet another challenge. She did not have any identification and as a result became stateless within her own country. This is a big problem in Thailand with over four hundred thousand nationals without the identification required to be declared citizens and gain access to government support, education, and be able to work legally in-country.

However, since coming into Destiny Rescue, Moey's caseworker was able to guide her through the process of applying for citizenship, a process unfamiliar and too expensive for many Thai families to navigate through without support.

Moey now has full citizenship after two years of patiently waiting and trusting her caseworker through the process. She now has access to medical support, education, and a full range of employment opportunities.

Moey is flourishing despite the challenges life has thrown her way and is a worship leader in her church. She has also recently become part of a team who travel to various villages to share the gospel message, and dreams of being a tour guide in the future. With the help of Moey's house parents she has also been able to re-establish relationships with members of her family.

*Name changed to protect identity



IN FOCUS

Cambodia



2017 Rescues

107

Children cared for

248

Aftercare locations

3



STORIES OF HOPE

Amphone's Story

Amphone has come from a family in a small village that has struggled to meet her basic needs of healthy meals and a place to live safely in.

As a result, Amphone ventured into the city at the young age of 13 to find a job that would help support herself and her family.

Unfortunately, Amphone found herself in a workplace that exploited her lack of skills and desperation to find a job by forcing her to work in the darkness of sexual slavery. They promise her a wage she never received and a safe home that she never got to live in. This is, unfortunately, a very common story that many of our girls have had to endure.

Thankfully with the help of our rescue team, Amphone was able to escape this nightmare and come into a home filled with love and a safe place to rest. She has been with us for eight months now and is making the most of her new environment. Taking on new challenges every day and overcoming them.

Amphone graduated the first phase of our program in November last year and has since become a part of our internship program. Amphone is now learning new skills in the hospitality industry and loves sharing her experiences with anyone who will listen!

Her internship supervisors have been so impressed with her willingness to learn and work hard that they have offered her full-time employment at the end of her internship. This was great news for all of us!

Amphone has not only overcome the challenges her past created, but she has excelled in the opportunities provided for her and now has an exciting future ahead of her.

We have no doubt that Amphone will continue to move forward in leaps and bounds!

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IN FOCUS

Philippines

2017 Rescues

122

Children cared for

114

Rescue locations

1





IN FOCUS

Undisclosed Location

2017 Rescues

57

Children cared for

57

Aftercare locations

2

*for reasons of political sensitivity & security reasons,
we don't name this country publicly

IN FOCUS

India

2017 Rescues

163

Children cared for

120

Aftercare locations

1





IN FOCUS

Dominican Republic

2017 Rescues

13

Children cared for

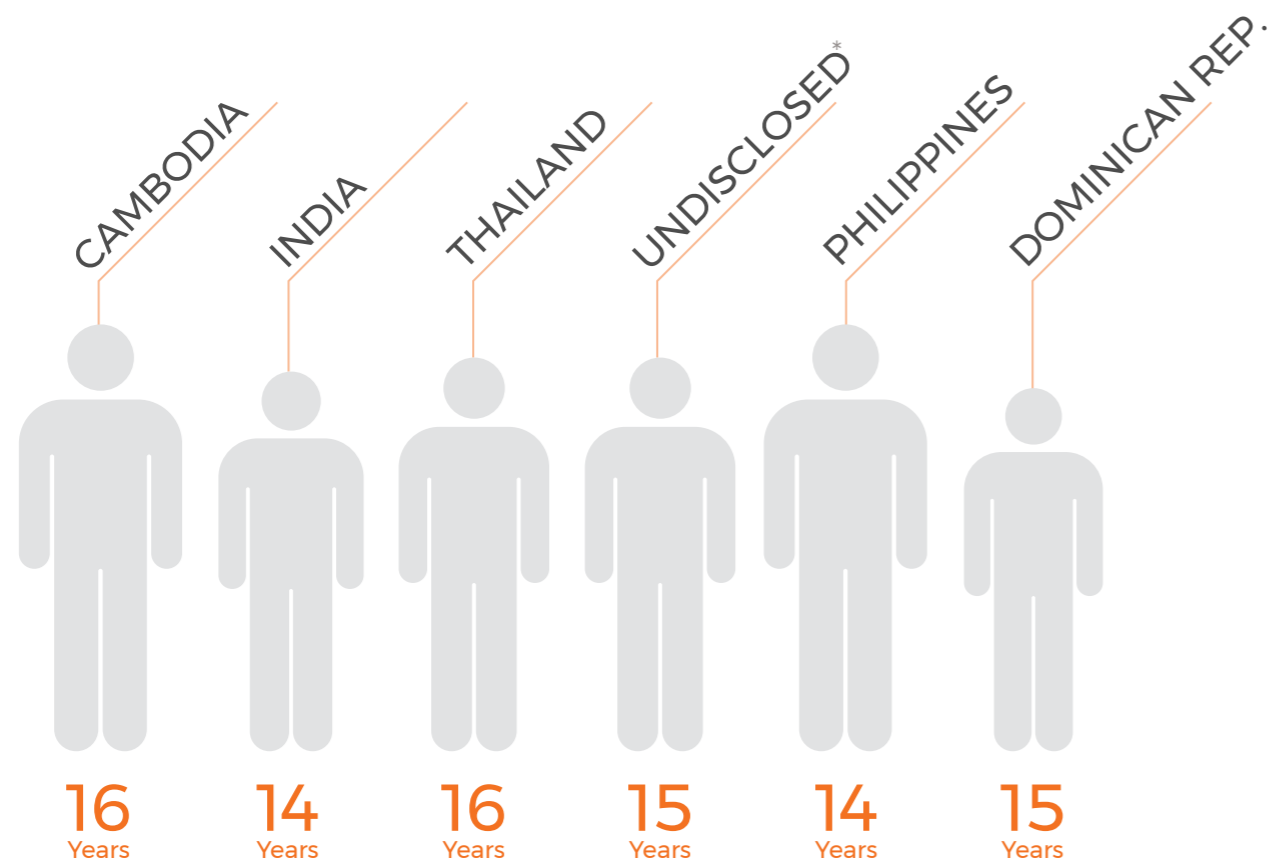
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Aftercare locations

1

Demographics

OF RESCUED CHILDREN

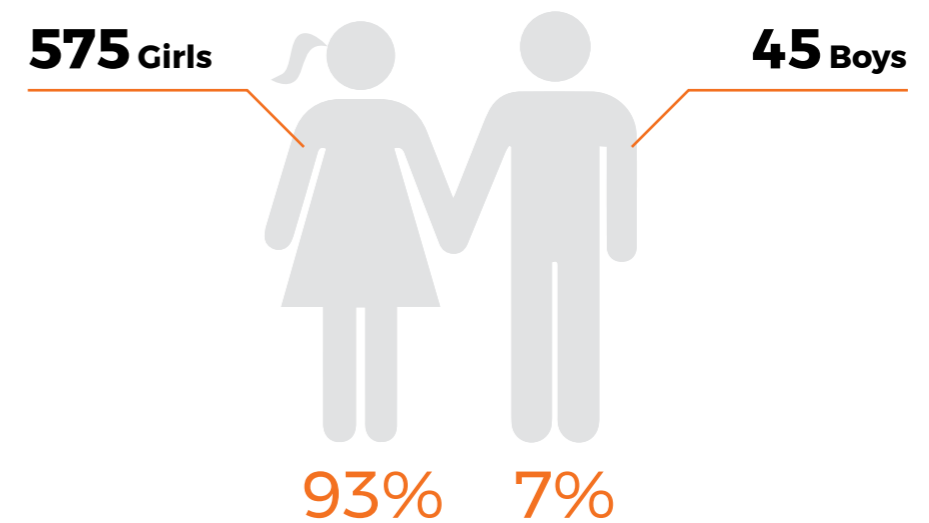


Average age of rescued children by country.

This year, the youngest child we rescued was a mere 4 years old. All children are given age-appropriate care upon entering our aftercare programs.

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Average Age 15



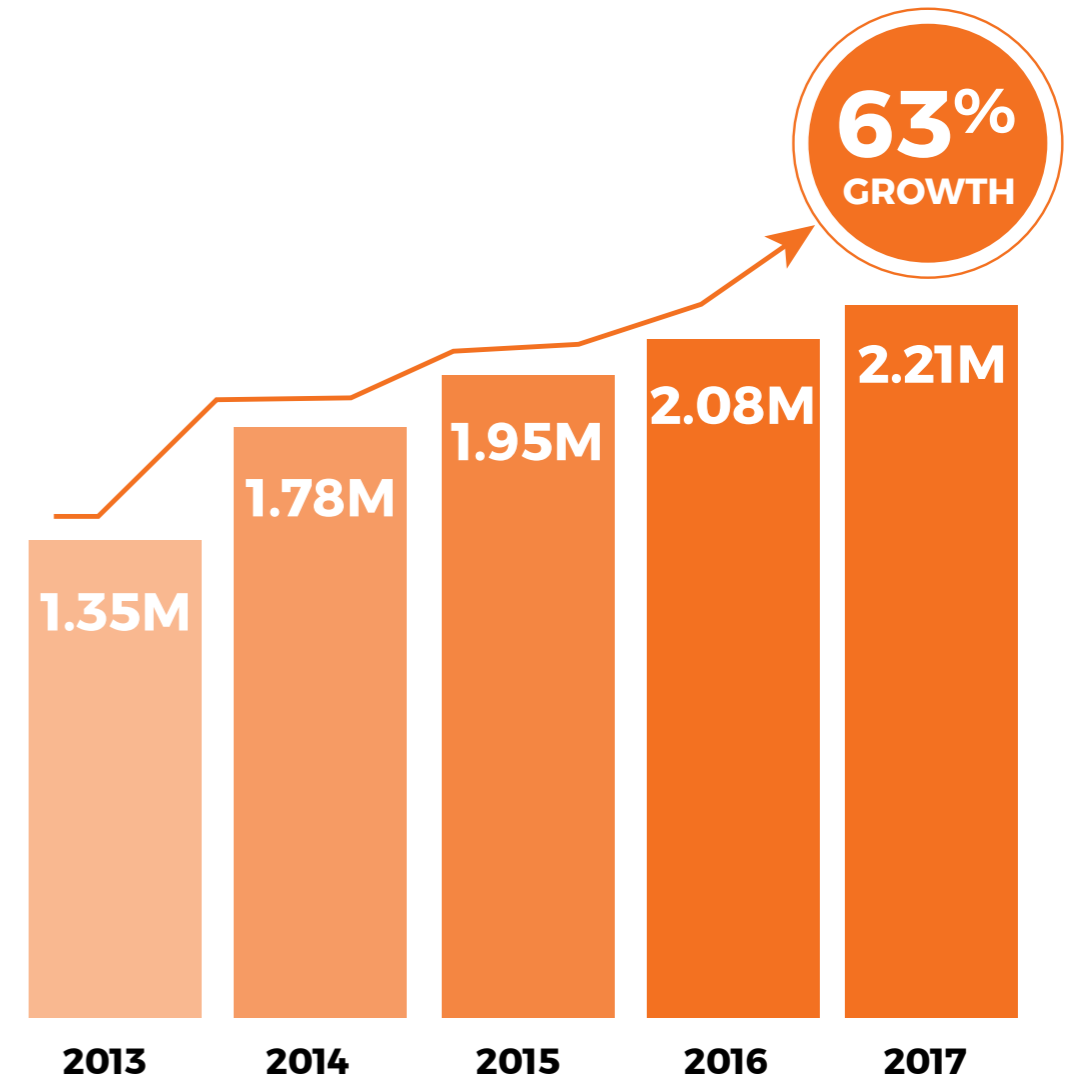
In 2017, 45 boys were rescued.

While the majority of the children we rescue are girls, Destiny Rescue's efforts bring boys to freedom as well.

Financials



Because of your faithful generosity, Destiny Rescue USA, INC. is celebrating 63% growth in dollars spent on program services over 5 years.



Financials



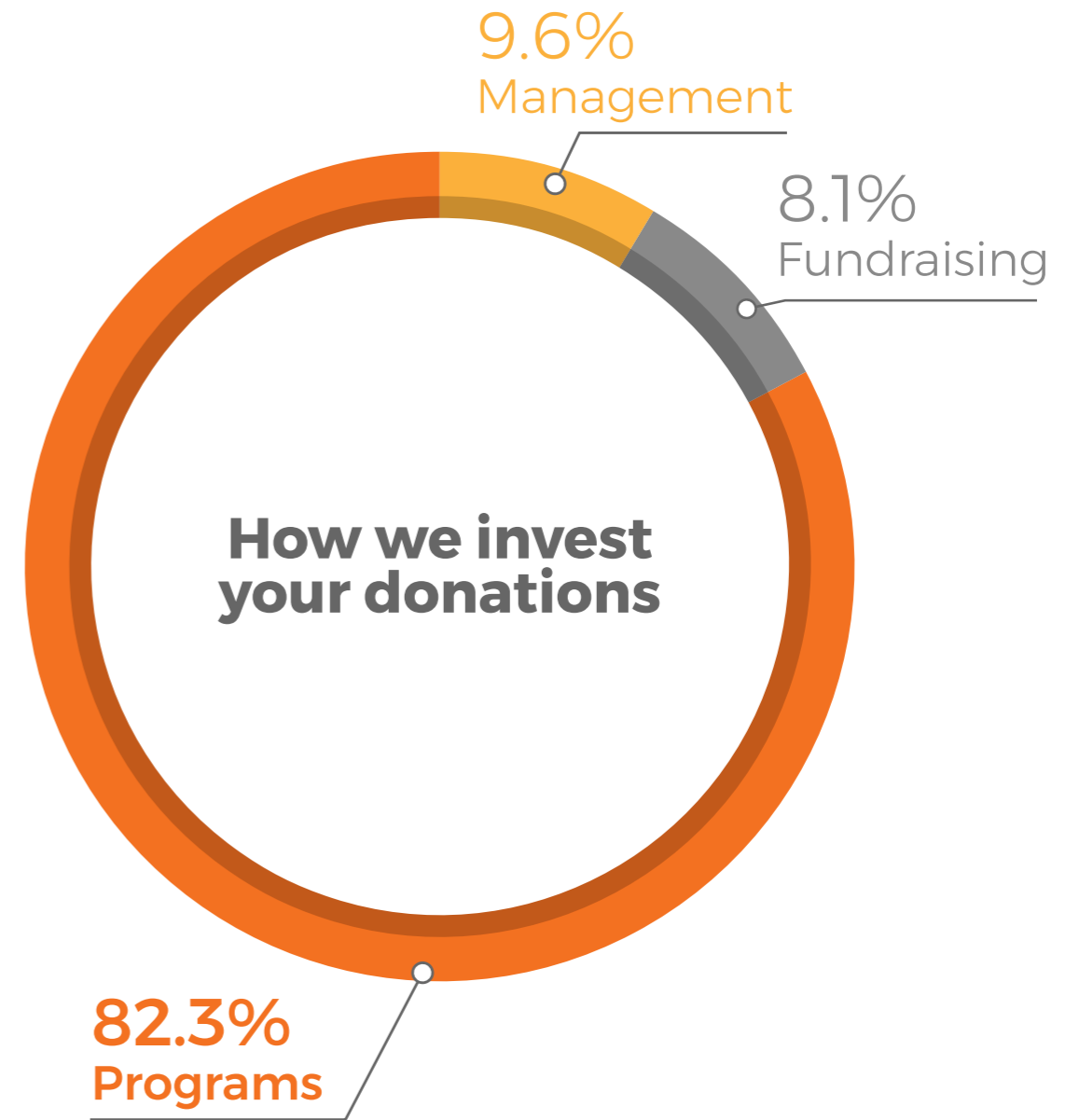
We recognize that our donors and partners are trusting us to effectively and efficiently help the children we defend. In addition, it is humbling to know that the children are depending on us to be smart with money.

With this in mind, we are committed to investing wisely, not only in the children we are fighting for, but also in reliable systems, development experts, efficient fundraising methods, and robust administration systems that will help us rescue and restore more kids than ever before in the years ahead. We are prayerfully building the right foundation for tomorrow's rescues.

We are committed to follow the seven standards of responsible stewardship established by the ECFA. We intend to be an open book. We expect to be held accountable.



INTEGRITY + STEWARDSHIP



Over the last 3 years, 82.3% of every dollar we spent was used for programs that benefit the children we defend.

DESTINY RESCUE USA INC.

Our Team

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