



PRESS RELEASE

As an active member of ZukunftsKinder Nepal e.V, I (Dina Nath Amgain) and my team (Avishek Rijal and Prakash Khadka along with some volunteer friends) have worked actively in Nepal since our country faced the massive earthquake on 25th April, 2015.

The disaster continued to hit us with powerful aftershocks even till today with epicenter in different locations of Nepal. Thousands of people died, hundreds missing and millions of Nepalese population had been affected by the tragic Natural disaster. We coordinated with ZukunftsKinder Nepal e.V immediately after the earthquake and responded to the situation. A large proportion of Nepal's population was affected badly and help was essential everywhere, mostly in highly affected 18 districts.

We formed a small team including some volunteering friends and responded quickly in the situation. We took motorbikes and roamed around Kathmandu and neighboring districts specially the villages. The villages were mostly devastated in many places leaving debris everywhere. Nationwide relief and rescue operation was going on in highly destroyed areas.

To help cope with the possible diseases outbreak after the earthquake, we headed towards Gorkha and Dhading on the first day of our relief campaign. We distributed packets of basic essential medicinal help for fever, diarrhoea and dysentery and some food supplies in two districts. We were highly motivated and supported further by our friends and we could supply earthquake relief packages of rice sacks, makeshift tents, cooking oil, salt, sugar, sanitation packages in 12 different villages of 8 districts. We selected villages that could be accessed by us even through dangerous off-roads and were completely devastated by the earthquake. We helped above 1000 households who were affected directly by the earthquake on our first phase of instant relief supply campaign. Other representatives from Zuki, Peshala in Shreechaur and (Bipana & Dhanesh) in Dolakha are also active in basic relief distribution in their areas.

Through our journey of supplying basic relief in these villages our camera viewfinder captured real situation of earthquake hit areas. We saw broken homes, people living in distress, fear and pain of losing loved ones. The journey had helped our team to better understand the situation. Our country needs help and support in this hour of tragedy. After completion of basic relief campaign, villages need help in making shelter good enough for upcoming monsoon.

Our team as representatives of ZukunftsKinder Nepal e.V, are also self-motivated group willing to volunteer on any such missions of helping earthquake victims in Nepal with coordination of other organizations.

Dina Nath Amgain and Team

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Photo glimpses of our Primary Relief Campaign



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Woman in front of Debris, Dhading



Devastated Houses.. Kavre



Relief distribution-Kavre



Medical Camp- Gorkha

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Simphupalchowk Relief



Makeshift Tents- Kavre



Clearing the path- Nuwakot