

The background of the entire page is a photograph showing a close-up of hands working on a sewing project. One hand is holding a pair of scissors, cutting a piece of fabric with a leopard print pattern. Another hand is holding a piece of red fabric. The fabric is being sewn onto a wooden surface. The image is slightly blurred, giving it a soft, artistic feel.

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EMPOWERING PEOPLE TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES

THE LIFE TRUST EMPOWERMENT CAMPUS
AND TAILORING TRAINING CENTER

EMPOWERMENT

The goal of Life Trust Empowerment is to help people develop practical skills that will enable them to shape their own future.



Most of our sponsored children's families live in the surrounding compounds of Kabwe and live mainly off subsistence farming. Unemployment is especially high in these areas and only few people have a job and a contract. Many earn their money as piece-workers and have virtually no chance of receiving formal vocational training and a set monthly income.

With the newly developed Empowerment projects, Life Trust is aiming at giving young adults in the compounds of Kabwe a chance to receive practical, vocational training. We have recently built a tailoring building and teaching plots to train young men and women in relevant crafts and agriculture. The skills acquired there, along with business courses, will be useful for them to earn an income for themselves and their families.



The tailoring building will soon house a workshop for a year-long tailoring course, that includes practical teaching, creative sessions, character training and micro-entrepreneurship elements. We strive to offer a holistic training program that will support the youths to make their own steps towards greater self-esteem and responsibility. Thus, we encourage and empower them to create a better future for themselves.



CREATING OPPORTUNITES

CHANGING LIVES

To make this vision come true, we are looking for partners that will join us in the pursuit of investing into young lives in Zambia.

One of our greatest challenges is currently the power supply on site. Loadsharing causes us to have power cuts for many hours each day. This is why we want to implement a high-performance solar system, which will enable us to work sustainably and independently of the energy crisis Zambia is currently facing.

Furniture as well as sewing machines are also needed in the workshop.



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Your donation to Life Trust Empowerment supports the vocational training of youths in the compounds of Kabwe and thus gives new hope and perspective for a better future.

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Life Trust is investing in the lives of vulnerable people in Zambia since over 20 years. We are aiming at encouraging and empowering them to enter into an independent, healthy and successful future through a holistic education. We strive to provide a faith-based, individual and sophisticated education for especially vulnerable children and orphans. This dream has already become true at the Life Trust School Waya, where we can offer sponsorships to almost 400 children, whose families otherwise probably could not afford to pay for school fees.

But Life Trust also runs other programs, such as the Royal Rangers and Project Jonathan, which is another sponsorship program for talented youths that allows them to complete their secondary education and even attend university.

Working cross-culturally as a German-Zambian organisation, we strive to value, collaborate and learn from each other. We work closely with the local communities and authorities to facilitate change in the compounds of Kabwe, Zambias second biggest city and capital of the central district.

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