



### **A Thank You Note from the President of Maranatha**

My name is Don Noble, and I'm the president of Maranatha Volunteers International. Thank you so much for your support this school year as we worked on the campus of the Khunti Adventist School in India. The money you and your classmates raised helped us construct a new 12-classroom school building on that campus!

I first visited India in 1985. I was fascinated by the interesting culture there. The first thing I noticed was how many people lived there—nearly one billion! They dressed different and ate interesting food. They also didn't know about Jesus. Most Indians are not Christian and don't know about God's love for them.

Because of that, I sensed that God was calling Maranatha to help the Christians in India share Jesus with their communities. So Maranatha first started working in India in 1989 and with God's help we have constructed more than 2,000 buildings in that country. The Khunti school building is the latest one.

When the Khunti building was finished, my wife Laura and I traveled to India for a special dedication ceremony. Now, I've been to a lot of dedication ceremonies, so you would think that I'd be used to them. But when I saw how excited the children were at Khunti, it made an impression on me. It felt great knowing that these kids now have bright, new classrooms to learn in. And with the extra space, the school can accept more students who will learn about Jesus. Praise the Lord!

The support you've shown Maranatha this year is amazing because it will actually change the lives of students, teachers, and parents at the Khunti school for years to come. Can you imagine how many more people will learn about God's love because of this new building? Thank you for being a part of this mission!

As we finish this Kids for Classrooms school year, I want to let you know that your involvement with Maranatha doesn't have to end. Each year we have more than 2,200 volunteers serve on projects around the world, and we'd love for you to be one of them. Ask your family if they would join you on one of our upcoming projects.

Thank you again for your support and we'll see you in the mission field soon!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Don Noble".

Don Noble  
President