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# THANK YOU

As we conclude this impactful Ramadan season, I am filled with gratitude for your generous support and compassion not just this past month, but throughout the entire year.

The past year has brought forth numerous challenges, including natural disasters, conflicts, and other crises affecting our Ummah worldwide. In these trying times, it is often the most vulnerable individuals and families who face the greatest hardships, struggling to access basic necessities and support.

Your support has been instrumental in providing essential aid and relief to those in need. Through your contributions, we have been able to reach and positively impact the lives of over a million people spanning across 16 countries this Ramadan alone. Your generosity has brought hope and tangible assistance to communities facing adversity.

Your commitment to helping others goes beyond mere donations; it reflects a deep sense of empathy and care for those who are less fortunate. We are dedicated to ensuring that your support reaches those who need it most, and your trust in us fuels our determination to make a difference.

Witnessing the transformation and improvement in the lives of individuals and families affected by your kindness is truly heartening. Your contributions have helped address urgent needs, alleviate suffering, and foster long-term positive change.

As we express our gratitude, we also pray that your efforts are rewarded abundantly. May you continue to be a source of hope and compassion, making a meaningful impact on the lives of others. Your partnership in our mission is invaluable, and we are deeply thankful for your continued support and generosity.

Thank you for believing in our cause and standing with us as we work towards creating a better and brighter future for our Ummah across the globe. Thank you for a generous Ramadan. Your generosity makes us proud to serve this Ummah.

## JAZAKUM ALLAH KHAYR

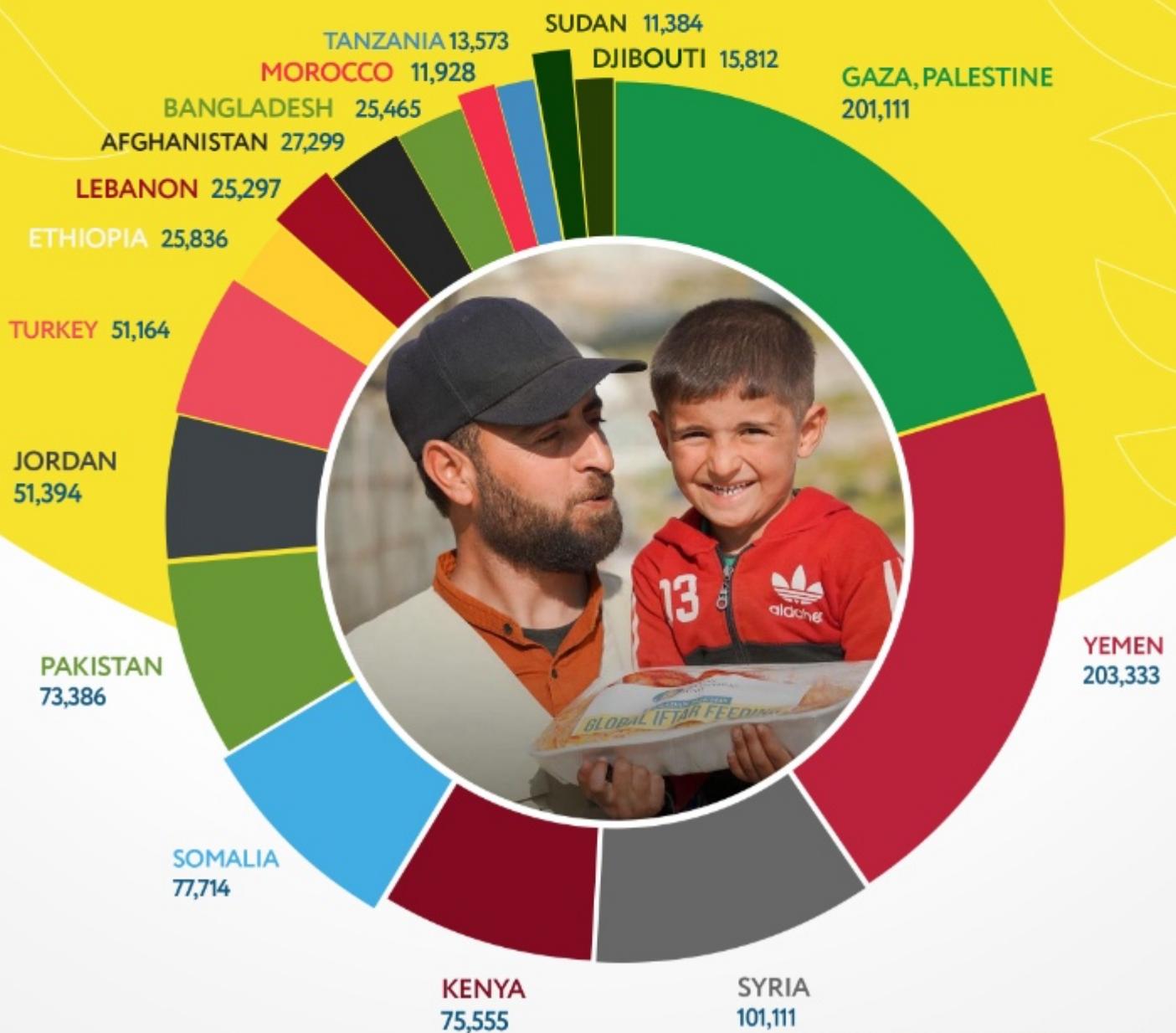


**Sheikh Abdirahman Kariye**  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

# COUNTRIES SERVED

## 16 COUNTRIES

1 Million People Were Sustained This Ramadan Because of You



ONE UMMAH  
ONE PLATE

## Global Iftar Feeding Program





This Ramadan, with your support, over one million beneficiaries had the sustenance they needed to break their iftar across 16 countries. Your contributions brought smiles and nourishment during this blessed month. Through this effort, we also distributed your Zakat al-Fitr, Fidyah, and Kaffara payments in the form of food supplies to the poorest of the poor.

## What's Inside a Food Pack?

Each food pack holds around 56.77 kg pounds of food on average, designed to provide essentials to a family of 5-7 people for one month. Food items vary according to regional cuisines and are purchased through local markets to support local livelihoods, the economy, and ensure high-quality products. Each food pack usually contains:



How this looks across each country differs. In some countries, this means increasing the number of food items so families receive a diverse range of culturally-inclusive food to cook meals out of. For others, they are simply increasing the weight of each food item provided in the packs.

Food packs contain more food and higher quality items:

Each food basket contains 56.77 kg of food and feeds a family of 5 – 7 people.





## COUNTRIES SERVED

Somalia, Kenya, Morocco, Jordan, Palestine, Yemen, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Lebanon, Afghanistan, Syria, Turkey (Syrian Refugees), Ethiopia, Djibouti, Tanzania, and Sudan

1 Million+ People

This initiative has reached and positively impacted 1 million people, providing essential food supplies during a critical time and ensuring that families have the nourishment they need to observe Ramadan and beyond. Thank you for your generosity and support in making this possible.





📍 SOMALIA



📍 KENYA



📍 MOROCCO



📍 JORDAN (SYRIAN AND PALESTINIAN REFUGEES)



📍 PALESTINE



📍 YEMEN



PAKISTAN



BANGLADESH



LEBANON



AFGHANISTAN



SYRIA



TURKEY (SYRIAN REFUGEES)



ETHIOPIA



SUDAN



IFSTAR SMILES  
SOMALIA



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GAZA



IFSTAR SMILES  
AFGHANISTAN



IFSTAR SMILES  
YEMEN

# Ramadan In Gaza

## Emergency Relief

"Whoever relieves the hardship of a believer in this world, Allah will relieve their hardship on the Day of Resurrection. Whoever helps ease one in difficulty, Allah will make it easy for them in this world and in the Hereafter..."

— P R O P H E T M U H A M M A D ﷺ  
( M U S L I M )





This Ramadan brought forth unique challenges for the ummah, with the people of Gaza weighing heavily on the hearts and minds of Muslims worldwide. Your generous support for Gaza during this holy month has been a beacon of hope amidst these challenging times.



## Gaza Relief During Ramadan

### Daily Iftar Meals in Gaza

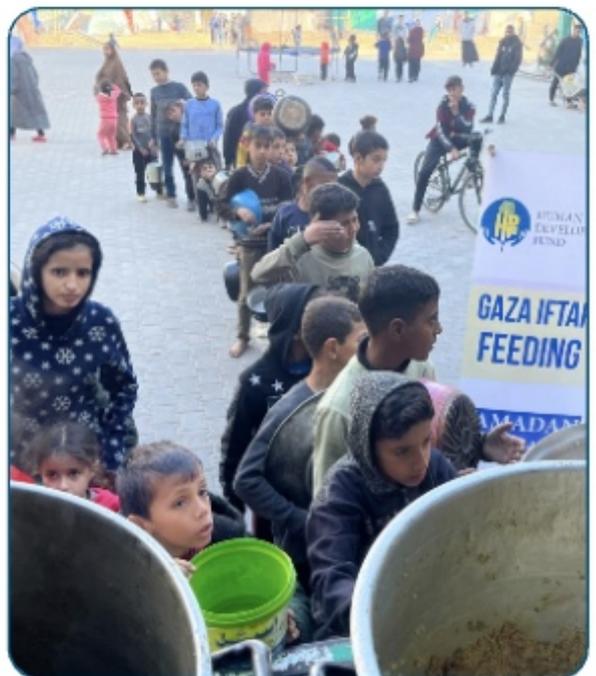
Daily Number of Beneficiaries: 2,240+  
Total: Over 70,000+ hot meals distributed in Gaza in total throughout Ramadan



Your dedication ensured that they experienced a better Ramadan, where they had hot meals to break their fasts with. Your compassion and commitment have made a tangible difference in the lives of those enduring unimaginable hardships. Thank you for standing in solidarity with Gaza and for your compassionate support during this critical period.

## Your Contribution

Your support directly impacted families affected by the ongoing crisis, providing them with essential sustenance and comfort during these tumultuous times marked by conflict and turmoil.



# Care For Orphans

"I and the one who looks after an orphan shall be in Paradise like these two' – and he raised his index finger and the one next to it, holding them together, barely separate"

- PROPHET MUHAMMAD ﷺ  
(BUKHARI)



# ORPHANS SUPPORTED

This Ramadan 1000+ Orphans Of This Ummah Were Sponsored Because of You



**PAKISTAN**  
100 orphaned children supported

**JORDAN**  
100 orphaned children supported

**KENYA**  
300 orphaned children supported

**GAZA**  
100 orphaned children supported

**SOMALIA**  
100 orphaned children supported

**YEMEN**  
200 orphaned children supported

Your contributions have made a lasting impact on the lives of these vulnerable children, providing them with essential support and the adequate opportunities every child deserves. Thank you for your generosity and commitment to making a positive difference for this Ummah.

This Ramadan, your generous donations provided support to over **1000 orphans**, significantly impacting their lives through our comprehensive Global Sponsorship Program.



## Education

We ensured access to quality education for orphaned children by enrolling them in schools, providing necessary school supplies, and supporting their involvement in extracurricular activities. Additionally, we implemented tutoring or mentoring programs to address academic challenges and foster educational achievement. Collaborating with local schools and educational institutions has further enriched learning opportunities for these children.



## Health

Our efforts included providing annual health screenings and vaccinations to ensure the overall well-being of orphaned children. We also addressed nutritional needs by providing balanced meals and promoting healthy eating habits. Additionally, we provided assistive devices to enhance their quality of life.





## Food, Recreation, & Celebrations

We ensured that orphaned children received regular and nutritious meals to meet their dietary needs. We also established recreational activities and sports programs to promote physical fitness and overall well-being. Special occasions such as Eid were made memorable with gifts, Qurbani meat, and engaging activities.



## Psychological and Emotional Well-being

Recognizing the importance of mental health, we provided counseling services to address the psychological and emotional challenges faced by orphaned children. We also implemented activities aimed at boosting their self-esteem, confidence, and sense of belonging within their communities.



# Local Ramadan Collaborations

Strengthening Communities



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## Bringing Communities Together Ramadan Trivia Game

From coast to coast, communities rallied with us to support the Ramadan Trivia Game presented by HDF x TDS, enriching lives and combating hunger in the spirit of compassion! For those unable to contribute directly to iftar meals, there was another way to make a difference. The Ramadan Trivia Game by HDF helped bolster knowledge while spreading kindness! We are proud to be the first organization to provide such an innovative solution for those who wanted to donate but didn't have the means to do so directly. For every 1,000 tokens earned, we committed to providing one meal through our One Ummah, One Plate Ramadan Global Feeding Program.





# Water for Tomorrow

## Ramadan Impact

Prophet Muhammad ﷺ, was asked, "Which charity is best?" He replied, "[Providing] water"

( A B U D A W U D )



# Gaza Water Tanks

Over Ramadan, your support made a significant impact by sponsoring more than **200,000+** liters of water for displaced families in Gaza. These water tanks have provided essential access to clean water, a fundamental need for families facing displacement and hardship.

 **200,000+**  
Liters Of Water Provided



# Water Wells in East Africa

Ten water wells were sponsored in Kenya and Somalia, ensuring access to clean and safe water for communities in need. These wells not only address immediate water scarcity but also contribute to long-term sustainable water solutions in the region.

# Water Tanks in Jordan (Syrian Refugees)

Your generosity extended to sponsoring more than **10 water tanks** for Syrian refugees in Jordan. These water tanks have played a vital role in providing reliable access to clean water for refugee communities, offering a lifeline in challenging circumstances.

 **10+** Water Tanks Sponsored



Your contributions have made a tangible difference in improving water accessibility and sustainability for communities facing adversity. Thank you for your compassionate support and commitment to ensuring a better tomorrow for those in need.

# Ramadan Impact

## Scholarship Fund



During Ramadan, our Scholarship Fund generously sponsors the higher education of 2000 underprivileged students annually at the Islamic University of Kenya (IUK), prioritizing those eligible for Zakat.

Thanks to the support provided by you, students can pursue their education without the burden of financial constraints. This act of generosity not only empowers students to excel academically but also fosters a sense of gratitude and responsibility towards their education and community.



The impact of this initiative extends beyond academics. It nurtures ethical leaders who contribute positively to society, fosters unity and collaboration among students, and plays a vital role in the socio-economic development of the region through well-educated graduates entering the workforce.

As donors contribute during Ramadan, they not only support students in their educational journey but also partake in a noble endeavor with immense spiritual rewards. The legacy of this program goes beyond the university campus, leaving a lasting positive impact on individuals, the university, and the broader community, in line with the spirit of generosity and compassion central to Ramadan.

By facilitating access to quality education, the scholarship program contributes to a more diverse and enriched academic environment at IUK. Beneficiaries experience improved academic performance and are able to engage actively in extracurricular activities, research, and community service, embodying a holistic approach to education.



# Zakat Al-Fitr

## Fulfilling Obligations, Nourishing Lives



Zakat al-Fitr, also known as Fitrana, stands as a charitable pillar during Ramadan, obligating every Muslim meeting the wealth threshold (nisaab) to extend this donation before Eid al-Fitr prayers. Its essence lies in purifying one's fasts and ensuring the joyous Eid celebration includes all.



Traditionally given in food staples equal to a day's meals for one person, Zakat al-Fitr now often takes monetary forms. Organizations utilize these funds to procure and distribute food essentials and vital aid to those in need, amplifying its impact far beyond mere sustenance.



## Consider the tangible impact:

 <p><b>PAKISTAN</b> Provided food parcels to 200 families, including rice, canned beans, oil, sugar, and flour.</p>	 <p><b>JORDAN</b> Delivered food packages to 100 families comprising rice, canned beans, oil, sugar, and flour.</p>	 <p><b>KENYA</b> Distributed 114 bags of rice (25kg each) as Zakat al-Fitr assistance.</p>	 <p><b>GAZA</b> Distributed food parcels with ready-to-eat items, served hot meals to thousands daily at shelters, and arranged for drinking water delivery in 5,000-liter tanks.</p>

These efforts not only meet religious obligations but also resonate as vital nourishment, fostering solidarity and community care, especially during times of celebration like Eid.

# Eid With HDF



Eid Al-Fitr, the festival marking the end of Ramadan, is a time of joy, gratitude, and generosity for Muslims worldwide. One of the cherished traditions during Eid is the exchange of gifts, especially to bring happiness to those less fortunate. Recognizing the significance of this tradition and the importance of spreading joy, HDF has taken an active role in fulfilling this beautiful Sunnah.



## Eid Gift Distribution in Dire Dawa, Ethiopia:

In line with our commitment to serving communities, HDF organized Eid gift distributions for **280+ orphans** in Dire Dawa, Ethiopia. These gifts not only bring smiles to their faces but also remind them that they are cherished members of our global family.



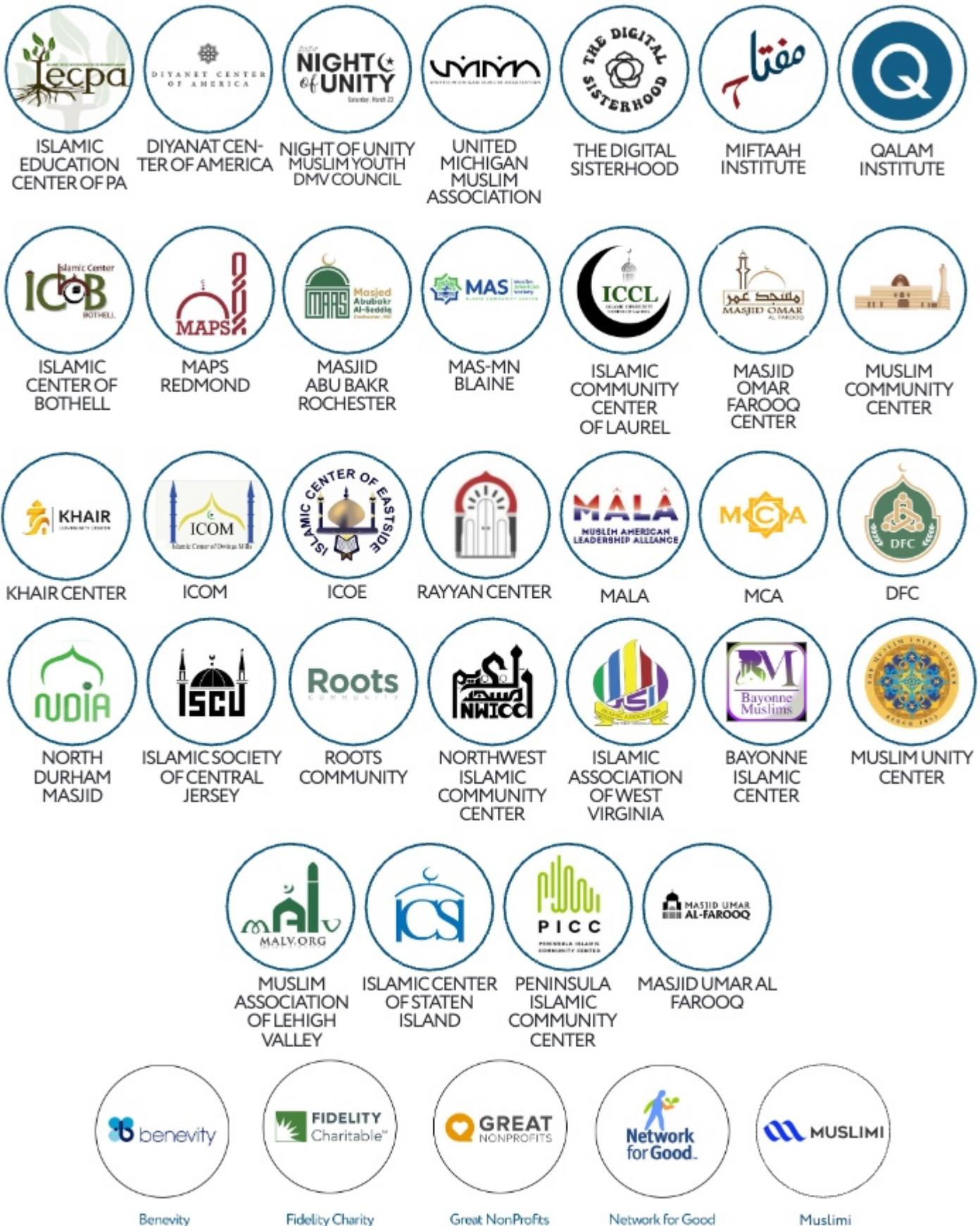
## Support for Yemeni Orphans:

The ongoing crisis in Yemen has affected countless lives, especially those of orphaned children. HDF donors have played a crucial role by providing Eid gifts to **250+ orphans** in Yemen, ensuring that they too can experience the joy and warmth of Eid celebrations despite their challenging circumstances.

Through these initiatives, HDF continues to embody the spirit of compassion and unity, bringing communities together and making a meaningful impact in the lives of those in need. Your support and generosity have made these celebrations possible, spreading love and happiness during this special time.



During Ramadan, a month of unity and giving, we joined forces with impactful organizations across the US from Minnesota, Michigan, Illinois, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Texas, California, Washington, and West Virginia:



Through these collaborations, we empowered our communities, spreading knowledge, fostering unity, and ensuring that everyone had access to support and resources during this blessed month of Ramadan. Together, we made a meaningful impact, embodying the spirit of generosity and solidarity that defines Ramadan

# CONTACT US

WE'RE ALWAYS EAGER TO HEAR FROM YOU! SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS, COMMENTS, OR FEEDBACK WITH US. WHETHER YOU'RE A NEW ACQUAINTANCE OR AN OLD FRIEND, YOUR INPUT IS INVALUABLE TO US

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