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Global Orphan Project Receives Highest Rating for Financial Health and Transparency for Eight Consecutive Years

Kansas City, Mo. - The Global Orphan Project (GO Project) recently received a coveted 4/4-star rating for the 2020 fiscal year from [Charity Navigator](https://www.charitynavigator.org/), America's independent charity evaluator. Charity Navigator's highest rating indicates GO Project "exceeds industry standards and outperforms most charities in its Cause." This is the eighth consecutive year GO Project has maintained this rating, placing them among only six percent of charitable organizations in the United States who have achieved the same.

Charity Navigator helps charitable givers make intelligent giving decisions by providing in-depth, objective ratings and analysis of the financial health, accountability and transparency of America's largest charities. Receiving four out of a possible four stars indicates that GO Project adheres to good governance and other best practices that minimize the chance of unethical activities and consistently executes its mission in a fiscally responsible way.

"We're grateful for Charity Navigator's emphasis on transparency and accountability for nonprofits," said Trace Thurlby, GO Project president. "At GO Project, we view every donation as a gift that comes with both great opportunity and great responsibility. We answer both to God and to the donor community, as to how we invest their money to make a difference in the lives of children who need family."

Charity Navigator's rigorous evaluation methodology considers program expenses, relative to administrative and fundraising expenses, fundraising efficiency and liabilities. They also evaluate transparency performance, including information accessible on its Form 990, such as independent board members, audited financials, CEO salary, and a whistleblower policy, as well as information on their website, such as a donor privacy policy, key staff and audited financials.

One of the strongest financial distinguishers for GO Project comes in the form of its "100 percent commitment". A group of donors covers administrative and fundraising costs, so that 100% of public donations are directed to the ministry's programs serving orphaned and vulnerable children.

About The Global Orphan Project (GO Project)

The Global Orphan Project is a nonprofit organization headquartered in Kansas City, Missouri. Founded in 2004, GO Project exists to break the orphan cycle through the power of community, commerce, and the love of Jesus. We embrace a holistic model of Orphan Prevention, Orphan Care, and Orphan Transition that brings together the family, church, and community to care for vulnerable children along the entire spectrum. Focusing on one child at a time, we equip churches all over the world to provide sustainable, local, family-style care that is deeply rooted in compassion, hope, and the belief that every child deserves the chance to achieve their full potential. Learn more at www.goproject.org.

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