

Director:
Andy Lauer

Andy Lauer, a Hollywood director/ writer and Emmy-nominated actor, founded ReelAid (reelaid.org) to make the tools of film production available to organizations engaged in helping others, locally and

globally. His award-winning documentaries include The Tehuacan Project and The Hill That Chris Climbed: Gridiron Heroes Story. Intrigued by the work of Sahaya International, Andy began production of Sahaya - Going Beyond. He is grateful to Jeremy Irons and Enya, who shared their talents gratis, and to all who contributed. From his experience making the film, he recalls, "One day of shooting that will always stay with me was when we covered a group of students and teachers marching through the streets of their village to create AIDS awareness. Many of the kids had lost parents to HIV. Onlookers weren't kind but the kids were bold and held their heads high." He is honored to tell their story.

Sahaya International, an all-volunteer nonprofit organization, is based in Davis, California. We give our time and resources to support healthcare, education, environmental and socio-economic programs in developing countries. We currently support grassroots organizations in India, Kenya, Vietnam and the Philippines. Sahaya means "help" in Sanskrit. Thanks to our dedicated volunteers and donors, our achievements include more than 300 child sponsorships, construction of 3 schools, and many education and treatment programs of HIV/ AIDS. We also focus on prevention of dengue fever, a home-building program, and empowerment through vocational training and entrepreneurship. Our journey began with a single drop, and our efforts continue... will you join us?

A big THANK YOU to all our donors and volunteers. You are the core of Sahaya.

An act of kindness inspires. Be a drop that creates a ripple.



Different ways how you can create a ripple:

- 1. *Get informed*: visit www.sahaya.org to learn more about Sahaya's programs, and share with your friends.
- 2. *Host a screening* of "Sahaya Going Beyond" for your friends and relatives.
- 3. **Dedicate a special occasion** (birthday, anniversary, a loved one...) to Sahaya International. It's easy to create a fundraising page. Go to www.sahaya.org to get started.
- 4. *Organize a fundraising event*. Be creative, take action, and inspire others. Remember, a small drop can create a ripple, as others will join in.
- 5. *Form a local Sahaya chapter*. We can send you information (brochures, powerpoint files, tips for fundraising).
- 6. *Sponsor a needy child* in one of Sahaya's programs (India, Kenya, Vietnam).
- 7. Make *a tax-deductible donation* (via check or online).

For more info, or to order the DVD, contact Sahaya International, Inc. 2949 Portage Bay Avenue, Apt. 195



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An Andy Lauer Film

NARRATION BY ACADEMY AWARD WINNER
JEREMY IRONS

THEME SONG "MAY IT BE"
BY
ENYA

In rural India, HIV meant death, until a chance meeting sparked change.



SAHAYA GOING BEYOND

When a chance meeting forever changes the destiny of a child....a movement takes root from half way across the world that will affect children and adults battling HIV/AIDS in impoverished rural India. This is Sahaya International's journey as it joins the efforts of a village fighting poverty and disease. For an orphaned boy, an HIV-infected widow and a dying man, this adds the drop of courage they needed to persist despite great obstacles. Witness for yourself how a rural community and a network of supporters combine forces to transform misery into a heartbeat of hope, and build a better life.

