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## KeyLimeTie and MojoBistro Staff Volunteer at Feed My Starving Children

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**DID YOU KNOW: Every hour you volunteer with a non-profit organization in Illinois is worth \$22.77 to that charity.**

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On a recent Saturday in April, KeyLimeTie and MojoBistro staff and their families volunteered for the day at the Feed My Starving Children non-profit organization in Aurora, Illinois. Feed My Starving Children is a charity organization that works to provide nourishment for children in nearly 70 countries worldwide.

Feed My Starving Children uses volunteer efforts to package meals, which results in an increased direct impact to those in need. **A single meal only costs 22 cents for the organization to produce, and 92 percent of the organization's total donations goes directly toward the food program.** That's a great impact of donated dollars!

David Mansch, a graphic designer for KeyLimeTie and MojoBistro, helped organize the event after volunteering at Feed My Starving Children with his own family. He thought it would be a compassionate way for staff members to get to know each other better while at the same time helping others who need it.

"When I volunteer with Feed My Starving Children, I can go to sleep knowing my work made a child's life better," said Mansch. "With the simple act of helping prepare food, little kids won't go to bed hungry. They can grow up to be happy, healthy adults. Hopefully they will remember the kindness that a group of volunteers showed them in their time of need, and they in turn will pass that on to someone else."

Volunteering at Feed My Starving Children is a positive team experience for corporations, schools, and community groups. Our organization strongly believes in giving back as a way of business and of life. KeyLimeTie and MojoBistro highly recommend volunteering at Feed My Starving Children!

"I was very impressed with the organization of Feed My Starving Children," said Mary Wenzel,

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a project manager for KeyLimeTie. "They didn't waste any time putting us to work and were encouraging us along the way to stay on task. I found it rewarding to know that the work we did on Saturday will feed 102 children for a whole year. Just 2 hours of our time produced such big results! It was a great experience, and I will do it again."

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### More About Feed My Starving Children

Founded in 1987, Feed My Starving Children is a Christian nonprofit that provides nutritionally complete meals for starving, malnourished, and hungry people in nearly 70 countries. The prepackaged dry meals – costing less than a quarter each to make – are funded and assembled by

donor volunteers in the United States. Our in-country partners use the food to prevent starvation and curb malnourishment in children and families worldwide. Volunteers hand-pack all of our fortified meals. More than half of FMSC volunteers are under the age of 18. In 2012, more than a half million volunteers joined FMSC to package 163 million meals for children around the world.

### Do you know of a non-profit organization in the Chicagoland area that could use a helping hand of volunteers?

Our company is interested in more activities such as this for our team to lend a helping hand in the community. Please leave a comment below with a link to the organization's website so we can look into volunteering for other organizations.

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