

# Disaster Recovery

(Typhoon Haiyan)

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# THE PHILIPPINES THAT I KNOW....



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**Earth-shattering Disaster...**

**World-awakening Realization**

**2013 Three Major Disaster**

**in the Philippines :**

**Zamboanga Seige**

**Bohol Earthquake**

**Typhoon Haiyan**

# I SAW...

- Suffering
- Impermanence

“There are two things in this world that cannot wait, filial piety and doing good deeds.”

--Master Shih Cheng Yen--

Everyone was in a  
rush to leave the  
city.



No shadow of  
hope...



However, Tzu Chi  
volunteers never  
lost hope

And was more  
determined to  
stay and bring  
back hope.



# TACLOBAN CITY WAS LIKE A GHOST TOWN

No food      No water

No electricity      No lodging

No signal      No medicine

Transportation challenged

No school      hygiene problem

# Trust, Perseverance, Determination



- Heart
- Body
- Living
- Education

# Day 1: 600 Cash for Work volunteers



# 12,000 Cash for Work volunteers



A group of 10 people very disciplined and happily lined up for the Cash for Work program.



From the initial helpless and hopeless faces



Everyone learned how to work together for a common goal



Until everyone's face had a big smile  
and full of hope on it.











Cash for Work Program

11/20~12/8 19 Days

8 Stations Total of 300,000 man-days



# Tzu Chi's Financial Assistance Program



Thermal Eco Blanket

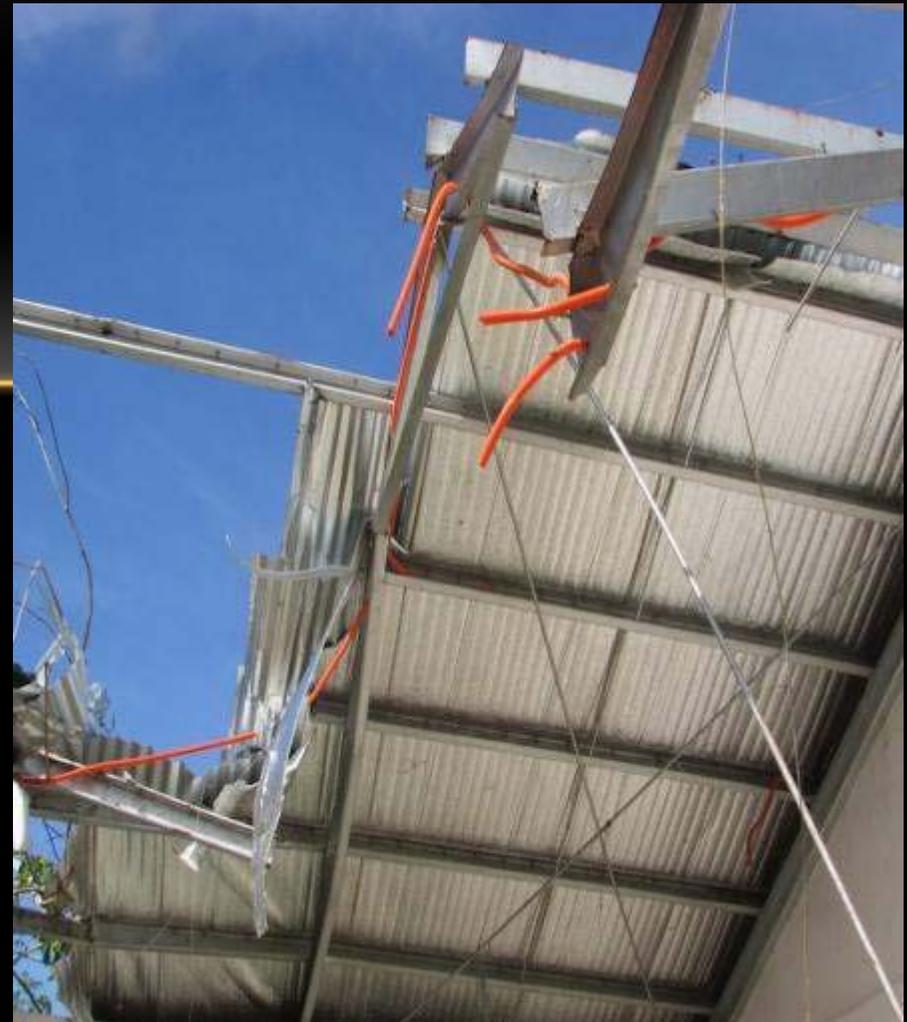


Cash Assistance

# Roofless Classrooms



# Roofless Classrooms



# GREAT LOVE TRANSCENDS ALL RACE, RELIGION AND NATIONALITY

Day and night all volunteers selflessly worked double time to finish the temporary classrooms to get education back to normal.

# Conceptualization, Manufacturing and Implementation



When one is injured, I am in pain  
When one is suffering, I am in sorrow



# Day...



# Night...



# Rain or shine...



# Temporary Classrooms are up!!!





From holding  
an umbrella  
to class...



# Full of love, care and gratitude





# Bamboo stick making



# Cement Tiles Making

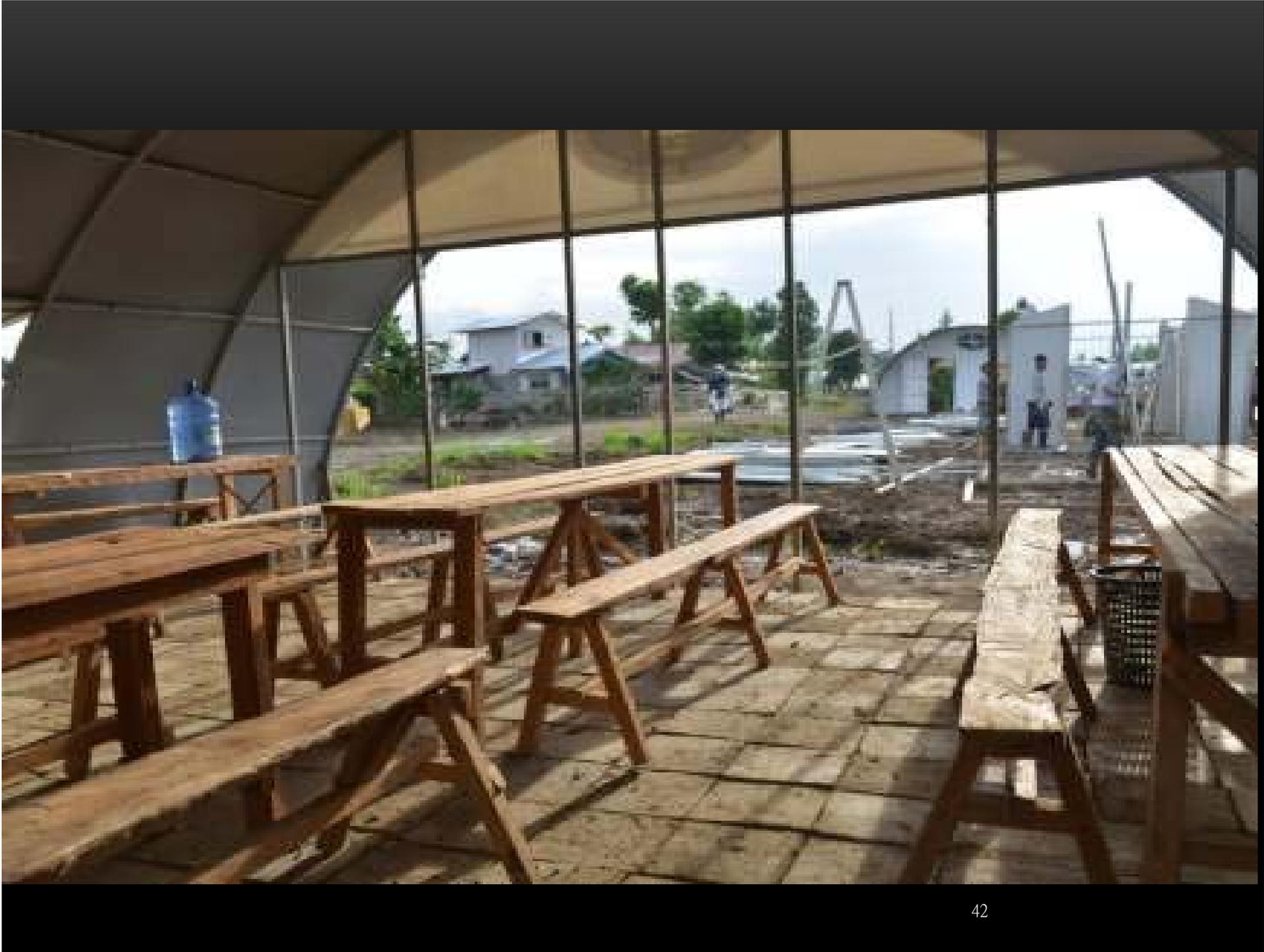




# Re-use







# All Hands Volunteer Group













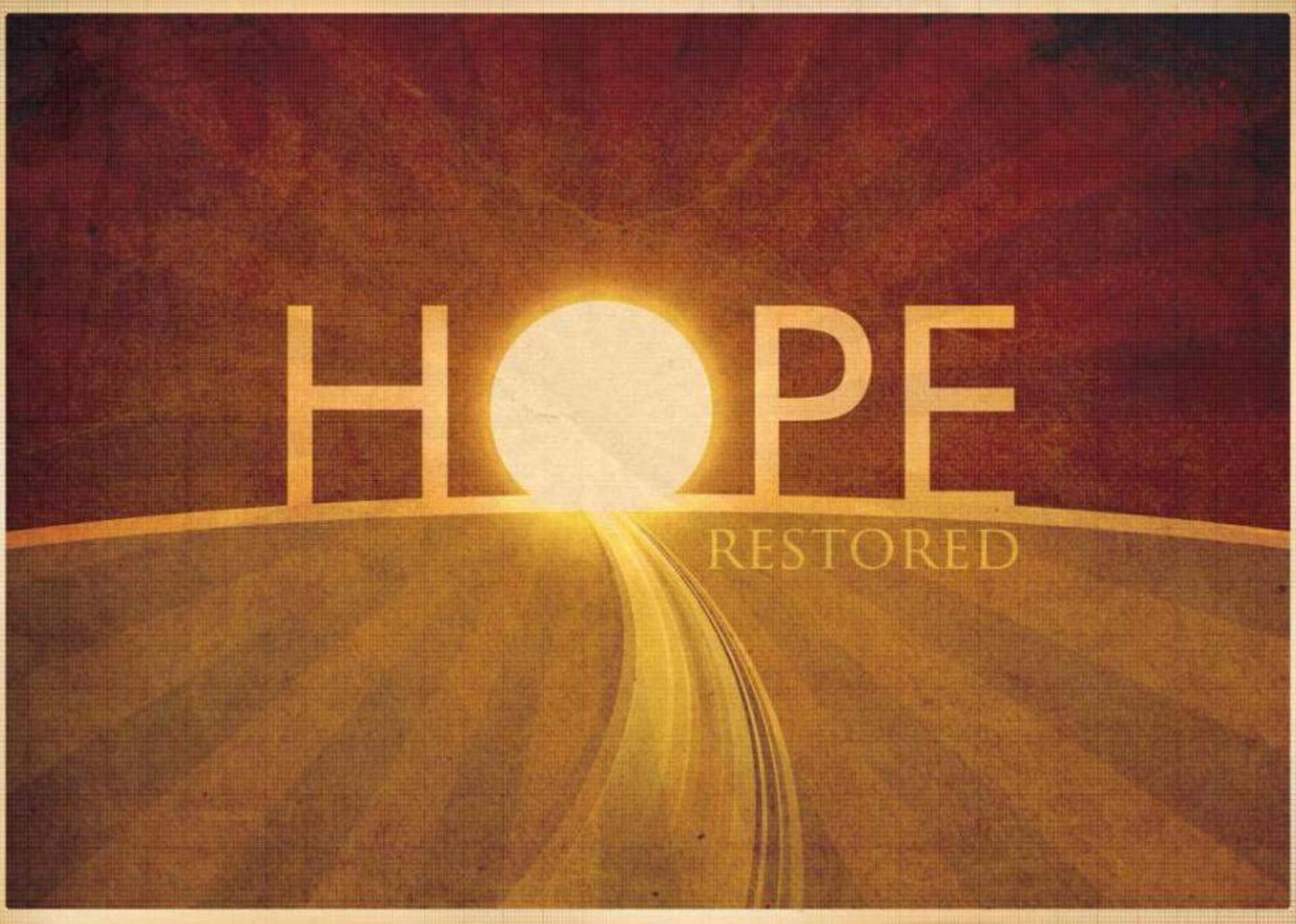






# What's the difference of Tzu Chi's Relief work from other Organization?

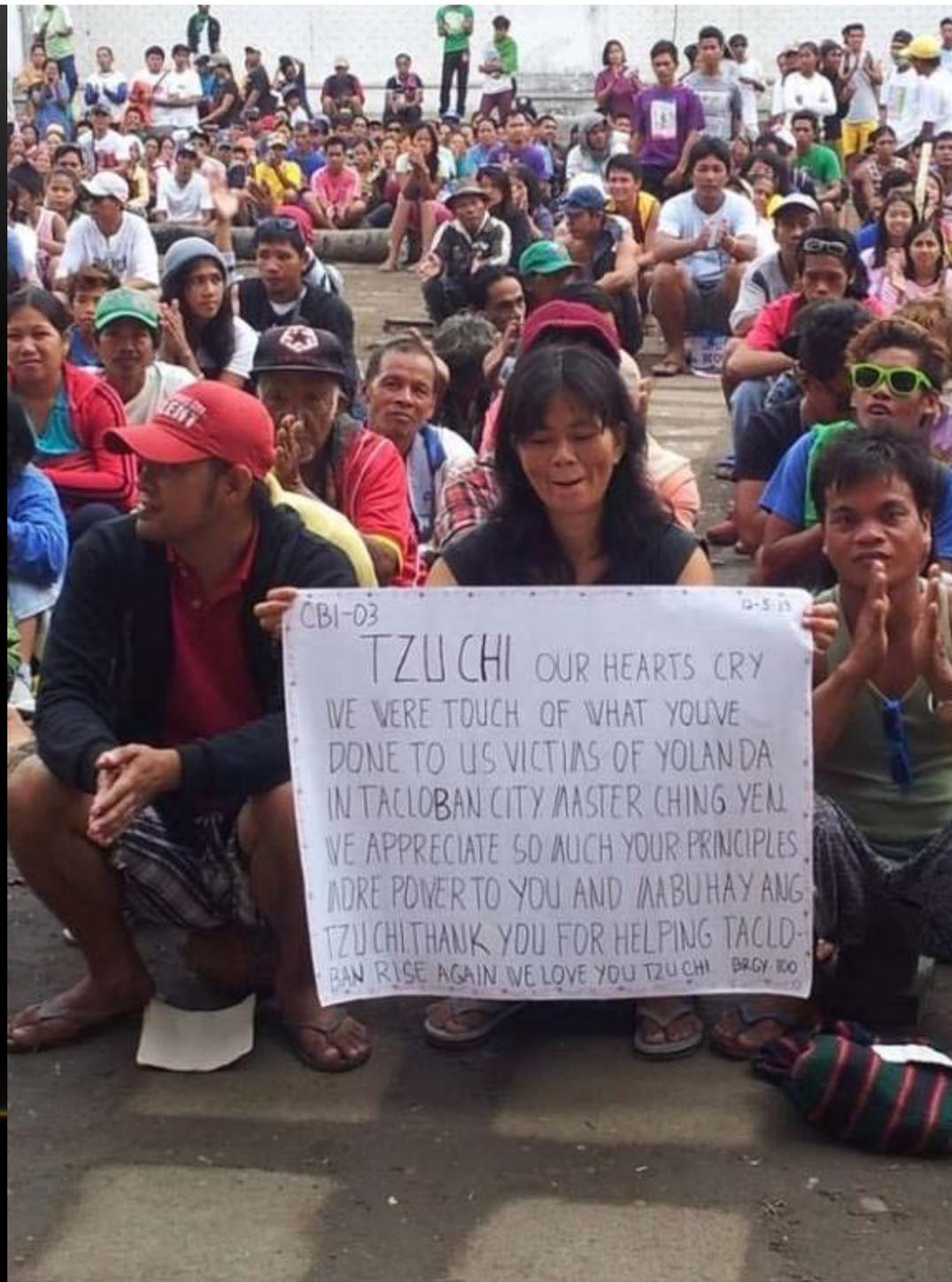
- ✓ Walk to the front and stay until the end
- ✓ Sincere love and care
- ✓ Dignity
- ✓ Hope



HOPE

RESTORED

GRATEFUL  
HEART



CBI-03 10-5-15  
TZU CHI OUR HEARTS CRY  
WE WERE TOUCH OF WHAT YOU'VE  
DONE TO US VICTIMS OF YOLANDA  
IN TACLOBAN CITY MASTER CHING YEN  
WE APPRECIATE SO MUCH YOUR PRINCIPLES  
MORE POWER TO YOU AND MABUHAY ANG  
TZU CHI THANK YOU FOR HELPING TACLO-  
BAN RISE AGAIN WE LOVE YOU TZU CHI BRGY 100





MABUHAY TZU CHI!  
TINDOG TACLOBAN!

Pera at Aral sa Buhay ang  
itimahagi ng TZU CHI sa  
Tacloban; tiwala at pag-asa mamatay  
ang inyong ipinagkaloob sa Omin.  
Maulubos rin ang pera, pero  
ang pag-asa at tiwala na itinatanim  
ninyo ng pangangaral ay mamana-  
teli sa aming mga puso habang kami  
ay nabubuhay. Salamat TZU CHI!  
MGA TAGA-TACLOBAN (J1-04)

Tzu Chi gave Tacloban people money and teachings of life. Over time money can be used up, however the teachings and lesson you have imparted us will forever remain in our hearts.



**From palm facing up  
to palm facing  
down.**









A baby named “Tzu Chi” was born.



# Barangay Captain to Tzu Chi volunteer





# Tacloban Chinese volunteers get to know more about Tzu Chi.



Tacloban Filipino volunteers started doing environmental protection.





# House to house collection



Count me in doing good deeds.









# Prayer Vigil





THANK YOU TZU CHI  
FOUNDATION FOR ALL  
YOUR HELP

BREQ 66-A TACLOBAN  
CITY

WE ARE ROOFLESS, HOME  
LESS BUT NEVER HOPE  
LESS BECAUSE YOUR  
HELP IS COUNTLESS.



I saw...

How Tzu Chi volunteers selflessly  
gave themselves.

Using their wisdom,

Changed the whole life of people  
from Tacloban.

Why do we have to be engage  
ourselves personally in international  
relief?

**Because of Great Love**

Why do we have to do international  
relief?

**Because of Gratitude**

Why do challenges come  
our way?

To give us a chance to know  
ourselves better and to better  
improve ourselves.

