



In Russia, the death rate is higher than the birth rate. Many children end up as orphans or social orphans because their parents are unable to take care of them.

Each year, Russia releases orphans into society after they turn 16 years old. With no skills, they must find a job, a place to live, and a way to survive. Most don't.

Ninety percent of these graduate orphans end up in crime, prison, prostitution, drug addiction or homeless. Within the first five years 5% have committed suicide.

*"Has God touched your heart to help these abused and neglected children?"*

Strategic Angel Care has several ways to get involved from short term to long term commitments. If you want to hear more about how to get involved in this ministry, please contact John M. Neese at 972-517-4315.

*"...lift up your eyes, and look on the field, that they are white for harvest"*  
John 4:35

I am asking the Lord of the Harvest to raise up laborers to work with the abused, abandoned, and neglected kids in the fields of the former Soviet Union and other parts of the world.

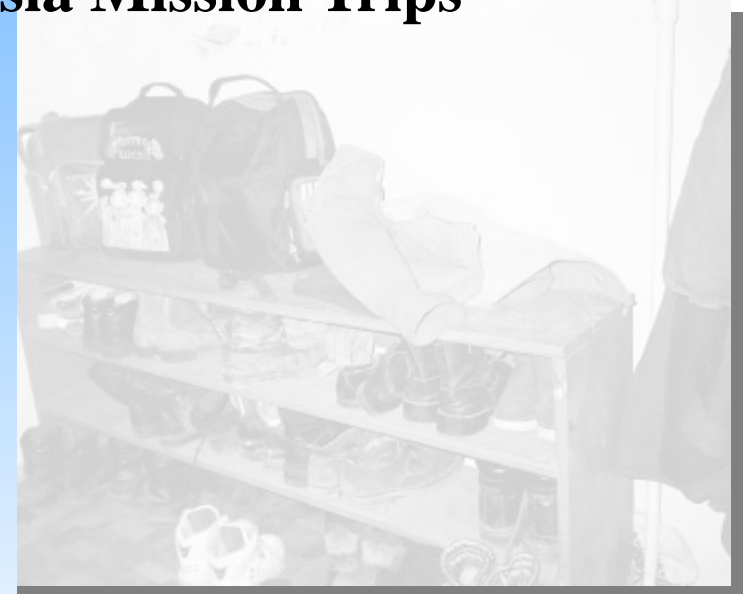
*Is it you?*

# Slippers For Russia!



## Humanitarian Aid Russia Mission Trips

*"...look after the orphans and widows  
in their distress..." — James 1:27*



*Strategic Angel Care*

*A Ministry to Orphans and Hurting Children in Russia*

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# Strategic <sup>Angel</sup> Care Slippers

In Russian culture, you take off your street shoes when you come in the door of a home, shelter, or orphanage and put on house slippers. Russians don't have carpet in their homes. When a child comes to a shelter, it's usually with the clothes on their backs and no familiar slippers from home.

When I brought slippers to the kids I sponsor, they put them on and jumped up and down saying, "...these are so soft and bouncy"! You can bring this kind of joy to hurting children and orphans in Russia by providing *SAC Slippers*. It's very simple and exciting for individuals, mission organizations, or Bible study groups to participate personally in a foreign mission project. Please see the instructions to the right and get your *SAC Slippers* today!

For more information, call your SAC Ministry coordinator:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please bring your *SAC Slippers* to:

Collection Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Day of Collection: \_\_\_\_\_

## Thanks for Helping!

*SAC Slippers* will be delivered during upcoming Russia Mission Trips as part of the ongoing ministry of Strategic Angel Care (SAC) to reach the abused, abandoned, and orphaned children in Russia. We demonstrate the love of Jesus by providing Bibles, backpacks, school supply kits, hygiene kits, and other aid to hurting children in the former Soviet Union.

Financial gifts to support this ministry can be made out to "*Strategic Angel Care*". In the check memo write *Humanitarian Aid*. Your cancelled check is your tax-deductible receipt.

If you would like to come with us to Russia to hand-deliver these gifts and share Jesus with orphan and needy children, please contact John M. Neese at 972-517-4315 or [jneese@SACorphans.org](mailto:jneese@SACorphans.org)

## 3 Easy Steps

1. **PURCHASE** a new inexpensive slippers with rubber soles or you can give \$10 dollars to the Strategic Angel Care Ministry by making out a check to "*Strategic Angel Care*" and writing *Humanitarian Aid* in the memo.
2. **BRING** your *SAC Slippers* to the collection center or your donation to the SAC Coordinator listed to the left.
3. **PRAY** for the children who will receive the *SAC Slippers* you have purchased!



## Tapochki The Russian Tradition

Upon entering an apartment or dacha, a Russian will immediately remove his or her shoes or boots and put on "*tapochki*," slippers, which are conveniently located near the entrance. When visiting others in informal situations, guests will be offered slippers by the hosts. Russian homes do not have carpet and have floors of wood or rolled linoleum. Their slippers are usually the type that have rubber soles that would wear well on hard flooring. The children in this shelter are from 5 to 16 years old with most being from 8 to 12 years old. Slippers for this age group would meet the most need.

