

COMMISSION A MOSAIC

Mosaic is an art tradition that goes back for millennia in the developed world and that is enjoying renewed interest through the work of some amazing international artists. In 2006 the technique found its way to Nepal for the first time thanks to EBT Founder/Director Philip Holmes. Under his tuition, children at our Kathmandu refuge have been having fun producing their own eye-catching work using cheap locally-available bathroom tiles.

We took this initiative a step further by setting up a small business for older trafficking victims who we've rescued from the abuse and exploitation of the [Indian circuses](#).

Some girls feel that they might be too old to start school for the first time or have no homes to return to after their release; all they want for themselves is training that leads to work and financial security.

You, your school, company, church or organisation can help them to achieve that while at the same time supporting our ongoing work for Nepal's most marginalised children.

So now is the time to commission a hand-made Nepalese mosaic either for yourself or as an **ethical gift** for a family member or friend. The latter entails allowing the completed mosaic to remain in Nepal where it can give a further benefit by adding colour, beauty and texture to a children's refuge, school or special needs centre. If this is acceptable, then we can send you a picture of the finished work with details of the artist and our choice of location; a small plaque will acknowledge the artist's and benefactor's name. If on the other hand you prefer to own the mosaic and are willing to accept the risk and added cost of shipping and insurance then we would of course be very willing to send you the piece.

Our commission costs:

Size	£	US\$	Euro
1' x 1' (30cm x 30cm)	50	100	75
1' x 2' (30cm x 60cm)	100	200	150
2' x 2' (60cm x 60cm)	250	500	375
2' x 3' (60cm x 90cm)	500	1000	750
3' x 3' (90cm x 90cm)	1000	2000	1500
Child's name (maximum 10 letters)	10 per letter	20 per letter	15 per letter

These prices assure the artist of an extremely good wage and will give her the chance to find her self-respect and confidence after having experienced the horrors of the Indian circus. The price also covers material costs and overheads and includes a generous donation towards our ongoing programme costs in Nepal.

Now all you have to do is choose one of the following themes to enter our commissioning page.