



**AL-TAZID FOUNDATION**

*HELPING THE NEEDY*

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## Al-Tazid: Making a real difference in rural Bangladesh!

Al-Tazid Foundation, based in Ipswich, has more than 15 years of excellent track-record of charity work in Greater Sylhet region of Bangladesh, helping some of its poorest and needy people to improve their quality of life. Recently, Al-Tazid Foundation made and distributed hundreds of coloured umbrellas to school children and bright blue T-shirts to poor farmers, labourers, rickshaw drivers, market stallholders, shopkeepers, among others. They are making a really positive impact locally.

In Bangladesh an umbrella is doubly useful, it stops the drenching rain in the wet season, and the scorching sun in the dry season – a far more important fashion item than a hoody in the UK. With the umbrellas or a T-shirt the name of Al Tazid Foundation is also spreading far and wide. We want to reach tens of thousands of poor people through this important project and urgently need your help to do so.

Al-Tazid Foundation's other recent activities include building houses for poor families who are in desperate need of shelter. Their current homes, made of bamboo matting for walls and a leaking corrugated iron roof, are totally unfit for habitation. At the same time we have been providing tube wells that will each provide clean water for at least fifty people. It is rare for children in these families to attend school because it costs them too much, but with one of our education packs that cost is minimised. These poor families cannot support themselves because there is no work for them. We can provide a family with a rickshaw, the uber taxi of Bangladesh, and it will provide enough income for a whole family.

As part of our holistic support, if a member of the family is taken ill, or has an accident, our health clinic is available to them free of charge. And if someone is permanently disabled, we provide them with a wheelchair. As for those who cannot pay for a cataract operation, Al-Tazid Foundation run an annual campaign jointly with Vard Eye Hospital to treat eye disease including cataract operations.

### How you can help Al Tazid Foundation

There are a number of ways you can get involved. They include 1) becoming a regular subscribing member, 2) joining our new Zakat Fund, 3) becoming a lifetime member, 4) through one-off donations, 5) becoming a volunteer fundraiser/publicist for Al-Tazid in your local area, town or city.

A house can be built for £2,500

A tube well costs £600

A rickshaw costs £190

An education pack costs £50

A Monthly health clinic care costs £150

A wheelchair costs £100

A cataract operation costs £40

A food pack costs £50

You might also like to provide a food pack, so that a poor family can eat their Iftar (breaking fast) meal with dignity during Ramadhan. Either way, we need your help urgently to achieve our aims and targets. Thank you for your on-going help and support. To become a member, make a donation or request more information, please contact:

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Free Cataract Eye Clinic



Umbrella Distribution Al Tazid Foundation



Al Tazid Housing Project



Al Tazid Rickshaw Project



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**Al Tazid Financial Support**

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Al Tazid Monthly Health Clinic



Al Tazid T Shirts Project



Al Tazid Tubewell Project



Al Tazid Wheel Chair Project