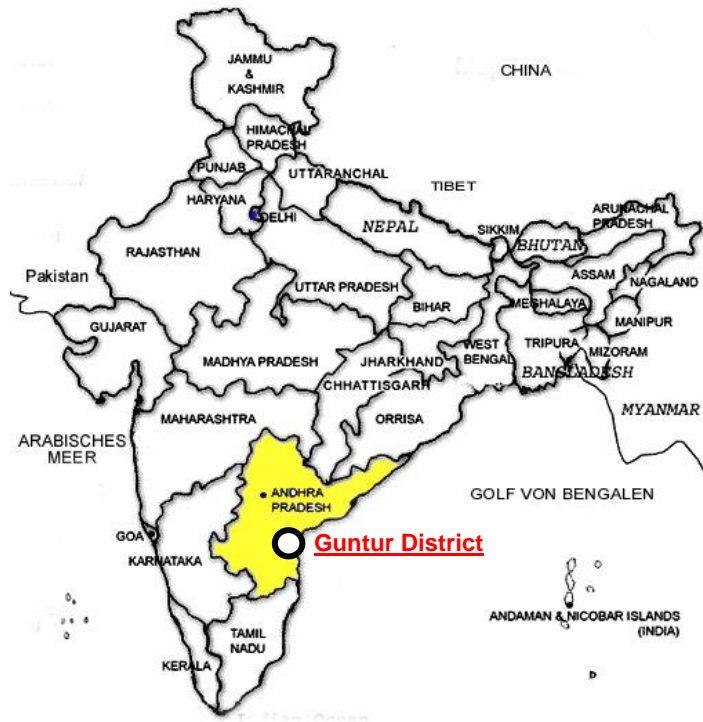


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You will find the membership form here:
www.hzsh-cards.de/mitglied-werden.html

You will then receive regular information and be kept up to date about CARDS and have the opportunity to attend meetings with our Indian friends.



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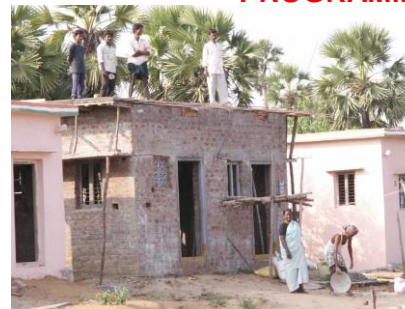
CARDS works - versatile

**- sustainable
- holistically**

HIV/AIDS PREVENTION



EMERGENCY AID



RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**WOMEN
ADVANCEMENT**



"To enable humans, to realize the reasons of their misery and to find ways out of it themselves" is the basic principle of CARDS.

We support this work out of the conviction and the knowledge that our help reaches the people.



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CARDS was founded in 1979 by Indian Dalits as an **oecumenical Christian Development Organisation** in the coastal area of Guntur in the Southern Indian federal state of Andhra Pradesh. The organisation aims to help the castless, the so-called untouchables, members of the tribal population and also the lowest castes, who live in the villages under appalling social and economic conditions and call themselves

Dalits = the suppressed.

The CARDS staff are Indians, most of them are also Dalits. They are Christians of various denominations, Hindus, Moslems and Buddhists.

Partnership in Germany

Originally an exchange programme between the "Bauernschule Nordbaden", a school for farmers in the southwestern German State of Baden-Württemberg, and CARDS was established. The partnership developed and led to the foundation of the association in 1986.

**Partnerschaft in der Einen Welt
 Hilfe zur Selbsthilfe e.V.
 Dorfentwicklung mit indischen Dalits**

„Partnership in the one world – help for self-help”
 Rural development with Indian Dalits

By now the association has 170 members nearly all over Germany.

Regular mutual visits allow an exchange of thoughts and ideas.

Ideal and also material help support and sustain the development work in India. Despite-different view-points both parties have gained from the experience.

Ways out of the poverty trap through education



COLLEGES

- Education and professional education for young Dalits = opportunity for a job
- Financial base for the future family = prevention of child labour
- The students are working actively in cultural teams and social programmes



BALA-BATA

- After school help for Dalit children
- Better opportunities in public schools
- Admission to colleges gets possible
- Selfconfidence through games, songs, drums and dance



INTEGRATION

Class for children with Disability in CRAC

CRAC + BALA-HITA

- Center for children rights
- School for former child labourer
- Break the circle of poverty
- Prevent child labour

GIRL - a home for girls

- G**rowing – a sheltered childhood, the opportunity to develop
- I**nvolving – being accepted, integrated in the community
- R**ehabilitation – being a part of it, also when ill or challenged, becoming healthy
- L**earning – learning for a better future

