



WINE FOR LIFE

WINE FOR LIFE, an initiative of the Community of Sant'Egidio, **establishes a lasting bond between great wines and the salvation of a great continent: Africa**, where more than 25 million people already have AIDS (but not the medicine to treat it) and where 14 million children are AIDS orphans.

WINE FOR LIFE makes it possible to run **DREAM**, a program started in 2002 by the Community of Sant'Egidio to treat – with triple-therapy drugs and a comprehensive and innovative approach to patient care – **women, men and children with AIDS in Mozambique, Malawi, Tanzania, Guinea Conakry, Kenya, Guinea Bissau, Nigeria, Angola, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Cameroun** and, in the near future, other African countries.

Through **DREAM** and **WINE FOR LIFE** the Community of Sant'Egidio today runs **the most effective program against AIDS in sub-Saharan Africa**: more than **98 percent** of the babies of HIV-positive mothers are born healthy and stay healthy **and more than nine infected adults in ten** get well, return to work and live a normal life after being treated with the triple therapy. The results have been so impressive that the World Health Organization did a *case study* on the program and the Community of Sant'Egidio was awarded the **Balzan Peace Prize in 2004**. At the summit of African heads-of-state which took place in Nigeria on May 2, 2006, DREAM was singled out as one of just two **success stories** in the fight against AIDS in Africa. The other one was the program promoted in Botswana by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

WINE FOR LIFE is a sticker, which wine producers have purchased for 50 euro cents each and placed on bottles of their fine wines. **To help a baby be born healthy, 100 stickers are needed; to pay for a year's therapy for an infected adult and help his whole family survive, 1,000 stickers are needed**, thus breaking the dramatic spiral which creates new orphans, even among those born healthy.

When you buy a quality bottle of wine from a restaurant or wine store and **the bottle has the WINE FOR LIFE sticker**, you know that a donation already has been made to help the fight against AIDS in Africa.

DREAMS CAN COME TRUE!

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