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Limbs for Life
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Anti-personnel land mines are a terrible weapon indiscriminately killing and wounding civilians mainly women and children.

The end of the twentieth century is marked by this tragedy and the effects of these mines will be felt for many decades to come.

In partnership with the International Committee of the Red Cross, Seroptimist International is supporting a four-year project.

The aims:

- to restore human dignity to the victims of land mines
- to help them become mobile again and reintegrate them into society
- to enable children to return to school and play once more like all the other children the world over
- to allow women to again lead a viable family life

How?

- by supplying artificial limbs
- by promoting in a variety of ways the victims' recovery both physical and psychological

Where?

- in Georgia
- in Angola
- in Afganistan

They need your help and support.

Contact your Federation's Headquarters for additional information.