

# The Power of One!

***The Power of One has always been an intriguing idea to me.***

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*At age 16, Henry Ford, the oldest of eight children, left the farm where he was born for Detroit. Twelve (12) years later, he built the Quadricycle, a four-wheel self-propelled vehicle with a gasoline engine. You know the rest of the story. When he died, he had founded the Ford Foundation, which today has assets of over seven (7) billion dollars.*

*Throughout all of history **the power of one person or one idea** has changed nations, peoples and history. **Mother Theresa** brought hope to the destitute of Calcutta. Eleven million people in Cuba, where I often travel, have been held captive by Fidel Castro's idea of Communism for nearly 50 years.*

*How many did it take to rescue the man on the Jericho road? **One Good Samaritan!** In 1645 one vote gave **Oliver Cromwell** control of England. In 1776, one vote gave America the **English language** instead of German. In 1868, one vote saved **President Andrew Jackson** from impeachment. In 1941, one vote gave **Adolf Hitler** control of the Nazi party!*

*Hebrews 11:2 says, "Men of God in days of old were famous for their faith."*

*Abel, Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Sarah, Jacob, Moses, Samuel, Gideon and David are all named and recounted as **one person making a difference in their generation**. The New Testament is filled with countless others.*

*When **Jesus** entered history, the world was never the same again. His life, message and example are to be our motivation to demonstrate '**the power of one**' in our generation.*

*A Special Summer Message from Dr. Jim Groen*

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**The power of one person does make a difference!**

And... In the economy of supporting a ministry like ours, **the power of \$1.00 makes a difference!**

You may think \$1.00 is insignificant -- like one or two minutes of time -- **but when joined together with other \$1.00 gifts, it becomes significant and big things can happen.**

The past twelve months have been one of the most powerful years of ministry. And, our giving -- year to date-- has suffered from the difficult economy -- and a growing number of donations have been earmarked to projects -- leaving a shortfall in our general operating fund.

So, I am writing to ask you to consider sending \$1 for the ministry of Global Connection International. \$1 standing alone may seem small and of little value, but here at our ministry center, every \$1 counts. **Your \$1, when joined with hundreds of others, will make a difference.**

If every person receiving this letter would join in with a summer contribution it would make a BIG difference.

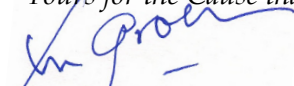
Simply fill in the return form enclosed. If you could send \$5, \$10, \$25, \$100 or more, you can help make up for those who are unable to help at this time

Your prompt and generous action, joined with that of others, will enable us to reach our ministry goals by summer's end.

By the persistence of one great idea, Henry Ford's affordable automobile transformed America into the industrial era. **The power of one idea can definitely change the world.**

**And the power of your gift will make a difference too -- in bringing the light of Christ to people in dark and difficult places.**

Yours for the Cause that counts,



Jim Groen