

This book is a personal account of the author who lived in 14 different countries on four continents – including five years in India and ten years in Africa.



For the past 47 years, he has beer working as a full-time volunteer, helping people live better lives.

Most recently, he and his team have built two schools in the "bush" in the DR Congo, offering free tuition for thousands of children – not a given in this country.

HIS LIFE EXPERIENCES CAN BENEFIT ANYONE WHO DESIRES TO LEAD A HAPPIER AND MORE FULFILLING LIFE.



The proceeds of this book will support the school projects in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.







Wolfgang giving his TEDx Talk.

he author's **TED**x Talk "Change the with World Love" is based on the contents of this book. You can also his watch speech with the same title for more infor-

mation on this topic. The author's exclusive **interview** "Changing the World with Love" gives further insight into the book. The links to these three **YouTube** videos can be found here: www.w-p-schmidt.com

The book features nearly 90 photos, illustrating the development aid work of the author, his wife and their team in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and other topics.

This book attempts to inspire all people to work together for the good of humanity. It encourages everyone to unite around the common goal of transforming the world through loving actions and mutual help.



Nearly 300 children attend our ITAV ADH Mabala Agro-Veterinary high school free of charge.



Even this strong four-wheel drive got stuck on our way from Tshikapa to our school in Mushapo – about 1,000 km from Kinshasa.

Chapter 1 describes life in one of the poorest countries in the world, the DR Congo, where the author and his wife have been active in development aid projects since 2003. It explains the many challenges and enormous potential of this huge country.

Chapter 2 shows how a small team can make tangible progress in several countries of Africa, especially in the DR Congo – even under difficult circumstances.



Gabriele Manig, the wife of the German ambassador, with our local manager, Ing. Jean Vita, in the pineapple field in front of our school in Mushapo.

Chapter 3
deals with
life in the
industrialized countries. Since
the author
moved back
to Europe
fairly recently, after
having left 20
years ago and



Wolfgang before his flight from Kinshasa to Nioki.

spending more than 10 years in Africa, it is in some ways easier for him to identify problems and propose solutions that could improve our lives in highly developed countries. He offers some practical solutions on how to overcome certain "ills of western civilization".

**Chapter 4** opens a new perspective on life. The spiritual side of life is addressed, the sphere where real love and faith exist – two important keys to solving both global and personal problems.



Girl with a unique, pretty hairstyle.



Kiln to burn bricks for our school.

Chapter 5
presents fascinating
wonders of
nature and
actual miracles which
the author
and his family, as well
as some of

their friends, have experienced firsthand.

Chapter 6 gives insight into the biggest miracle of all: True love, with examples that offer encouragement and hope. Various attributes of this virtue are presented, and in conclusion, the author explains how, in his opinion, the highest form of love can be received.



Sign of gratitude for free school lessons.

Here is more information about the book, the author and how to order a copy:

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