



# Care for the Wild International

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**Please can you help us give great apes like Clement, the little chimpanzee pictured below, a brighter future?**



### Clement's story

Five-week-old Clement was found near death in a small basket confiscated from poachers by Zambian wildlife wardens. With him were two other weak and painfully thin infant chimpanzees. One - later christened Brian - clung tightly to Clement's seemingly lifeless body, refusing to let him go.

The wardens were amazed to discover that Clement was still alive and took all three chimps to Chimfunshi Wildlife Orphanage. Dedicated round-the-clock care and gentle nursing eventually restored them to health.

### Terrible ordeal

The chimpanzees had obviously suffered a great trauma - any attempts by staff to separate Brian and Clement resulted in heartrending screams of despair from the terrified animals.

The wardens and orphanage staff believe that the three chimpanzees had all come from the same family group and had witnessed their parents being brutally butchered by hunters for meat.

### One happy ending

Fortunately, Clement, Brian and their third basket mate - Doreen (pictured at the top of this letter) - are now fully recovered. Today, they live happily with other chimpanzees at the orphanage in a 100-acre enclosure that includes fruit groves, dense forests, rivers and open savannah.

Clement's story has a happy ending, but sadly this is not the case for tens of thousands of other endangered great apes.



# YES, I WOULD LIKE TO HELP GREAT APES!

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## Sad statistics

In the 19th century, millions of gorillas, chimpanzees and bonobos (also known as pygmy chimpanzees) lived in our forests. Sadly, the bushmeat and pet trade, wars and the destruction of natural habitat, caused by legal and illegal logging and mining activities, have all taken their toll on the great ape population.

Today, there are only an estimated 120,000 chimpanzees, 20,000 bonobos and 105,000 gorillas left in the wild.

If nothing is done to stop their decline, great apes could be extinct within the next 20 years.

## Time is running out....you can help

As a valued supporter of Care for the Wild International, you know that we pride ourselves in taking action where it is most needed.

Today, I am asking for your help in funding vital projects in great ape protection, rescue and conservation work, including the Pan African Sanctuary Alliance (PASA) - a collection of African wildlife sanctuaries including the Chimfunshi Wildlife Orphanage - which cares for 684 chimpanzees, 87 gorillas, 42 bonobos and thousands of other endangered primates.

Many of these animals have been confiscated from poachers; orphaned after their parents were slaughtered for bushmeat, or rescued from the pet and entertainment industries. Without the speedy action and treatment, made possible by Care for the Wild International, many suffering and traumatized great apes like Clement could die.

Please help Care for the Wild International give many more happy endings to stories like Clement's and work with us to create a better future for our planet's great apes.

Thank you so much for your support.

Yours sincerely,



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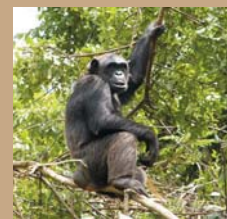


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## All about PASA

PASA is a partner of the Great Ape Survival Project (GRASP) - an alliance of the world's leading great ape research and conservation organisations who are committed to saving great apes from extinction.

As well as providing a place of sanctuary to great apes in need, PASA's ultimate aim is to establish protected areas to rehabilitate them back to the wild.



Thanks to PASA, Nama experienced freedom after being chained up for 16 years in a tourist resort.