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Why Go to India? Written by Lu Collier

Some go to see the Taj Mahal and other interesting sights. Some go to experience another culture or to vacation and enjoy some great shopping in another country. Some just go for the adventure of seeing a new place. All this sounds great, but for me, there are over 100 really good reasons to go to India. They are the children and staff of the Ankoor Children's Home.



I want to see the joy on children's faces as they live out the opportunity to hear the gospel, go to school, have enough to eat, get regular medical care and participate in many other activities. Some are orphans and all are tribal children who would not otherwise have this chance. The children return to their villages during summer vacations and tell their friends and families about the good news, and we plan to visit some of these villages.

I am excited about meeting Kiron and Nalini Gaikwad and the staff of Ankoor. They put their hearts and souls into caring for these children and sacrifice to help meet their spiritual, physical, educational, social and emotional needs. I want to pray with them and see how God is moving in their lives and the lives of the children. I want to see what they do and seek God's face as to how we can help them. Working on sponsorships for more of the children tops my list. If God can use me in some way to encourage the staff and the kids I'll be happy! And I know He will work deeply in my own life through this trip.

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