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**Make a Gift**



*Up with People President and CEO, Dale Penny, answers questions during a recent cast tour.*

## **A LETTER FROM PRESIDENT & CEO, DALE PENNY**

Sometimes I'm asked, "In a world with all the needs, the divisions, the violence and fear, why does Up with People exist?" What does a "musical program" have to add at a time like this? My response is those are exactly the reasons Up with People is more important today than it has ever been! When has it been more critical? Nelson Mandela once said, "It is so easy to break down and destroy. The heroes are those who make peace and build." Up with People is more than a musical program. It is a global community—cast members, alumni, host families, and supporters—acting on their ideals to make peace and build.

[Read about Dale Penny's vision for Up with People.](#)



## UP WITH PEOPLE JR. AROUND THE WORLD

Up with People Jr. camps are going on across the world at 13 different sites this summer for children ages 8-12. Is a camp happening near you?

[Learn more about Up with People Jr.](#)



## THREE-WEEKS OF FUN AND FRIENDS!

Looking for a great summer camp for your child? Check out Camp Up with People in Harrisonburg, VA for youth ages 13-17.

[Learn more about Camp Up with People.](#)



## IS THE TRAVEL BUG BITING YOU?

Join Up with People for programs in Scandinavia in November 2018 and Nepal in January 2019.

Learn more about [eXperience Scandinavia](#) and [IMPACT Nepal](#).



## MAKE A GIFT TO UP WITH PEOPLE

Has Up with People made an impact on your life? Give back by making a gift by June 30, 2018.

[Give Now](#)



## UP WITH PEOPLE'S FIRST VISIT TO KOSOVO

Our cast's final tour stop was Kosovo: Europe's youngest country.

[Watch the video.](#)



## FATHER AND SON TRAVEL TO KOSOVO

Rodney Brennan ('85B) and his son, Ross, are celebrating Father's Day having just returned from a trip with UWP's IMPACT Kosovo Program.

[Read about their story.](#)