

# INVISIBLE YOUTH NETWORK CHAPTERS

## Community Chapters

**San Diego** - Russell Hartsaw.

**Chicago** - Jose Rodelo.

**Miami** - Earl Johnson.

**Sri Lanka** - Sampath Udasri.

## Online Chapters

### Angels for Street Kids Chapter

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=43196194633>

### Friends of Invisible Youth

<http://invisibleyouth.gaia.com>

### Helping Hands for IYN @ Care2

<http://www.care2.com/c2c/group/IYN>

### Invisible Youth Cause @ Facebook

<http://apps.facebook.com/causes/?m=7b39c83d>

### Invisible Youth @ Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=51667072778>

### Invisible Youth @ GAIA

<http://groups.gaia.com/homelessness>

### Invisible Youth @ Twitter

<http://twitter.com/invisibleyouth>

### Invisible Youth Member's Club

<http://www.care2.com/c2c/group/iynmembersclub>

### Taking IT Global

<http://profiles.tigweb.org/TheChairman>

For the latest information please visit

<http://invisibleyouthnetwork.net>

# RUSSELL T. HARTSAW FOUNDER AND CHAIRMAN

Russell understands the problem of homeless young people because he was once homeless himself.

He was abandoned by his parents at age nine and lived in juvenile homes and on the street.

He eventually ended up in prison where he turned his life around and achieved a Bachelors Degree in Criminal Justice.

Upon his release, armed with only a laptop and a disability check, he set out on a one man crusade to advocate and reach out for kids living on the streets of San Diego by founding:-

## The Invisible Youth Network

On

**March 26, 2007**

His followers are now numerous &

IYN is worldwide online.

<http://www.orgsites.com/ca/rusellonline/>

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*Making a difference in forgotten children's lives*



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## MISSION STATEMENT

Invisible Youth is an expansive online network that provides resources and support for an estimated 1.5 million homeless at risk youth, walking the streets of our cities.

We do this, every day, in cities across America. We carry out our mission through our partner organizations and volunteers who go to the streets in order to find, stabilize and otherwise help homeless and at risk youth improve their lives.

Our focus goes beyond street outreach and extends to deterrence, research, resources, seminars, training and workshops that we provide to the communities and via the Internet.

Although our slogan is;-

***"Advocating for America's Youth,"***

our endeavors are towards all homeless and at risk children no matter their geographical location.



## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITES

### Start Your Own Chapter

IYN provides training to those interested in starting a community chapter in their area. Tips are given on how to do community fund raisers, outreach, presentations and other activities. All you really need is a computer to begin.

### Online Programs

IYN provides several programs that allow you to advocate for homeless youths and those at risk right from you home, online.

### Child Abuse Prevention (CAP)

The Child Abuse Program hopes to meet the needs of the youth before they make the decision to become part of the homeless population by addressing and tackling the issue of child abuse.

We maintain a website for the program, conduct research on child abuse, offer a training curriculum for advocates and/or counselors, create power point presentations, and maintain a chat room for child abuse support.

### Mentoring

Mentoring is a structured and trusting relationship that brings young people together with caring individuals who offer guidance, support and esteem building aimed at developing the competence and character of the mentee

### Public Relations & Marketing

- Designing Flyer's
- Marketing & Online Advertising
- Fund Raising
- Website Design
- PowerPoint Presentations
- Print Media
- Telecommunications media

## DONATIONS

### Invisible Youth Network

depends entirely upon private donations. The Invisible Youth Network was organized under Internal Revenue Service Publication 1828, Page 3, and is a Nonprofit, Charitable Organization, ***We have 501 (c) 3 status.***

Employer Identification Number  
**11-3815799**

With the following exceptions:

We have no paid positions, everyone is a volunteer. We have no fancy offices or expense accounts, all volunteers work out of their home/offices.

90% of all donations go to our projects and programs.

10% of all donations go to operational expenses.

You may specify how you want your donation used, and or we will discuss with you how your donation will be used upon request.

Any and all accrued expenses, has a receipt on file.

On the drawing board is publishing a bi-annual donation report.

### To make a donation

go to our main web site [invisibleyouthnetwork.net](http://invisibleyouthnetwork.net) and click on Donations in the left hand column or send a cheque to:

### Invisible Youth Network

**940 Park Boulevard Suite 334**

**San Diego, CA 92101**

### TLC Packages (Same address)

We also accept shipments of various items such as:

Backpacks / Bedrolls / Sleeping Bags / Drinks, pouches only / Socks / Feminine hygiene products / Knitted Hats / T-shirts / Hand Wipes, antibacterial / Hooded Sweatshirts, (Medium & Large) / Shorts, (Medium and Large) / Water Bottles / Nonperishable food Items / Travel Size Hygiene Items / Wallets to hold their identification.

Gift cards for fast food restaurants, in \$5.00 denominations