

***“Between every two pines is a doorway to a new world.” - John Muir***

The Gifted Tree welcomes you to the virtual world of finding your tree planting location. As you know, someone has planted a gift tree in honor of you or someone you love. Your tree has been or will be planted in the Central Highlands and Midlands of Tasmania, Australia. Australia is home to a huge variety of unique plants and animals, with over 80% of native species not found anywhere else. The southern island of Tasmania is one of the last places that many of Australia’s threatened native species can thrive. However, centuries of farming in this area of Tasmania have depleted habitats and reduced biodiversity. With fewer places to find shelter and food, some of Australia’s endangered endemic species – including the iconic Tasmanian Devil – are at further risk. Planting trees with this project will protect Tasmania’s biodiversity while creating jobs and revitalizing local farming.

Our planting partners are creating wildlife corridors with local vegetation and tree species that will bring the greatest overall benefit to the region. This includes various types of Eucalyptus and Acacia trees, among others, depending on the specific needs of each section of habitat being recreated.

Beyond protecting the habitats of seven endangered species, the long-term goals for this project are to establish 1.5 million native plants and sequester over 30,000 metric tons (that’s a lot!) of carbon. Our partners are also working closely with landowners and the community to integrate ecological practices into productive farming landscapes and create new jobs in the rural Tasmanian economy.

Tasmania is blessed with beautiful, diverse forests, with trees covering two-thirds of the state. By planting native species in degraded areas, we can support this unique and fragile ecosystem, and help strengthen the environment against the impact of climate change, now and into the future.

You can view the general area of your planting by clicking on the following link:

<https://binged.it/2qGq4rh>

Once connected to the map, feel free to zoom in and out to get a feel of the general planting area as well as its location in Tasmania, Australia and the world.

Please understand that this is the general area of your tree planting. Your tree is planted among thousands of other gift trees and there is no plaque designating your gift tree.

To learn a little more about the planting project for your gift tree, click on the following link:

<https://www.thegiftedtree.com/planting-locations/africa-and-asia/>

Enjoy your gifted tree and know that it is making a monumental difference for the earth and opening a new doorway to the world for future generations. If you have any questions, please view our contact information at: [www.thegiftedtree.com/contact-us/](http://www.thegiftedtree.com/contact-us/). If you would like to plant a tree for someone else, please visit our website at [www.TheGiftedTree.com](http://www.TheGiftedTree.com).

