



DID YOU KNOW THAT....

- ❖ The United States is a “minority world” country ~87% of the world’s population live in the “majority world”, ie. developing or “Third World” countries.
- ❖ ~70% of the world’s population live in poverty (based on local standards)
- ❖ Of the total population in developing “majority world” countries, 23% live on less than \$1.00 per day.
- ❖ The average income for the richest twenty countries in the world is 30 times greater than the poorest twenty countries.

COMPARISONS

	<u>Uganda</u>	<u>Bolivia</u>	<u>U.S.</u>
Population living on less than \$1/day	82.2%	14.4%	N/A
Population living on less than \$2/day	96.4%	34.3%	N/A
Population without sustainable access to An improved water source	48.0%	17.0%	<1%
Population living below poverty level (based on local standards)	35.0%	70.0%	12.7%
Literate (age 15 & over)	69.9%	87.2%	97.0%
Life Expectancy @ birth	44.9 yrs	64.8 yrs	77.1 yrs
Infant Mortality per 1000 live births	87.9	56.1	6.8
No. of Internet Users	60,000	78,000	165.8 mil

Source: CIA Factbook & World Bank 2005. Please consult for recent figures.

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