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Meet the Belagavi man whom 55 HIV positive children fondly call 'Appa'

Very few people can think about giving back to society and Mahesh Jadhav is one of those people. We chat with him to trace his journey that led him to start an NGO for HIV positive kids

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Succour for change

Mahesh Jadhav is the 'father' of 46 children. At his spacious home in Belagavi, he ensures basic needs for them all, right from food to schooling. Such is the warmth here that the kids never feel the trauma of being HIV-positive. Left orphaned and uncared for otherwise, they have found their parents in Mahesh.

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लोगों के ताने और पत्थर की मार खाकर भी इंजीनियर 'अप्पा' ने लिया 55 HIV+ बच्चों को गोद!

HIV+ बच्चों को गोद लेने की वजह से लोगों को लगता था कि महेश खुद HIV+ हैं। इसलिए वह जहाँ भी जाते उनके साथ दुर्व्यवहार किया जाता। लेकिन जब महेश को उनके काम के लिए राष्ट्रीय पुरस्कार मिला तो वही लोग उनके स्वागत में रेलवे स्टेशन पर पहुंचे।

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Mahesh Jadhav to be bestowed National award for child welfare

The Government of India, Ministry of Women and Child Development selects 3 individuals from all the states and union territories every year for their exceptional work towards Child Welfare. This year, Mahesh Jadhav, founder of Mahesh Foundation Belagavi has been bestowed with this honour.

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Despite Ridicule & Attacks, 33-YO Karnataka Man Adopts 55 HIV+ Kids

"Many with young HIV+ kids came to our door. I didn't want to send anybody back. In the next 6 months, I had 26 children join the family. By 2010, I was a father to 55 children!"

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Solar Lights Free Slum from Dark Nights

Gone are those dark nights,' say residents of Sagar Nagar slum of Belgaum, thanking the Aadhaar Village Programme (AVP) of Mahesh Foundation for providing them solar lights recently.

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For HIV+ kids, this is home

Though he himself has little to spare, Mahesh Jadhav, 24, has adopted over 30 HIV orphan children and most of them are HIV positive.

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Mahesh Foundation: Serving Special Children

Mahesh Foundation is a not-for-profit (NGO) working for enriching the lives of those affected by HIV/AIDS, by providing shelter to the orphans and inspiring older patients to fight the disease through various initiatives.

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Maresh Jadhav from Karnataka Who Has Adopted 55 HIV+ Kids Despite Criticism & Challenges.

33-year-old Maresh Jadhav from Karnataka has dedicated his whole life to those who are affected by HIV/AIDS. Here is an inspirational story that is worth a read

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Maresh Jadhav the MR India of Belgaum

Leading a life for yourself is what everyone does but we come across people who have submitted their entire life for helping their brothers in humanity.

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Maresh Jadhav honored with prestigious Kalam Awards

Maresh Jadhav, the founder of Maresh Foundation is recognized for his contributions to humanitarian services to medically challenged and underprivileged children and honored with the "Social Impact Award" in the Kalam Awards by Kites Foundation, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.

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Person of the year

It was a moment of honor for AllAboutBelgaum.com to accolade Raghvendra Anvekar & Maresh Jadhav as the Belgaumite of the year 2010.

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Exclusive Interview with Mr. Mahesh Jadhav, a National Award winner who helped 2000 HIV AIDS children to live an equal better life.

Mahesh started the HIV AIDS social initiative at 21 with a few of his friends and built the Mahesh Foundation. Also, he began Utkarsha school to provide education to these kids along with slum children. He made young dreams, his dreams!

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HUMANS OF BOMBAY

Humans of Bombay covered the Humanitarian Story

"In 2008, my friend and I were distributing gifts to patients in a hospital. I stumbled into the children's ward and saw a 4-year-old and his mother lying beside him. She said, 'I have AIDS and so does Aniket.' My heart broke; the boy looked lifeless. The doctor added, 'His father passed away because of AIDS too. Aniket has about a week to live.'"

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