## **About Shadow Riders**

I encourage and challenge any bike rider who wants to provide hope to needy children in Nepal, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka to join the Shadow Riders and partner with Compassion 575, an approved fundraiser of Nazarene Compassionate Ministries (NCM) - South Asia.

Last year, the Shadow Riders rode in Germany, Washington, Oregon, Texas, and Arizona. We raised several thousand dollars toward this ministry. We seek donations by asking our circle of acquaintances to support our efforts with a per mile sponsorship or a one-time gift. It costs only \$11 per month or \$132 to sponsor a child for one



year in a CDC run by NCM-South Asia. We welcome riders from other states and countries join us and ride for <u>www.compassion575.com</u>

We identify ourselves with bike jerseys which say "riding for compassion575.com" or "shadow riders." If you are interested, I would love to speak with you or send you more written information. Write me at <u>kenrose64@gmail.com</u> or call 503-341-5024. More information and online giving are available at <u>www.compassion575.com</u>

This year we are **"lengthening our shadows"** by attempting to double the mileage of David Argabright, founder of Compassion 575. He will be riding 1,320 miles starting on March 25<sup>th</sup> from Del Rio, TX to Nashville, TN. Our goal is 2,640 miles during the calendar year. This is a very realistic goal which we can accomplish – it is only an **average of just under 51 miles a week!** 

I am a 68 year old retired Nazarene pastor. In 2013, I partnered with **Compassion 575** and rode **4,320 miles to sponsor children in CDCs**. After seeing the needs of children first-hand last October, I am committed to continue riding to provide hope for children struggling in extreme poverty. Thank you for your prayers and support. Please join me in riding for Christ and **Compassion 575**!

-Rod Ruger, Shadow Rider

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Make checks to: General Treasury Services, Church of the Nazarene Note in memo: NCMCOMP575 Mail checks to: Compassion 575 P.O. Box 82 Vinton, VA 24179-0082

Shadow Riding in Germany, Washington, Oregon, Texas, and Arizona, to partner with <u>http://www.compassion575.com/</u> See our site for more information and online giving.