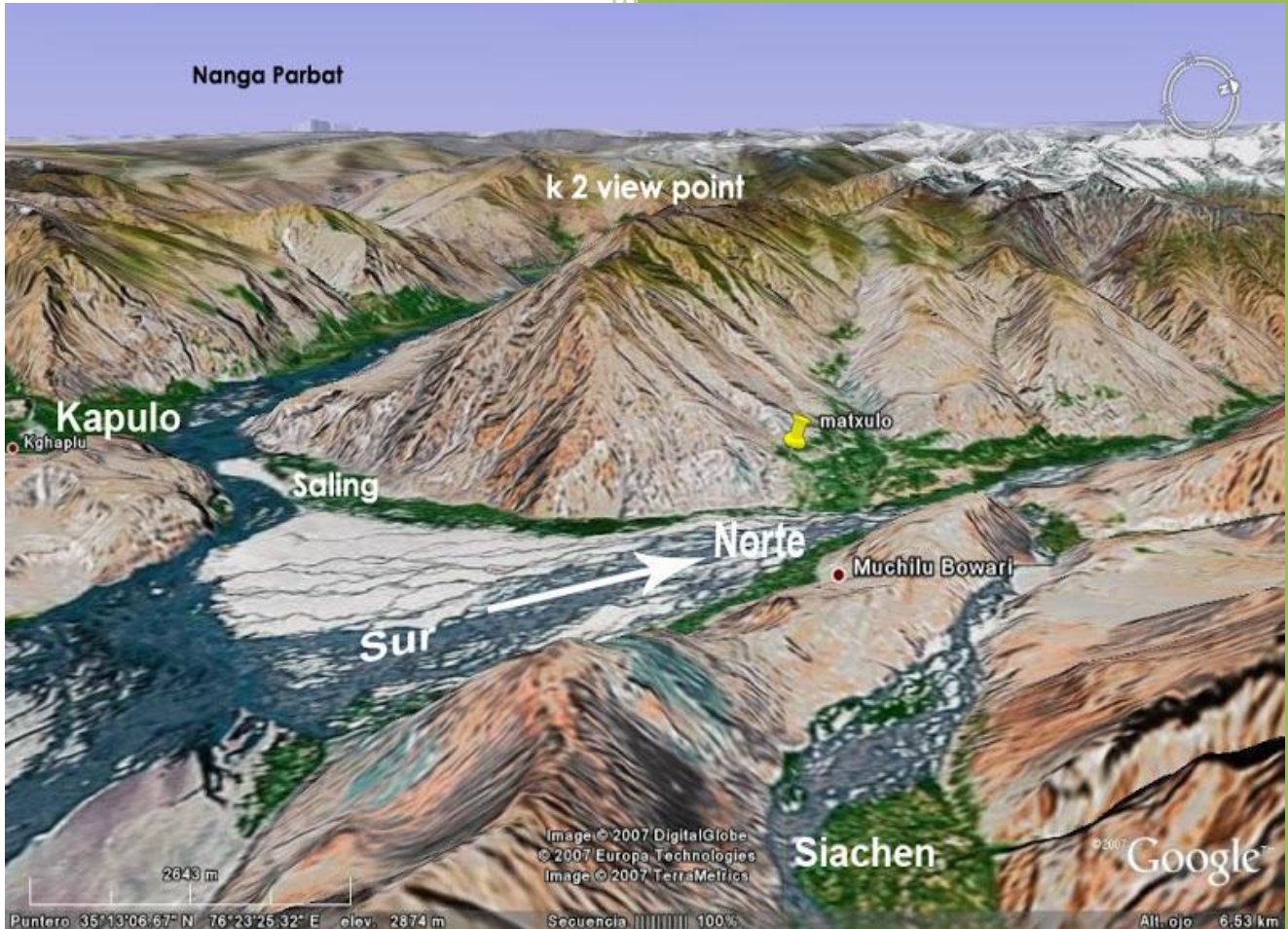


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1. Mr. Ghulam Abbas residence of Saling belongs one of the poorest in the community. He and his wife got the most excellent present from God as they became the parents of one and only son Mr. Arman Ali at their fifties. Their son starts schooling in Saling but their parents were curiously taking his education concerns. Mr. Arman Ali reached in grade 5th and their family income answered them to stop his education. Meanwhile Felix Foundation came to know through their representative from Saling about him and rushed to his home and supported transport and tuition fee in a public school at Khaplu. When he passed his grade six, his father left his company towards eternity. He got the worst tragedy of his life that his father's moral, spiritual, psychological and emotional support got an end. He again prefers to remain in home to look after his mother and to cultivate their few lands. FFB took more concern towards his studies and starts to pay his entire study expenses. He is an intelligent and a hardworking student thus he has been scoring higher marks throughout his entire academic tenure. This stipend continued him till his higher secondary school. Finally, he scored his academic best and now he is seeking for university in Islamabad.



Message from Him:- “University Education is possible for me today; credit goes to FFB & BF”.

2. Mr. Ali Muhammad from Machulo was an intelligent student amongst his fellows. He topped in district elementary exam in class 8th and migrated to Khaplu for science education. He struggled enough to pass these two years because his source of income was nothing to count except his part time teaching job in different academies in Khaplu. His intermediate in commerce winded up with hard calendar of his life. The bachelor degree was a big question ever for him because he has to migrate towards cities. His economic stated him to stop his studies. The moment where he was almost giving up studies but Felix Foundation put forward its stipends towards him and he arrived to Islamabad for his bachelor of commerce. He completed his graduation and back to the community of Hushe Valley. He starts to serve the community in the projecting school of the foundation as a volunteer teacher for one year. Foundation gave him a small stipend during his volunteer service. Later he has appointed as Principal of a first English Medium school of the community “*Munawar public School Machulo*”. Several trainings in teaching and capacity building from the foundation and other opportunities were facilitated to him. He appeared in a teaching job test & interview. Finally, he set an example to the community youth and he got government job in teaching. Today, he is serving the community as a talented, enthusiastic and committed teacher in Hushe Valley different schools.



Message from Him: - “FFB changed my entire life to nurture through quality education and build my capacity through workshops and trainings. All my appreciations and gratitude goes to FFB for their sincere care towards the community”.

3. Mr. Basharat Ali has an impressive and exemplary script about his life.

He was almost first regular Master Degree candidate from the community of Machulo. He got grant of Felix Foundation for his Masters in Economics from Karakorum International University, Gilgit. He came back and starts to serve the community as a teacher in Munawar School. He winded up his volunteer tenure and later on, appointed as Principal of the institution. The Felix Foundation always seeking



passionate change agents to helping hand them and to expand the community. Later on, he appointed in the Foundation as Program Manager for education. FFB trained him to develop projects, & proposals, monitoring, reporting, presentation and information technology skills from Gilgit, Skardu and in Spain for capacity building. He served in FFB almost seven years. FFB provide its best channel to excel his professional skills and later on an internationally reputed organization offered him as Monitoring & Evaluation officer in Skardu with attractive salary package. We wish sincere gratitude for his future.

4. Fida Hussain a student from Saling has a unique but most emotional and fruitful history. His parents died in his childhood. His uncle gave him hand to grow up. He was a passionate learner but he has nothing to invest on his study. He worked with tourists as guide, porters, waiter etc during summer and rest of time he spend on his studies. He moved to Islamabad for his intermediate but continuously he found harder study life there too. He used to do job in different



ways as part time employee to assist his study. He never gave-up his struggle and completed his Bachelor Degree from the most prestigious institute of Pakistan- Punjab University. He was worried about his higher studies due to financial constraints. Felix Foundation got notice and granted him for his Master Degree as that was his life dream. He was almost the poorest candidate of Grant activity of FFB. Felix Foundation integrated him in Grant program thus he become able to earn his Masters Degree in Journalism from University of Peshawar. Now he is working in FM radio in Islamabad with a good salary package and he is serving Pakistan as volunteer journalist in different forums to highlight the community problems. FFB has proud to script about facilitation to him for secure future and he have not to have more worries for his children as he faced.

5. Mr. Muhammad Khan was another poor student of Machulo. He passed his intermediate level with good score and selected for Grant activity of FFB. He studied his graduation from Lahore in commerce. He served the community in school as a teacher. After his volunteer tenure of FFB, he appointed as a Principal in Munawar Public School Machulo. He is also the accountant of three branches of Munawar Public School as his proficiency in accounts. He is only



one to assist in his family by earning to feed the whole members. FFB has the honor to let you know that the Granted students in Hushe Valley are approximately 60 (male & female) to attend higher degrees in different renowned universities in cities of Pakistan and still exceeding this counting.

Message from Him: - “I saw the worst shape and the tremendous changing trends of Education in Hushe Valley after all efforts of FFB & BF”.

6. Ms. Hajira of Hushe is uneducated and was facing massive obscurity to feed her as she is paralyzed and deprive till now with children. She has not company of other family members like father, mother except her husband. She enrolled in FFB sewing course in Hushe Vocational Training to learn basics of sewing. Gradually, she becomes a certified student in several sewing courses at her door step. Now, she is the Master Trainer of the Vocational Training Center of



Hushe where she teaches different skills to the ladies of Hushe and making them capable to earn and save resources. She has been receiving incomes from Master trainer job, from her own products of hand making local items, uniforms and other cultural items. She has a good market for her skills in her house and she has the honor of the most economically stable lady in the last of the world- Hushe village.

Her message:-“Thanks to Allah that we have the opportunity of FFB which let us pleasing to the eye”.

7. Meer Muhammad of Machulo belongs to a low income background family. He had not any source of income to assist his family. He has a deaf daughter. She can't go to school because she isn't normal and there isn't any special school in surrounding in Machulo. She was in lack of involvedness quandary due to her disability. Their parents were agonizing about her future. Even they gave up bothering about her life more due to her consistently useless place in the family. Felix Foundation



changed their melancholy to pleasure after assess her problems and deficiencies. We enrolled her into the vocational center to seek prominent kills. She earned sewing skill. She took devoted concern in this commotion and become a specialist tailor in the community. Today, she is earning by sewing cloths and marketing them. She is stable and happy to have superior life standard than her childhood. Their parents are wordless to thank Allah almighty and Felix Foundation. She is a role model for rest of unskilled and uneducated girls of entire community of Hushe Valley. It is pleasure to lettering that women and teen ager girls are earning and saving resources by availing their expertise in after certified from Felix Foundation Vocational Centers of Hushe Valley at their door step.

Message from Her Parents:- “God Bless You Felix Team”.

8. Ms. Samia of Saling belongs to the poorest families in Saling community.

Her parents couldn't give a hand to her in studies as education is getting most expensive in this modern era. She decided to leave her studies and accept the challenge of her social life to live as rest of girls' fellows. Her dream was to score a higher degree, a reputable place in the society, to achieve an economically stable life after earning a higher degree and a job but these all dreams were almost getting evaporate. The Felix Foundation Baltistan got information and rushed to her home few years ago. She and her mother were very disappointed about her life and were curious to study higher classes in Khaplu. FFB provided an impressive lecture several times and send her to Khaplu by making possible her total study expenses. Now, she is studying well and scoring higher grades. Today, she is in grade 12th and looking towards university education to become able to serve the society in a better way.



Message from Her:-“The road almost designed towards Success in Hushe Valley, Long Live FFB”.

9. Mr. Fida Ali and Iqbal of Machulo & Saling respectively have keen interest in agricultural activities. They are professionally teachers but they instigated Green houses first time in the history of Hushe Valley. FFB endowed with seeds, trainings, material resources, Human Resources, informational Resources and international professional's feed



backs to progress its efficiency. They both are earning by selling diverse variety of vegetables into the local markets. They are giving trainings to rest of community fascinated farmers to initiate green houses for better earning. FFB has been assembling several sessions, trainings and workshops to the community farmers and now approximately 30% people have a good setup of green houses amongst three villages.

Message from Fida:- *“FFB is the ray of Hope for the people of Hushe Valley”*

Message from Iqbal:-“FFB is the Beam of light for the people of Hushe Valley”.

10. Mr. Essa Khan a student of Machulo was in front of predicament situation to lend a hand his family after death of his father and two young brothers. He has a sister with him and his mother. Their family income was few to calculate but FFB gave him an opportunity to earn and study. FFB afforded a plantation grant to him. Internationally



famous and professional agriculturists of BF guided, observed and monitored the plantation. He spent his land and time only to look after the plants. Today, he is earning lot of income from the apples by selling into the local markets. He is fulfilling his study expenses, family expenditures and even saving money.

Message from Him:-“We agreed to agriculture through techniques-Thanks FFB & BF”.