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## Service with a smile

### Volunteering transforms travel — and the traveler, too



After a few days touring in the Masai Mara, Rob Richards taught Kenyans how to use solar water purifiers. (Marcel Dufresne)

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Global Service Corps organizes programs for volunteers to work at orphanages in Cambodia, teach English in Thailand, and assist with HIV/AIDS prevention in Tanzania.

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