

The Class Book on Sister Dorothy

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Cover Page:

The life of Sister Dorothy
In the
Rain Forest

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Second Page:

We dedicate this book to Sister Dorothy and all who
help to continue her work

Mrs. Lewis' Class
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Children sign their names on this page.

Inside Pages:

Each page has one or more of the following sentences
typed at the top, depending on the number of children.
Children illustrate the pages.

Sister Dorothy went into the rainforest to help the poor. She gave them clothing, helped them farm and live with the rainforest and encouraged them to keep their hopes up and not let the loggers take their homes. She kept poor farmers safe from the loggers by building villages. She taught the word of God. Sister Dorothy was happy that there was still some

rainforest left. But she was sad because some had been cut down. She loved the plants and animals. She never let her hopes die down. This made the ranchers and loggers angry, so angry that they killed her. The night before she died, she met her killers, talked with them, sitting on a log and blessed them when they left. The next day she was going to a farmer's house to bring the family food and clothing. Their house had been burned down by the loggers to get them out. The men met her on the road and as they pulled out their weapons, she reached for her weapon... her bible! She began to read the Beatitudes. She gave her life for the poor and the rainforest. From Sister Dorothy's life we learn to stand up for what we believe in, not to use violence and to love all of God's creatures.