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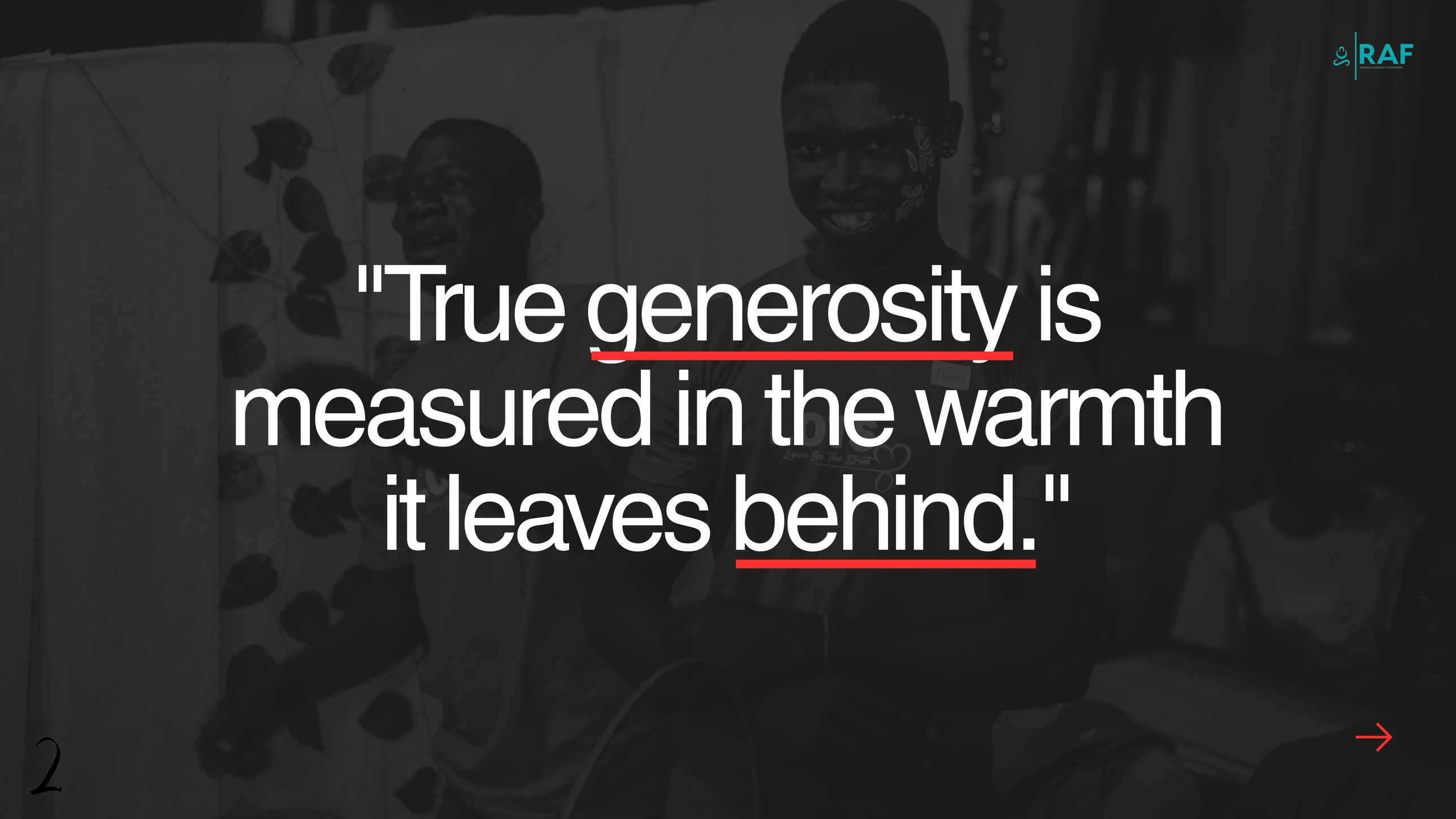
Love on the Street

Program report



"True generosity is measured in the warmth it leaves behind."

What is LOTS?

LOTS stands for Love on the Street, a programme curated by the Rachael Adebayo Foundation to support adolescents and young people living in vulnerable circumstances, particularly those living and working on the streets. It creates opportunities for young people to experience care, connection, learning and hope.

Since **2023**, LOTS has met immediate needs such as meals, clothings and essentials, and also created a safe space where adolescents can participate in fun, educational and inspiring activities that help them see beyond their current circumstances.

LOTS 3.0 Annual funfair

On 13 December 2025, RAF hosted the third edition of Love on the Street funfair in Ibadan. The day brought together young people for a day of:

Fun, Food & Connection	→	Games, food and a welcoming space for young people to relax, connect and simply enjoy being young.
Vision Board Activity	→	Created a space to think beyond their current circumstances and dream about their futures
Sexual & Reproductive Health Sensitization	→	In partnership with Afay Health Initiative, participants received age-appropriate SRHR sensitisation with confidential referrals to adolescent-friendly clinics for further support
Alcohol & Drug Use Sensitization	→	In partnership with GSAHPEN, participants learned about the risks associated with alcohol and drug use and were connected to referral services where needed.
Free Shopping Experience	→	Young people chose clothing, shoes, groceries and everyday essentials for free.

LOTS 3.0 By The Numbers

57
young people living on the street attended

33
Males

14yrs
Average age

83%
had never participated in a youth programme before LOTS

LOTS 3.0 By The Numbers

61%

wanted to learn how to plan their future and achieve their goals.

79%

of those out of school would like to return to school if they had the opportunity

63%

felt hopeful about what their life would look like in the next few years.

What we learned:

Young people living through difficult circumstances are not without dreams.

Their dreams simply need more exposure, encouragement, information and support to become possible.

LOTS 3.0 By The Numbers

75%
did not know how to prevent pregnancy

84%
did not know how to prevent sexually transmitted infections

84%
did not know where to get sexual and reproductive health information or services

79%
did not know where to get help if they or a friend experienced violence or abuse.

What we learned:

Access to accurate sexual and reproductive health remains a major gap

Information is only useful when young people can access it, trust it and know where to go next.

LOTS after the **Funfair**

We understand that one day can create a moment but three years of doing this work have taught us that the day itself is not enough.

So we moved from a model centred primarily around an annual event towards continued relationship and follow-up. After the funfair in December 2025, we continued with:

LOTS Pop-Up

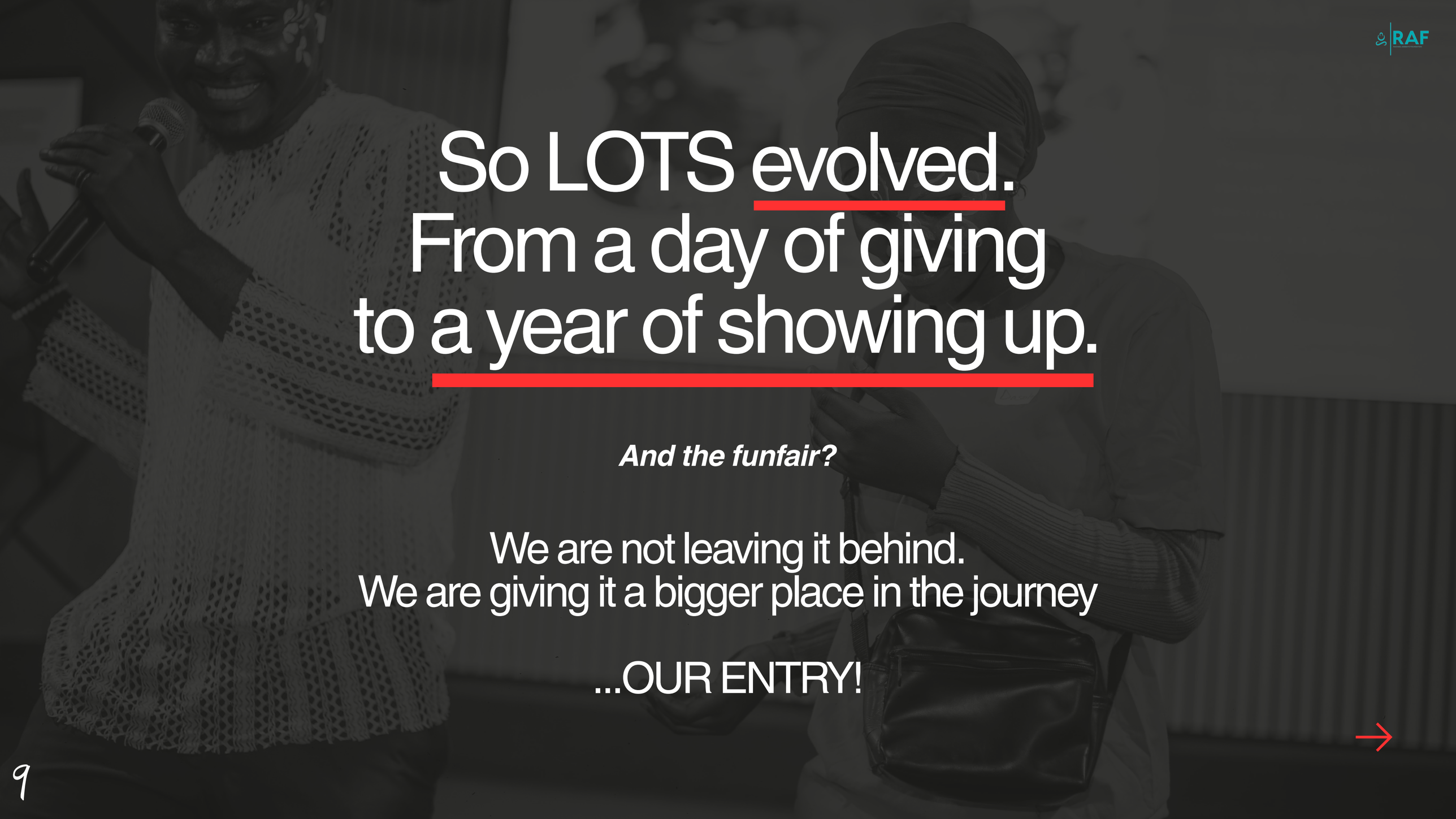
A one-day follow-up gathering that reconnects with participants while providing essential groceries and everyday essentials.
(March 2026)

LOTS Becoming

A six-weeks program for smaller cohorts that created a safe space to connect, learn, build confidence, develop skills and express themselves.
(Sept - Nov 2026)

Individual Support

Provision of education, family, health or livelihood pathways for individuals as needed throughout the year



So LOTS evolved.
From a day of giving to a year of showing up.

And the funfair?

We are not leaving it behind.
We are giving it a bigger place in the journey

...OUR ENTRY!

LOTS 4.0 Funfair

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