

# Canossian Daughters of Charity

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**Other Names:** • Canossian Sisters

**URL:** <http://canossiansisters.org.au/>

## Details

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The Canossian Daughters of Charity is a Catholic order founded in Italy in 1808. They first came to Australia in 1949, and arrived in Darwin in 1970 with the purpose of establishing a residential children's home – Bakhita Village. They ran the children's home from 1972 until late December 1974, when it was destroyed by Cyclone Tracy. The Canossian Daughters of Charity continue to operate in Australia and internationally.

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