

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ our soon coming King, Partners in Ministry, as we are ending this year training cycle, we are truly filled with gratitude for all that God has done so much for us through **YOU**: YOUR passion to embrace the rejected boys and girls; **YOUR** commitment and energy to mobilize the very needed resources, materials and **YOUR** dedication to serve and overcome the immense challenges on our way. All happened because of **YOU**, because of **YOUR** love to Jesus Christ our Lord. But what if Jesus had never been born? I think "no Salvation for us, the thief on the cross would have no answer for his plea, Paul would still be the chief of sinners, then you and I would be along with all the sinners most miserable and sure of punishment in a never-ending hell; there would be no message of hope and resurrecting love for the children and youth who were forced to fight the war, for the girls victims of abuses, for the children without shelter and those girls in search of just cultural treatment in Liberia... 2 Corinthians 9:15 ["Thanks to God for his indescribable gift!](#) God gave us everything: J-E-S-U-S

At Feed My Lamb Program, we were able to operate for six consecutive months exceptionally, comparing to last cycles that were interrupted by the lack or insufficient funds. Because of you, we have fed them regularly and sent to regular school some of these children who are suppressed by poverty and ignorance: Daniel Myers, Washington Cooper, Mercy Kieh, Evelyn Kpawee, Joyce Kpewe in First class and Helena Nyumah, Edwina Kolubah, Winifred Nyaku, David Nyuma in second class.



And they come back to our program for tutorial activities to make them successful as they were out of class longer time ago. It is our prayer that some more children can be helped in the same way on the next cycle at Feed My Lamb Program (FML).

At Camphor Mission in Tubmanville, with My Daughters' Place Program, where we trained Teen Mothers for nine months in different skills, we graduated some in Pastry/baking, Sewing and Crocheting as you could see them smiling as they received their certificates



Rev. Kathy and Dr. Danny helped in giving certificates to our Laureates



From our microloan program, we are expecting a reimbursement of eight pairs of cattle by next March in 2010 and these girls also will receive microloan and start small scale business and animal husbandry. On the other hand, we are happy to note that the first group has made considerable improvement in raising animals and hope to see their lives changed as we monitor them thanks to the motorbike you provided during the cycle.

At the Children Empowered for Sustainability Program (CESPRO) in Kakata, God did marvelous things for the girls. Their graduation was preceded by an exhibition day that revealed to the City dwellers products handmade by these girls who would otherwise be forgotten. It was an opportunity to discover graces and potentials God has insulated in them as you can see here



Pastry / Baking Trainees during exhibition in Kakata

The following day during graduation, girls walked with a smile of satisfaction in the UMC temple to receive their certificates of achievement. We organized it in the way that each department trainees could wear specific clothes made out of their hands at CESPRO



Marching joyfully to the UMC temple for graduation

Computer, Typing, Sewing and crocheting, pastry / baking, cosmetology, soap making and tie –dye trainees are eager to change their lives from all our initiatives in microenterprise program that will shortly start.

We have already booked three shops in the city of Kakata where our microenterprise program is going to host a beauty salon, a pastry / baking shop, a

tailoring shop and a place for the soap making and tie – dye sales... the three shops are under renovation to transform the area as a “CESPRO Microenterprise Business Center”. Equipment and materials will be needed to engage these girls in productive activities that will take them off the streets and out of clandestine activities. We have also sent six of them to the regular school and they are doing well as we monitor them.

At the Brighter Future Children Rescue Center (BFC), we have noted a lot of improvement. It has been a center of attraction for troubled youth as the Deputy Minister of Agriculture addressed residents of Bassa during our graduation ceremony.



Jesus gave us peace that surpasses all understanding through the Peace Builders Club without resources



Peace Builders Club debating in the community

We are particularly delighted to announce that five children ex-combatant we started with in 2004 are going to graduate from 12th grade this year under your support. Few of them are already engaged in desktop publisher, pastry / baking and other skills microenterprise activities.



Carpentry trainees have completed 18 months

In the Literacy section, street Kids who could not read, write, spell nor doing Math are able to read and write and are calling for help to go back to school and we taught to pray God's intervention.

As Shepherds came to kneel at Jesus' manger bed, people who held one of the more menial jobs in life hurried to worship the newborn Savior. That's comfort children and youth who work with us. By bringing the Shepherds, God's reminding us that whatever our station in life including the rejected children and youth, we have Savior.

Children and youth needed forgiveness for what they did during the war and they have it; they needed peace and he gave them the Prince of Peace who brought back the relationship with the Father and fellow Liberians...

From the look back, we turn to the look up. We are longing after supporting more Former Internally Displaced Children who have turned to Street Kids and keep on feeding them four times a week. Educational materials, food stuff and clothing are needed at FEED MY LAMB in Pipe Line Community; we envision including women of all the Camphor Mission Workers as we have discovered that they cannot read, write... there is a need of vocational training for them to serve as instruments of awareness to our ministry at MY DAUGHTERS' PLACE. Food, materials, funds are need; microloan program to empower teen mothers...

Girls at the CESPRO in Kakata need an accelerated learning program we envision to introduce with your help; a strong microenterprise program that will make them self sustainable and seize available

opportunities of life change through our initiatives; school assistance, microloan program...and at the BFC Rescue Center, our vision remains then operation of the woodworking shop first, the microenterprise second and needs are really numerous. It is only with you together that we can touch lives and bring them to our Lord Jesus Christ. Thank you for your decision to form part of the CLUB –CAN – DO – IT through Jesus. Please explore the possibility of a covenant relationship with us and you can learn more at www.gbgm-umc.org or the Special Advance number 3020790 under the caption Brighter Future Children Rescue Center or again our Missionary code # A15152Z and I am able to receive your call to +231-6 554852 or read you at c_0102538@yahoo.com or kfrido@gmail.com

We thank the Lord for all his mercies this past year; thanks for giving us just what we needed in the Savior; that he should help us praise his love forever and walk with us into the new year keeping our partnership, AMEN

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