

## DECEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

"Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world." James 1:27

Dear Still Hope Family,

We want to personally thank you for your faithful prayers and financial support. In January 2023, we will celebrate our 15th year as a non profit organization. We have been able to accomplish a great amount and help children and widows living in less fortunate countries. We recognize that without partners like you we could not do what we do. For this we are so grateful! We would like to share some of our highlights of this past year in 2022.

### KENYA

Our children are doing exceptionally well. They are healthy, studying persistently and growing in the grace and knowledge of our Lord. Currently, we have 75 children in our program. We have children in primary school, boarding school, and college.

Two graduating this December:

Sharon Akinyi – diploma in hospitality management

Dorothy Ashiambo- certificate in cosmetology

Two received scholarships:

Lizzy Awour - Kenyetta Universtiy

Emma Frider - Massinde Muliro Universtiy of science and agriculture



We opened our Senior Dispensary (The Livingston Hall) in 2021. This has really taken off and is doing great! We have 50 seniors, mostly widows who visit the center 3 times a week. This year we launched a sewing program. They are learning a trade which is beneficial to their future in allowing them to provide for themselves. The program is for 1 year and then we will rotate to another group. During their time at The Livingston Hall they each receive a hot meal, and bible study fellowship, and sewing training. We are continuing the monthly food distribution started in January 2020 to 50 recipients who are unable to travel to the center. Those people received new shoes this year along with their monthly food supplies.

## UGANDA

Christina Asaba, our Uganda Director is doing an outstanding job. We now have 7 children placed in her care. We have a wonderful Christian care giver who lives on site to help with the duties of caring for the children. Along with working a job outside of the home, Christina has managed to attain a post graduate diploma in human resource which will allow her to use those skills to relate with people both at work and at home. Also, she got engaged and will marry in February.



## INDIA



We are excited to announce that we have partnered with a pastor in India. Due to the persecution in that area we can not divulge much information. There are 22 children in that program and live there. This program is being used as a "Learning Center/boarding school". The children live there and are cared for with great education and spiritual guidance. We are currently under construction with our first phase. We will be doing a ribbon cutting ceremony in January and they will move to the new facility. We hope to add up to 5 floors for this center. Also, we are caring for 8 widows/widowers that are members of the church with a monthly food distribution. Please pray for these people. They truly love the Lord and everyday their life is in jeopardy.

## THANK YOU

We have had many other wonderful things to take place this past year. please pray for us as we continue to move forward following the leading of the Holy Spirit. There are so many needs and we realize it is impossible to meet them all. However, we can all do something to change one life at a time.

We are grateful for everyone who gives and makes all of this possible. One hundred percent of your tax-deductible gift is used strictly for the cause.

There are several ways you can help. First, we ask for your prayers. Also, you can help financially by visiting our website at [www.stillhope.org](http://www.stillhope.org) and click on the donate button. You may give a check to Still Hope, Inc. . We are set up with Amazon.smile.com when you make your purchases kindly select our organization, Still Hope, Lebanon, OH as the recipient. This is no extra cost to you, it is simply amazons way of giving back. Also, you can sponsor a child monthly a home based child is just \$30 and a residential child is \$60 per month. Please feel free to reach out to us for more information.

On behalf of all of us at Still Hope, we say **"THANK YOU"** for your faithful support. As you can see we are doing a lot and it is because of people like you! We wish you and yours the MERRIEST CHRISTMAS and a wonderful, joyful, healthy year in 2023!

God bless you and yours,  
Rhonda, Landal, Pierre, Nate, and Elizabeth

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**"FOR GOD IS NOT UNRIGHTEOUS TO FORGET YOUR WORK AND LABOUR OF LOVE, WHICH YE HAVE SHEWED TOWARD HIS NAME, IN THAT YE HAVE MINISTERED TO THE SAINTS, AND DO MINISTER." HEBREWS 6:10**