

MISSION MOMENTS FROM AFRICA



Ezekiel – Orphans Helping Others Know Jesus’ Love

Ezekiel used to wonder if God loved him. When his parents died, he was too young to be able to care for all his sisters. Soon he became sick, and then Ezekiel and his sisters became homeless. No one would help them and he lost all hope, even hope in God.

Finally, Ezekiel found a home that he could live in, but it wasn't a good situation. He had to work for the owner of the home three days a week in his fields in order to live there. On those days, Ezekiel couldn't work to earn food for his family, so they had nothing to eat. Then, he received some really bad news. The owner of the house had decided to sell the home, and Ezekiel and his sisters would be homeless again.

Ezekiel prayed for God's help. He also told ZOE's staff about his problem. That very day, ZOE Ministry bought a house for Ezekiel and his sisters. Ezekiel was convinced that God did love him and asked Jesus to be his Lord and Savior.

Ezekiel's heart was filled with God's love. The first thing he did was visit a friend who was sleeping on the streets at night because he had no home. Ezekiel invited his friend and his brother to live with him, and shared everything he had with them. He also helped them find their very own home. Since then, Ezekiel has let many more families live with him when they had nowhere else to stay.

Ezekiel wants to show people how much God loves them. He and his friends have built 11 homes for other orphans in his village. This helps the children see that God has a special love for them. Ezekiel also tells others about the love of Jesus Christ all the time. He teaches Sunday School and sings in church. He visits other orphans because he wants them to know about God's love. Many children in his village say that they became followers of Christ because of Ezekiel.

Like Ezekiel, you too can become a follower of Jesus Christ. You too, can experience God's love, even during the difficult times of life. Many have prayed this prayer to become a follower of Jesus: "Lord Jesus, I need You. Thank You for dying on the cross for my sins. I open the door of my life and receive You as my Savior and Lord. Thank You for forgiving my sins and giving me eternal life. Take control of my life. Make me the kind of person You want me to be."

Please visit www.zoeministry.org with your family to see the video of Ezekiel's story.



Look around your house and count all the Bibles you can find. Bring back a dollar for each Bible. These dollars will bring hope to orphans in Africa by helping them learn about Jesus.

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