



Malawi, Africa - one of the most beautiful and friendly countries in the world, also known as the warm **heart** of Africa. Unfortunately, it's also one of the poorest nations in the world. The majority of the people rely on subsistence farming to feed their families and make a living by selling extra produce. The average income per capita is less than \$580 US per year. Working with our partner, **Healing Hands International**, 1,500 additional Hope Garden Family Packs of seeds along with the most amazing story ever told, *The Message of Hope*, are on the way to Africa as a continued effort to bring **Hope** to **Malawi**. Pray for the missionaries and nationals as they work together to alleviate hunger and to bring **Hope in Christ** for a brighter future.

Praise! Over 400K seed packets/40K Gospel tracts sent as of Sept 2021!
Pray for the 17 missionaries kidnapped in Haiti and for their captors.
Pray for Josias J. Romeus, our country coordinator in Haiti and his family.
Pray for South Sudan and Uganda as we work through new open doors.
Pray for this years' HSI/ Missionary Flights International outreach to Haiti.

On Thanksgiving Day...

*Traditionally we have been taught to reflect on what we are thankful for, and although I have so many good things to be thankful for, I must confess that looking back over these past several years, I am so thankful for all the trials God has brought into my life, even though I may not have felt thankful in the moment. When life is comfortable, I tend to forget how much I need God, but when I have no strength of my own and I don't know where God is leading, that's when I grow the most. These past few years have brought some trials and I wondered if I would make it through, but God has graciously guided me one day at a time. I'm sure you have experienced similar times, so let us encourage one another, and remember that God's blessings are truly abundant, but it's the trials that usually make us rely the most on God. **Be Thankful**, and remember those who face many trials around the world and need to know our Lord and Savior. - Dave*



2021 Fall Giving Challenge: Ways to Give

- \$ (\$10, \$25, \$50...) Any amount of monthly giving enables Hope Seeds to operate and carry out the mission.
 - \$10 - Provides 1 lb of bulk vegetable seed for volunteers to prepare into approx. 300 packets for distribution.
 - \$30 - Provides a Hope Garden Family Pack with 12 species of vegetable seeds and the *Message of Hope* to a family.
 - \$50 - Covers the cost to print 1,000 copies of the Gospel *Message of Hope* and *Colors of Hope* in multiple languages.
 - \$100 - Provides 10 lbs of bulk seed for volunteers to prepare into approx. 3,000 packets for distribution.
 - \$500 - Provides Hope Garden support at a school/ orphanage.
 - \$1,000 - Helps support an Agricultural Training Session in sustainable methods or a Bible Garden School for kids.
- (Mark your calendar for Giving Tuesday on Facebook Nov. 30th!)**



The Journey of A Seed Begins! Seeds were selected, seeds were grown, seeds were packed, seeds were sent, and now seeds have been delivered. There is a long process from selecting appropriate varieties of seeds, to working with partners growing and retaining seed, carefully packing seed by volunteers, finding ways to transport the seeds to missionaries and organizations, and then reaching and training those who will grow the seeds to produce a harvest. Sometimes it's hard to understand the great needs. Bobby and Sherry Burnette of **Love A Child, Inc.**, a partner of **Hope Seeds** to alleviate hunger and bring **Hope**, explain hunger in this way:

"Haiti's Children" "They are the "little ones" who suffer the most because they are too small and helpless to fend for themselves. They live under pieces of ripped tents due to an earthquake, or in a straw hut made from dried grass. They never complain about anything because they are too hungry and weak. Every day when they wake up, they have one goal... find enough food to make the hunger go away "today."

They have faced hurricanes, earthquakes, and mudslides now and then, but they face hunger "every day." There have been times that those from a large family have seen a brother or sister "go away with their mother," and not come back. They just never realized that a sibling had been sold for food, or even given to another family to work as an indentured slave.

Looking into the eyes of these children leaves a great pain in our hearts. These are the ones that the Lord has called us to feed. We are always looking and seeking "that tiny village" that is forgotten. You and I can be an "answer to their prayers." Thank you, for helping us feed the children of Haiti. – Bobby and Sherry"

And thank YOU for helping **Hope Seeds International** help missionaries feed the children of Haiti along with Bobby and Sherry! 5,000 Hope Garden Family Packs, over 50,000 individual packets of seeds, along with **HSI's** newly created **Colors of Hope** for Haiti recently arrived at **LAC**, and more are on the way to this nation!!!



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