

One Mouth PROJECT

Early June this year we received money worth 5,215,751.00 (Five million, two hundred fifteen thousand seven hundred fifty one shillings) from our Go Fund Me fundraising and 171,000 Ugandan shillings via mobile money totaling to 5,386,751 Ugandan Shillings to help unlock acid attack survivors in Uganda who were finding it had to get what to eat. We used the money to buy food, cater for transport costs and we also sent some money to some survivors who were in locked districts.

We were able to purchase the following items, posho, rice, sugar, cooking oil, soap, salt ,beans and we managed to reach out to over 35 survivors with food and two survivors with money to enable them buy something to eat and here is a list of those who benefited out of the one more mouth project.

1. Kawesa Simon
2. Agole Judith
3. Mutesi Jane
4. Nabuma Shanita
5. Namuyomba Jamida
6. Nalubega Margrate
7. Begumiza Margrate
8. Nalumasi Margrate
9. Babirye Rebecca
10. Kyaze Jane
11. Sadam Mayanja
12. Muhooza Elizabeth
13. Grace Kimuli
14. Baby Witney
15. Baby Kisakye
16. Yerusa Kirya
17. Medi Muhamed
18. Deus Twesigye
19. Charles Sebowa
20. Serina birungi
21. Agnes Natongo
22. Namutebi Kamida
23. Yasin lukwango
24. Nambirige Sylvia
25. Katerega Bylon
26. Namundu Amiina

27. Nalubowa Justine
28. Reenah Ntoreinwe
29. Kirungi Linneti
30. Nasikombi Madina
31. Arinaitwe Judith
32. Mweyugye Judith
33. Ronald Namayimba

We sent money to two people and these included:

34. Haawa Namakula 62,000 UGX
35. Bongere Swalik 62,000 UGX

All the people we visited were so grateful to be remembered in that hardest situation and appreciated all those who made it possible for them to have what to eat.

Challenges:

Due to the overwhelming number of acid survivors in Uganda, we could not reach out to all the survivors because they are scattered in many hard to reach places. The 35 people who benefited from this informed other survivors who didn't benefit and around 12 survivors called me asking us to also consider them next time.

We were so much disturbed by curfew and we decided to sleep in our vehicle for three days to be able to reach out to the survivors within the set time and on the second day we managed to get a letter from the Resident District Commissioner (RDC) allowing us to move after curfew time.

Distance, most survivors are scattered from one another and this made the transport cost to be high.

Recommendation:

We kindly request you not to give up but to continue supporting acid survivors with the little you have to make a difference in their lives.

Special thanks goes to Rachel and all those who made this possible. May God bless you all for your generosity and making a difference in the lives of the underserved people.

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