

## Report by Roy Wanta

In today's American society, we tend to measure success by titles of profession, material processions or character. But ask yourself, is that the true measure of success? Will your legacy be of outward success, or will it be that you made a difference in someone's life? It is of priceless value to help someone have a happier or a healthier life, or even to give back a life. There is no way to measure what is the real success story. Below is a story of a mother that almost didn't allow her baby to live.

I would start by thanking God who gave me the strength to carry this pregnancy for a complete nine months. It was not easy. I would also like to thank all the people who



in one way or other contributed to the delivery of this baby either by cash, kindness, or giving me words of encouragement and hope. May the good Lord bless you all! I want to tell every young girl to stop abortion. Could you imagine if baby Favour had been aborted? Who knows

what this baby could be tomorrow, and this is a life that would have been cut off. I thank God who gave me the courage to keep the pregnancy. All I am asking of God is to provide for her upkeep, because it is hard to see her suffer in this world.

Thank you,

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"...choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live"

Deuteronomy 30:19

# Upcoming Widows' Banquet in November

The last week of November, we are planning on the widows' banquet where we hand out food. Last time we ran out of food, and hopefully, we won't this time. If you would like to go for a week and participate in this rewarding event, please call Roy at 715/592-4920. You will not be the same



# **Thank You**

The board would like to thank all of you who remember this mission in prayer, those who have worked endlessly and those who continue to financially support needs. Remember, any donation that you make goes wherever you designate it to go, and there are no administrative fees or expenses taken from the funds.

"And the Lord make you to increase and abound in love one toward another, and toward all men..."

I Thessalonians 3:12





it gives me special joy to write to all of you in the United States of America. The reason for the inner joy is obvious, looking back at what we have accomplished for our generation in so short a time. "I Am" World Outreach is touching the lives of men, women, young people and children in this part of Nigeria. Many things have been accomplished and we believe God to still do more. Here are some crying needs that need urgent attention.

## **Nicodemus**

This young man had mandibulectomy plus ilia crest reconstruction on account of ameloblastoma six years ago. He has been kept alive, but now the surgery is collapsing and his jaw is deteriorating. He was



taken to University Teaching Hospital Ibadan and then he was referred to University Teaching Hospital Port Harcourt. When we got there, they said they do not have the equipment to carry out Prosthetic Reconstruction on him. They said the first reconstruction is collapsing because the bone used was too thin to carry the jaw. According to the doctor, a second operation, where there is good equipment, must be done to avoid death. When I asked if he could live with this present condition, they said he would live for a short time as the situation is life-threatening already. As of right now, we are sorry to say, new reconstruction doesn't seem feasible.

No sacrifice to save a life is too small or too big. God bless you as you respond to this call.

## Widow Georgina Nwonu

This widow is having bad eyesight. One eye is already damaged and she cannot see with it. We had taken her to the hospital to have the surgery. The doctors who are handling her case at Federal Medical Center Asaba Delta State Nigeria, went on strike for a couple of months, so the surgery had been called off. They have

resumed handling her and have placed her on several drugs and routine checkups. They said they want the pressure on her eyes, which was 35% as of August 7, to come down before her surgery or she would lose the sight in both eyes. We also have been struggling for months to get her blood pressure down, which affects her eye pressure. If the pressure on her eyes

comes down, the good news is that the damaged eye could also be recovered through surgery. Please pray for those pressures to come down to the normal range so the surgery can be done. Her next appointment to check her pressure is the third of September. It is a month-to-month situation.

#### **School**



#### Phase I

The new school building, constructed for the educational need of the community, is at the finishing stage.

On July 30th, the official delegate from the State Ministry of Education visited for inspection.

He was satisfied with what we have done so far and encouraged us to build a toilet and continue with finishing touches before their next round of inspection on August 27, 2012

Education, as we all know, is one of the best legacies we can give to our next generation. The school building needs to be finished. We need to plaster the building inside and out, do the floor, paint the building and install windows and doors in all metal or iron. We urgently appeal for help to do this and put the toilet in place. God bless your prompt response.

"We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Let every one of us please his neighbour for his good to edification. For even Christ pleased not himself..."

Romans 15:1-3