

2015 Financial Report

Building Everyone's Success Together in West Africa is a 501(c)(3) organization and relies solely on donations and grants to meet our annual budget.

Income:

Contributions: \$136,367

Grants: \$69,579

Donated food & medical supplies sent to Liberia: \$3,933,455

Total: \$4,139,401

Expenses:

Directly to Liberia for projects: \$142,127

Fundraising: \$6,016

Travel: \$10,510

Support Services: \$50,112

Total: \$208,765

Financial report unaudited and for information only. Details in filed 990's at bestwa.org.

Benefit Dinner

Thursday, February 25, 2015 from 6 p.m.-8p.m.

Midlothian Bible Church

Midlothian, Texas

with special guest speaker **Suzie Humphreys**

www.bestwa.org for more information



I will help:

- ☐ Complete the Birthing Clinic \$ _____
- ☐ Provide food, health care and school for a child. \$ _____
- ☐ Enclosed is a donation of \$ _____ to be used where needed most.

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Building Liberia's Future - One child at a time

Year in Review 2015



GREAT NEWS!

This year you helped:

•Provide food and emergency health care to more than 900 children at 3 feeding centers.

•Import 3 shipping containers of fortified meals (800,000+ meals) distributed to orphanages and other areas with hungry children.

•Deliver food to 200 unemployed teachers during the Ebola crisis.

•Continue the trend of no death from disease among our feeding program children for the second year in a row!

•Raise \$10,000 to air ship donated medical supplies worth \$3.7 million distributed to 3 hospitals and 23 clinics.

•Complete the exterior finishes and the interior plumbing system in the birthing clinic.

•Give college scholarships to 9 students. 2 graduated in December!

•Send more than 300 children to elementary school, most for the first time.

•Employ 25 Liberian staff who each supports an extended family.



You make the difference!

Between the civil wars and Ebola Liberia has been stretched nearly to the breaking point. More than 50% of the population is under age 20. Nearly two thirds of the people cannot read and write. The number of hungry, often homeless, children is staggering. Need seems to overwhelm resources. Yet God has given 900 precious children into our care. We want for them what we routinely give our own children: food, health care, education, love and the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

You make the difference! I am humbled and so grateful for each one of our donors, prayer partners, and friends. You have walked with us through some of our biggest challenges and greatest triumphs in 2015. Thank you!

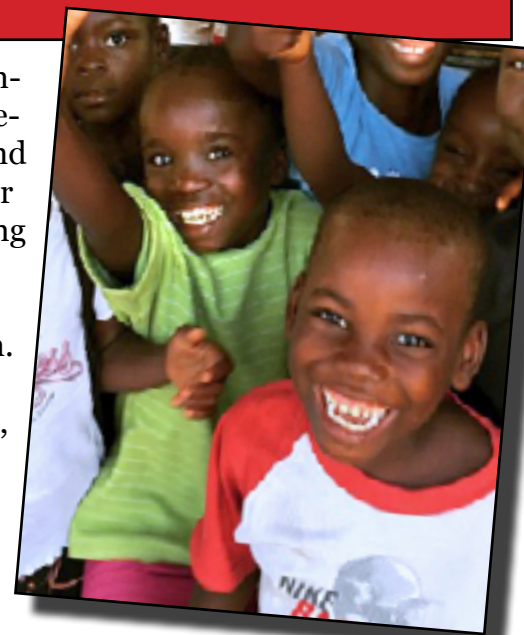
For our Liberian friends,

Opportunities to pray:

TRAVEL: For Andy and our education consultant, Dr. Jerome Stewart, who fly to Liberia on January 28, to listen to principals' and teachers' needs to prepare teams going later this year. \$5,000 needed to cover remaining expenses.

STAFF: Our Liberian staff work in some of the most challenging conditions on earth. Pray for spiritual and physical protection.

CHILDREN: For protection from disease, trauma, and harm. Pray they would have a vision for the future of their country and hearts open to Jesus.



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Opportunities for 2016

Feeding Program

Each day more than 900 children attend one of 3 BESTWA feeding sites for a hot meal. The staff is desperate to expand the program to meet the needs of the community.

Goal: Add 300 children.

Funds needed: \$54,000 per year



Basic Healthcare

BESTWA's first year feeding 150 malnourished children 19 died. A local clinic now provides excellent care to any sick child in the feeding program. We are ecstatic to report no deaths in the last 2 years! The next step is preventive care.

Goal: Add a wellness program.

Funds needed: \$7,200 per year.



Education Project

Only 36% of Liberian adults are functionally literate.

Goal: 400 more feeding program children in school.

Funds needed: \$62,400

\$156 per child or \$13 per per month

Teacher Training

Children in the BESTWA feeding program attend 17 different schools in Buchanan. We recently formed an advisory council to partner with the principals and teachers of those schools to guarantee an excellent education is provided the children.

Goal: Take a consultant to Liberia to assess where we can have the most impact.

College Scholarships

On December 22 two BESTWA Scholars graduated from United Methodist University in Monrovia. Amos Mellish and Samuel Judges (pictured below) are the third and fourth godly young Liberians to obtain university degrees with the help of BESTWA Scholarships.

Goal: Scholarships for 9 university students.

Funds needed: \$2,500 per student per semester.

Dennis Birthing Clinic

When completed, the Dennis Birthing Clinic will provide prenatal care, birth services, and facilitate the training of local midwives. Windows, interior finish, flooring, solar power, and water (drilled well, pumps, water tower, filtration system) are needed to open the clinic.

Funds needed: \$153,000



BESTWA is a registered 501(c) (3) tax-exempt charity. Our EIN is 45-5149588