

WYC Tesfa (Hope) Campaign

Tesfa (ተስፋ) means HOPE in Amharic. Our devotion is to give hope to children by sponsoring their education

\$360 per child/year



Rebuilding Families
One Child at a Time



Amanuel Azenelegn

Age 4

KG 2

Amanuel lives with his mother, grandmother, aunts and uncles in a small one room house. His mother also takes care of her ailing mother. She works any temporary work she can find and she can sometimes be out of work. It is impossible for Amanuel to go to school regularly without our help.



Eden Mitiku Age 3

Eden lives with her mother and father. Her father Mr. Metiku was a businessman. However, he lost all his money when his "equb" money was stolen (money collected from other businesses for support). The family depends on the limited income his wife makes from selling coffee on the stress. Eden will not be able to continue to attend school with their current income.



Hana Wondwosen

Age 4

KG 1

Hana lives with her parents and an older brother. They live in a mud and flat sheet one bedroom house. Her parents do not hold regular jobs, so their life is unstable. Her mother also suffers from depression which makes it hard for her to get regular work. Without our help, Hana will not be able to attend school.



Bruck Gezahegn

Age 4

KG 1

Bruck lives with his mother and older brother. His mother sells coffee and tea on the streets. They live in a rented very small one room. The room is so small that they can't fit a bed. He is in danger of losing his schooling if his mother is not able to see coffee and tea on the streets.



Kaleb Legese

Age 3

KG1

Kaleb lives with his parents and two of his older brothers. His father has severe intestinal ulcers and he has not been able to work and can not leave his home most days. To support the family, his mother bakes bread which she sells on the streets. Unfortunately, they no longer have electricity because she could not pay the 10,000 birr she owes the electric company. She has not been able to bake bread without electricity. They are living using money people given them. Without our support, Kaleb will not be able to attend school.



Kalid Jemal

Age 5

KG 2

Kalid lives with his parents and his older sister. His father works at a mill (Wefcho Bet). His mother does not work. His father's income is barely enough for food and daily needs. He is in danger of losing his education unless we support the family.



Betselot Binyam

Age 4

KG 1

Betselot lives with her mother, aunt and one month old younger sister. Her mother cleans people's houses. She has not been able to work after giving birth to the new baby. They live in a one room house made of sheet metal. Without any income, Betselot is in danger of losing her education.



Hemen Zeleke

Age 3

KG

Hemen and her mother live with her aunt. Hemen's mother serves as a maid for Hemen's aunt. She does not get paid, but she lives there for free. She also takes care of the aunt's sick child. Hemen's mother suffers from depression. Hemen needs our support so that she does not lose her education.



Markan Wondemagegn

Age 4

KG1

The home of Markan is shared by her mother and grandfather who is 81 years old and ill. Her mother does any odd jobs she can find to support Markan and her grandfather. She also has diabetes and high blood pressure, but she is not able to afford to get medical care or buy medications. Markan is in danger of losing her education if her mother gets ill.



Meklit Bezabeh

Age 4

KG 1

Meklit lives with her parents in a one room house. Her mother washes towles at a massage parlor and her father works at a parking lot. They do not have enough income to continue sending Meklit to school.



Haset Yabsera

Age 4

KG 1

Haset and her mother live at Haset's great grand parent's house. Haset's father is not in her life and she has never met him. Haset's mother does odd jobs here and there and depends on the grandparents for support who do not have regular income. Haset will not be able to attend school without our support



Iman Meki

Age 4

KG2

Iman lives with her parents and her younger sister. Her mother has breast cancer and has had several surgeries and is not able to work. Her father sells vegetables on the street. His income is barely enough for food and rent. Iman is in danger of losing her education.



Beemnet Muse

Age 5

KG 2

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Mesay Shewalema)

Beemnet lives with her parents and her elder sister. Her father's entire monthly salary can only cover house rent, her mother lost her temporary job so she hand washes clothes for a living whenever she gets the chance. They have sold most of their belongings to survive.



Eyob Wegu

Age 3

KG

Eyob lives with his mother who earns their income by hand washing cloth for different families.. Their house is extremely small and uncomfortable to leave in. They don't have financial support of any kind from anyone. Eyob suffers from hearing and speech disorders, so his teachers decided not to have him take exams. But spending time at school affects him positively and helps his ability to talk.



Kegna Chuchu

Age 5

KG2

Kegna lives with her mother and her siblings, they live in their grandparent's house in a small room. Her mother works as a maid. Kegna's mother struggles supporting her family as her income is low and she doesn't have any financial support from any relative.



Sabrin Jemil

Age 5

KG 2

Sebrin lives with her parents and siblings, her father works as a cleaner in households and her father is a parking lot attendant.



Nardos Biruk

Age 5

KG 2

Nardos lives with her parents and older brother; her parents took a loan and started a fresh food supply business but unfortunately failed. And now they are struggling with the debts.



Fenet Mitku

Age 4

KG 1

Fenet lives with her parents. Her father has a severe kidney disease. Her mother cleans homes and cooks to support the family. They cannot afford to pay for her father's medical treatment, so the mother works hard to make sure that they have food and pay rent on their small one room house. Without our support, Fenet will not be able to attend school.



Natal Eshetu Age 4

Natal lives with his grandparents. His mother went to the Middle East looking for work, but she never came back. His father also went to the a different region in Ethiopia looking for work, he also never came back. His grandmother sells injera at a gulet (an outdoor market) at night and his grandfather collects old clothing for sale.



Sara Worku

Age 3

KG

Sara lives with her mother who works as a house cleaner in their neighbourhood. Even Though Sara's mother is a graduate from Adama University with an accounting degree, she has not been able to find work so she has to clean homes to make ends meet and to take care of Sara. She does not have extra money to send Sara to school.



Dawit Tesfaye Age 4
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Betre Family)**

Dawit lives with his parents, two older brother and his aunt. His father is not able to work due to his mental health problems. His mother is a domestic worker, however, she is currently out of work to hand injury. Without our support, Dawit is at risk of not being able to attend school.



Hana Nigussie Age 4

Hanna lives with her mother Aynalem and a relative. Hannah's father died from a car accident and as a single mother, Aynalem has been struggling to raise Hanna and keep her in school.

