



Lokichogio Famine Relief, Kenya



Malnourished boy



We sent blankets, oil, maize and porridge



The elderly have been badly affected

You will know from the news that the famine in Kenya, Sudan and Somalia is pretty desperate. The main aid agencies are active in the camps, which are unsafe and politically difficult.

We, however, have made a connection with a community of around 3500 in Lokichogio, towards the Sudanese border, in the north of Kenya. This region has been badly hit, but we have been successful in taking our first truckload of maize, oil, porridge and blankets into this remote community. We have given enough for about 800 people to live for a month and I am hoping to raise further support for another run in November/December. The total cost for the supplies including transport and internal travel for our Eagles Wings partners in Kenya to get to the north was £2500.

There is a high level of sickness due to disease, poor diet and harsh living conditions. The elderly ladies insisted on standing for the photos although they were weak and hardly able to get up. Typically they will go without, in favour of the young children and young mothers.

My friends were overwhelmed with tears at the desperate living conditions and promised to help with more food and some basic schooling for the children, which is non-existent at the moment.

A huge thank you to those of you who supported this initiative and I hope this is an encouragement to others that aid can and does get through without being tainted or 'lost'. I feel it's a drop in the ocean but it was people like this I set the charity up for!

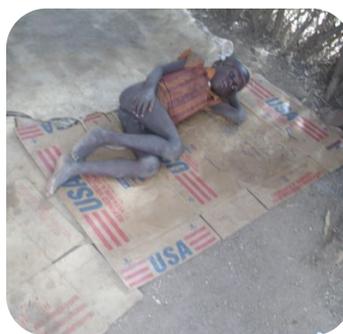
Please can you pass this on if you feel others may be able to help as well. Thank you,

Bruce Oliver, Eagles Wings

Many are listless and hopeless



Sickly child lying on cardboard



Bags of maize



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