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ORPHANKIND REPORT

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1,100 ORPHANS SPONSORED!

Your monthly sponsorship combined with the generosity of others has helped us provide education, school supplies and food packs to orphaned children aged 4-15 in Pakistan in Quarter 2.

We distributed our quarterly food pack to the families of the orphan children through distributions hosted at 56 central locations. Each food pack consisted of:

- 40 kilograms wheat flour
- 5 kilograms rice
- 3 litres oil
- 5 kilograms sugar
- 4 kilograms pulses
- 4 kilograms lentils
- 4 kilograms red beans
- 1.6 kilograms salt

Why we are doing it:

With 153 million orphaned children worldwide and 5,700 additional orphaned children everyday, there is a need to care for these vulnerable children and their families.

What does our OrphanKind program provide:

School tuition paid directly to the school of the child, school supplies consisting of backpack, textbooks and workbooks, notebooks, stationary items, school uniform, socks, and shoes.





PAKISTAN

68 orphans in Gilgit-Baltistan

- 21 orphans in Astore
- 7 orphans in Diamer
- 39 orphans in Gilgit
- 1 orphans in Hunza

 **556**
BOYS

 **544**
GIRLS

18 orphans in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

- 2 in Abbottabad
- 13 Charsadda
- 3 Kholistan

13 orphans in Islamabad Capital Territory

982 orphans in Azad Jammu and Kashmir

- 160 orphans in Bagh
- 1 Baramula
- 1 Neelam
- 160 Bhimber
- 86 Hattain Bala
- 185 Kotli
- 38 Mirpur
- 102 Muzaffarabad
- 117 Poonch
- 122 Sundhnooti

19 orphans in Punjab

- 1 Gujranwala
- 7 Gujrat
- 11 Rawalpindi

CASE STUDY 1



Hifza Akbar

Grade 7

BACKGROUND

Hifza is currently living with her mother, Zakia Sultana, and her three sisters, Aqsa, Maria and Fouzia in the beautiful village of Rera in Bagh district. Hifza's father passed away in 2017, due to kidney issues and the family has been in debt because of the treatments prior to the passing. Their relatives had assisted them initially, but that was not enough for their basic needs and the family has been living under extreme circumstances.

ACCOMODATIONS

Hifza and her family now live in a prefabricated two room house. The walls of this house are constructed by blocks and the roof is covered with iron sheets, which makes the condition of this accommodation a very difficult one to survive in.

FINANCIAL SITUATION

Zakia has tried to make a living and to generate income from selling milk which proved to not be enough to cover the care of her family, ever since Hifza's father passed away. Since Zakia is unable to obtain the necessities she and her family needs due to her severe back pain, she is now contemplating to put up their buffalo, their only asset, for sale in order to survive, with their dept now piled up to 15000 rupees.

IMPACT OF ORPHANKIND

This program has had a great impact on Hifza and her family and according to Fouzia, Hifza's older sister, the family is still using the food packs provided to them half a month ago. The quarterly food packs have lifted a huge burden from Zakia's shoulders and while they provide nutritious support, they are still amidst many struggles and it is vital for them to continue being enrolled in this program.

CASE STUDY 2



Sidra Ismaeel

Grade 7

BACKGROUND

Sidra became an orphan on March 23rd, 2021, the day her father, Muhammad Ismaeel Khan, passed away due to his diabetic condition. Sidra lives with her mother Akhter Jan, her two brothers Shahid and Shahzan and her two sisters Azra and Anaya in the Hattian Bala region. This big family of a mother and four orphans is struggling to make ends meet.

ACCOMODATIONS

Sidra and her family, all five of them now live in a two bedroom shelter with a separate washroom and kitchen, the only thing left from their father and the space is barely sufficient for a family of this size.

FINANCIAL SITUATION

Ever since Muhammad Ismaeel Khan's passing, the family has lost its sole source of income has not been able to recover at all. They struggle to meet their needs by the assistance of relatives and neighbours. In fact, Sidra's older brother was forced to start working in a shop in hopes to make around PKR7000 to PKR8000 per month, which is not a stable or enough income to meet the family's basic needs.

IMPACT OF ORPHANKIND

The OrphanKind program is providing Sidra's family with the much needed support which is in the form of the quarterly food packs, which reduces the burden on the monthly income needed by the family. This sponsorship program also provides Sidra with private education, something of great value to her, with a promise of a better livelihood and future. Not only for her, but also for her family.

CASE STUDY 3



Muhammad Raza

Grade 2

BACKGROUND

Muhammad is in grade 2 and is living with his mother Safia Begum and sister Noor. His father, Kamran Ali Mir, passed away in 2014 due to heart failure. Kamran was a fruit and vegetable seller in the Vegetables Market of Rawalpindi. While Safia, Muhammad's mother, is still alive, she is helpless beyond words as since Kamran's sudden passing, their lives have turned upside down.

ACCOMODATIONS

With the help of their relatives they were able to build a home with two rooms built with the use of prefabricated material. The condition of the house is constantly deteriorating and this also adds to the stressors Muhammad's family is facing.

FINANCIAL SITUATION

Since the death of her husband, Safia started as caretere at a private school which earns her PKR4000 (CAD32) per month. Considering the loans she has to repay on a monthly basis, there is not much left for her to take care of their family with, as other expenses pile up.

IMPACT OF ORPHANKIND

The program that Muhammad is enrolled in now, has had a huge impact of him and his family. It has addressed their main challenge which is lack of food ration, and this has allowed the family to better manage their limited income. The free private and regular education program Muhammad is enrolled in has infused much hope about their future being brighter than what is seems now. Safia is constantly thankful for the stable quarterly food packs and for the fact that her child can attend school and possibly achieve his dreams.

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