

**An Update from National Mission Commission of Nepal
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Providing housing to the Earthquake victims are in limbo due to Government complexedbeurocrative procedure and lack of will power of the government. However, the NGO and INGO are putting their efforts in providing houses to the earthquake vicittives is moving slowly.

We are thankful to God and our donors who have been praying and contributing generously to provide the earthquake resilient houses to the victims. So far we have been able to build our 7th houses. the last earthquake house that we built is in Gotikhel which is quite far in the mountaineous region of Lallitpur. It takes 4 hours by truck to get there.

Earthbag house for Eartquake Victims:

Testimony of Khetnath

Kethnath and his wife have lost their home during the catastrophic earthquake. They are old and childless and land less. They spent time for long time under the plantic tents. There is no one for them to help financially to make their living, they have to work as labours in their village to make their living.



needs, we decided to help them.

Though it was hard for us to the place up in the mountain driving 4 hours, we managed to find a skilled workers and started building the houses. By God's grace within a month we are able to build a 2 stories houses house for them. Now Mr. Khetnath and his wife are quite happy now they do not have to worry about the rain or winder. They have stay peacefully without

any problem.

The Government officer has appreciated us for our outstanding work. The government and local community have been witnessed with the gospel of Jesus Christ and people have been able hear the gospel thorough such a relief work.

Government has not been able to provide any assistance toward rebuilding their house. We were approved by the government official to build a house for them. To respond their desperate build the earthbag house for to bring the buidingmaterials



Slum Education Centre:

At this moment we are running 3 Slum Education Centers . Two centers are being run in Thapathaliriver in Kathmandu and one outside of Kathmandu in Godavari.

Thapathali Slum Centres:



Thapathali has got two centers. One is for children aged 7-15 where about 60 children attend and next is for preschool children where about 12 children attend. We are continuously providing good education to our children with biblical principle. Our constant effort in taking care of the children have paid off because we find improvement in Children's lives through building the character and successful performances in their education. During our teaching we provide food and stationaries as per their needs. Students have been entertained by different extra

activities such as dances, quiz contest and reward giving. Last month one of our teachers writes in his report 'this month we were successful to conduct the debate contest whereas, the students were actively participated in debate as well in the extra activities in the class. The parents visit have added extra excitements in the programme'. Other teacher writes, 'this month we have chosen Anjali and Kuldip as the student of the months because they have obtained two stars each and both have improved remarkably in their studies. There are 2 part-time teachers and 3 volunteer teachers working every day. By God's grace the church has been established in the slum. Our Lord has answered our prayers. Now we are partnering with church in sharing resource persons.

Preschool Centre:

There are 12 children at the center. Their age ranges from 2-5 years. They are taught and fed at the center. Most of the mothers leave the home early to find a job and children are dropped at the center. While children stay at the center they are cleaned, taught, fed and engage them in the extra activities like singing, dancing. Once they reach 5 years of age, then they are moved to the school to for the formal education.



Godavari Slum Education Center.

Godavari Slum is running smoothly by the Grace of God. We have 35 students attending classes every day. There are two teachers teaching regularly and providing good education and foods. They have improved a lot in their studies and their parents and community are quite pleased with our work. We have also adopted 5 orphan children from this



community who are staying at their family and studying at different school. The children were studying in a very poorly managed school but after we started supporting them, now they have moved to the better school where they can receive better education and get higher marks in their performances.



Foster Child Program:

By grace we have been able to help support to the orphan children as fostering a child. At this moment we are supporting total of 12 orphan children whose either father or mother have died. Some of their parents have died during the earthquake. We are providing Rs. 1000.00 rupees per month that covers their tuitions, uniform and stationaries. The name of the childrens are as follows:

1. Sarswoti Rai – 8 Years from Thapathali Slum
2. Tryfasha Rai – 10 years from Thapathali Slum
3. Sapana Mahato -11 yeas from Thapathali Slum
4. Purnima Rai -13 years old from Thapathali Slum
5. Kuldip Ram 13 years old from Thapathali Slum
6. Rajan Tamang 13 years old from Godavari Slum
7. Sajan Tamang 8 years old from Godavari Slum
8. Asmita Tamang 13 years old from Godavari Slum
9. Mamta Tamang 9 years old from Godavari Slum
10. Sapana Tamang 10 years old from Godavari Slum
11. Mahesh Nepali from Lamahi Far west Nepal
12. Reena Chaudhari from Lamahi Far west Nepal
13. Solomon sing Sunar 12 years old from Lamahi Far West Nepal

Survived snake Bite

Ankita aged 5 years old who is one of the students at the Slum Education center in Thapathali. Unfortunately, she was bit by a poisonous snake in October this year, while she was playing near by home at Godavari Slum. She turned green after she was bit and rushed to the hospital. She was admitted and kept in ICU for form then 2 weeks. Finally by the grace of God she got recovered from the snake bite. Since her parents are from the slum and did not have enough money to pay to the hospital. We the National Mission Commission of Nepal have partially helped her toward her medication. Now she has started coming to our slum center and regularly going to here school.

