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Name: Biganario Bien Venue

Birthdate: Unknown, 2001 **Age:** 10

Gender: Male **Birthplace:** Congo

Reasons Placed With Goshen Ministries: The father died in a civil war, 2003 and the mother's whereabouts is unknown. Biganario has been living in the Ngozi Refugee camp in Musasa, Burundi with Pastor Tomas Rukamirwa. This man is not able to adequately provide for him. Therefore, Pastor Bigimba agreed to take him in to Grace's House.

School: TBD

Progress/Needs: unknown

Languages Spoken: Swahili and Kirundi.

Biganario

pictured here at Gshen's House of God's Grace

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sponsorship questions:

[lilly darling, 520-207-0108, lilly@fattrees.com](mailto:lilly@fattrees.com)

Bignario. from musasa refugee camp to house of god's grace



new family



children in refugee camp, 2010



25 orphans just in the small goshen congregation have been taken into other homes



musasa refugee camp holds 7000 people



Commentary:

Biganario represents a world of need beyond the children being cared for at House of God's Grace. There are so many children like him, either abandoned or with family or friends that have hardly anything to share. In the world of the refugee camp, life is very difficult and there are limited options when it comes to caring for these lost kids.

Please pray with us that God will lead in the protection and care of these needy, yet priceless children.

Biganario is reportedly fitting in quite well at the home as the most recent addition. Even though the resources are currently very tight and the children already at the home do not have all their needs met - the house mothers felt that welcoming this child in was something that they needed to do, and that he needed a home.

We will continue to add more information as we receive it on this son.

lilly darling 4/2011



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ABOUT HOUSE OF GOD'S GRACE:

Goshen Ministries Inc. is a 501(c)(3) [the official US non-profit standard] and care facilitators of House of God's Grace orphanage [with official papers in Mutakura District] in Bujumbura, Burundi. Currently 19 children and one house mother live in a three room house with one living quarter structure, a bathing room and pit toilet, as well as a newly constructed chicken coop. Electricity and water were recently brought up to the property so that the children have access on-site. A wall surrounding the property, and beds installed inside the home have given a much needed security and comfort to the children this year. But there are still great obstacles of poverty that the children face each and every day.

WHAT DO SPONSOR FUNDS ACCOMPLISH?

The funds that come from sponsors are used primarily for food. Utilities, basic house supplies and emergency needs are other uses of the funds if available.

WHAT OVERHEAD DOES GOSHEN HAVE?

There are no administrative fees or deductions taken out of sponsor funds aside from the banking transfer fee and exchange rate from US Dollars to Burundi Francs.

WHAT IS THE GOAL?

Our goal is to have each child fully funded with a \$30 food and basic needs sponsorship. Until the time where this is in place, the total sponsorship funds will be shared between all in the home. Your prayer, letters and communication are welcomed for your specific sponsored child, and will help them to know that there is hope and love connected with the provision that they experience.

WHAT DOES A MONTHLY SPONSORSHIP PROVIDE?

The goal of \$30 per month will allow the foods that are provided to the children to be of a healthy and nutritious content and frequency. The most common (and current situation) basic meal consists of cassava and beans and rice (very minimal vitamins or proteins) and this is often only once per day. Our desire is to add dairy, vegetables, fruits and meat to their diet so that they are building immunity, strength, and healthy bodies.

WILL I GET REPORTS OR COMMUNICATION?

We are currently working out a system for communication with the children as 2 times during the year teams travel back and forth from the US to Burundi. Limited success with packages has been experienced, but letters have a much better chance. Photos, phone calls and prayers are so important and we will do all that we can to enhance this with 'Goshen family' e-newsletters, website updates and in-person events as we get news from Africa. You will also receive a yearly donation receipt for your tax records.

HOW LONG DOES SPONSORSHIP LAST?

As long as you are able. We would appreciate if you are able to give us notice that you are unable to continue your support so that we can update our records. We understand that sometimes there is a season where support is difficult and/or delayed, and we are incredibly grateful for what you are able to give.

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

Simply fill out the contact information and donation level on the sponsor form and return it in one of the following ways: email to Lilly Darling (US orphanage director) lilly@fattrees.com or goshenministries@gmail.com - You may also mail it to GOSHEN MINISTRIES 5326 E 5th Street, Tucson Arizona 85711. If you have any questions, please call 520.207.0108 (Lilly) or 520-312-2989 (Bigimba).

THANK YOU!



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SPONSOR FORM

By signing below I hereby acknowledge that I desire to sponsor the following child:

(name of child) _____

at a \$15 \$30 per month orphanage sponsorship level.

(circle one)

Signature _____ Date _____

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Name: _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Cell _____

Email _____

Method of support delivery: Mailing Check/Cash Online(Facebook/Causes)
(circle one) (5326 E 5TH ST. TUCSON AZ 85711) <http://www.causes.com/causes/372345-bump-it-up-to-ten>

Special Requests for Receipts/etc:

Notes:

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