



Alamo City Mercy Foundation May 2009 Newsletter



HOPE BECOMES REALITY FOR ORPHANS AS SECOND SEMESTER BEGINS

*"There is a time for everything and a season for every activity under Heaven."
Ecclesiastes 3:1*



A time to learn...



...and a time to play.



A time to sow...



...and a time to reap.



A time to be born...



...and a time to multiply!

*"God has made everything (at the "JESUS. Hobbs House of Hope")
beautiful in its time." Ecclesiastes 3:11*

MEET THE HOUSE OF HOPE STAFF

We are so blessed to have six exceptional full-time staff serving the Lord at the "House of Hope!" They live on our property and are available for the children 24 hours a day. Please pray for them as they care for our kids.



Benson

Teacher/ Boys House Parent
Salary: \$169 a month



Violet

Teacher/ Girls House Parent
Salary: \$169 a month

**\$714 will pay this entire staff for one month.
\$4,284 will pay their salary for the rest of the year.**



Johnston

Head Cook
Salary: \$138 a month



Geoffrey

Gardener/ Assistant Cook
Salary: \$107 a month



Isaac

Property Caretaker
Salary: \$77 a month



Naomi

Housekeeper
Salary: \$54 a month

Personal Word from Kristi Hobbs

Our ultimate goal at the "House of Hope" is to be self-sustaining. By means of our rabbits, chickens, garden, and even our water, this is definitely an attainable goal. There is still much to be done, however, and until that time of self-sufficiency, we will continue to need additional funding. We fully trust the Lord to provide, and have witnessed His provision over the years through your faithful gifts. With the gifts we receive comes the responsibility of stewardship. We accept the responsibility that every dollar misspent could be a child's life misspent. Thank you for entrusting to us your gifts. We remain forever grateful. ~ Kristi

Immediate Needs:

Staff salary: **See above**
Per child sponsorship: **\$180 per month**
(food, shelter, clothing, schooling)
Per child care for the rest of 2009: **\$1080**

Wish List:

Milk cow: **\$900**
Library books: **\$700**
Playground set: **\$1300**
5 Acres of land: **\$5500 per acre**