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REECE’S RAINBOW SETS ORPHANS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS IN FAMILIES

“When I grew up in the orphanage it was Christians who came and built nicer buildings...who wrote a letter in a shoe box...who met all my physical and material needs in that orphanage. But it was also Christians who neglected my biggest need. Children in orphanages don’t need more money, nicer buildings or better clothes. I am not an orphan because I lost my home or provisions. I am an orphan because I lost my parents.

I needed a mom and a dad.
I needed a family.

Christians treated all my temporary symptoms of need but never cured my longterm disease of being an orphan. I am still an orphan.”

STEPHEN UCEMBE, age 30, spoken at the Christian Alliance for Orphans (CAFO) Summit in 2013.