

## *WOC's Pilot Project No More Tears (NMT) Sierra Leone*

In 2007, World Orphan Connection funded 35 orphan's education for a year and provided funds to plant a garden that both fed the children, and provided a source of income for the orphanage. The following photos are reflective of the completed project.



In February of 2011, WOC was blessed to hear that the project has continued to be an enormous success and, with the support of other organizations, NMT and the children are thriving.

Thorough the past years, NMT has been rapidly developing. Let me just give you some brief information about some of the activities we have under gone.

- a. The orphanage: in 2009, we got funding to construct a permanent structure for the orphanage. The work was completed in 2010 and it is currently occupying the kids.
- b. We received funding for the construction of a three rooms primary school. The walls are completed and we are waiting some materials from Freetown to do the roof.
- c. We are now in partnership with an organization which is sponsoring some of the kids monthly, and they have done a lot including giving scholarship to two orphans to enter the university last year.
- d. Our agricultural project is extremely doing great. As I mentioned in my previous letter, we are only having problem with fertilizer and insecticides. We want to make it sustainable.
- e. We are expecting a large donation of items from the US of clothing and educational materials for the orphanage. They shall be arriving on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March this year.

Attached, are photos of the new orphanage and the walls of the primary school.

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No More Tears was founded by a wonderful Pastor named Sorie, who has chosen his retirement years to reach out to the orphans and street children who have been ravaged by poverty and civil war. Thanks Sorie, for your passion and dedication and thank you to all those who support you. Bless you, sir!