



Home Leone

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Building Communities of Hope with the Poor



**JUST DO IT.**

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Now Faith is being sure of what  
you hope for and certain of  
what you cannot see

Hebrews 11 v1



What gives my life Meaning?

A short term visit can make a **big** difference



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Built a wheelchair ramp  
in a couple of hours



# Sierra Leone today

Life Expectancy

48



“If I had been born there – on average I would be dead”

# Sierra Leone today

People sleeping with more than 10 in a room tonight

# 1 in 5

“Gosh – we have 5 rooms for each person!”



# Sierra Leone today



Homes with no flush toilet



94%

Hundreds of thousands of people live in homes like this



and in communities like this



For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews will arise from another place, but you and your fathers family will perish

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Then Ebola visited this nation



“Thousands died  
but now the  
disease has gone”

# Slum fires kill and cause homelessness



April 2017

Susan's Bay  
Sierra Leone

# Leading to desperate hardship



Mariama is searching for anything of value to rebuild a shelter from the ruins, after a fire destroyed her “home”

**December 2016  
in Ford Street**

# Funding

Home Leone started when, in 2014, Dave Hall ran from John O'Groats to Lands End in 40 days, sleeping in a replica shack each night.

“A marathon a day raised over £100,000”



# A New Village is Planned



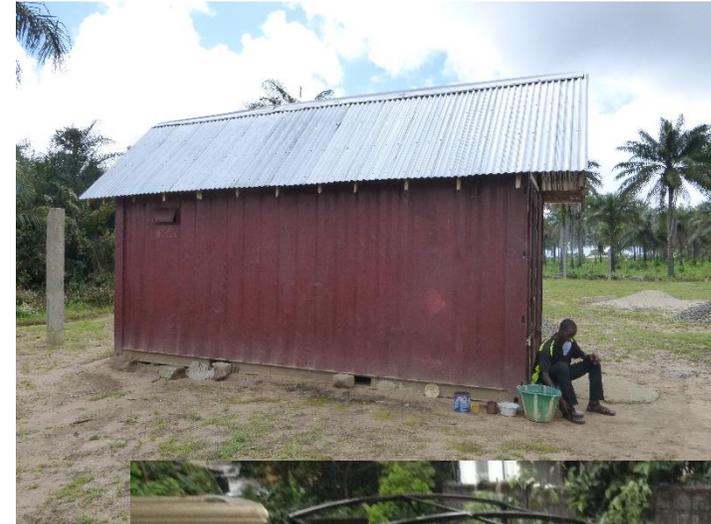
- Businesses make it sustainable
- 344 homes
- Primary and secondary schools
- Healthcare centre
- Power
- Water and waste management

# Our Solution - now in Action

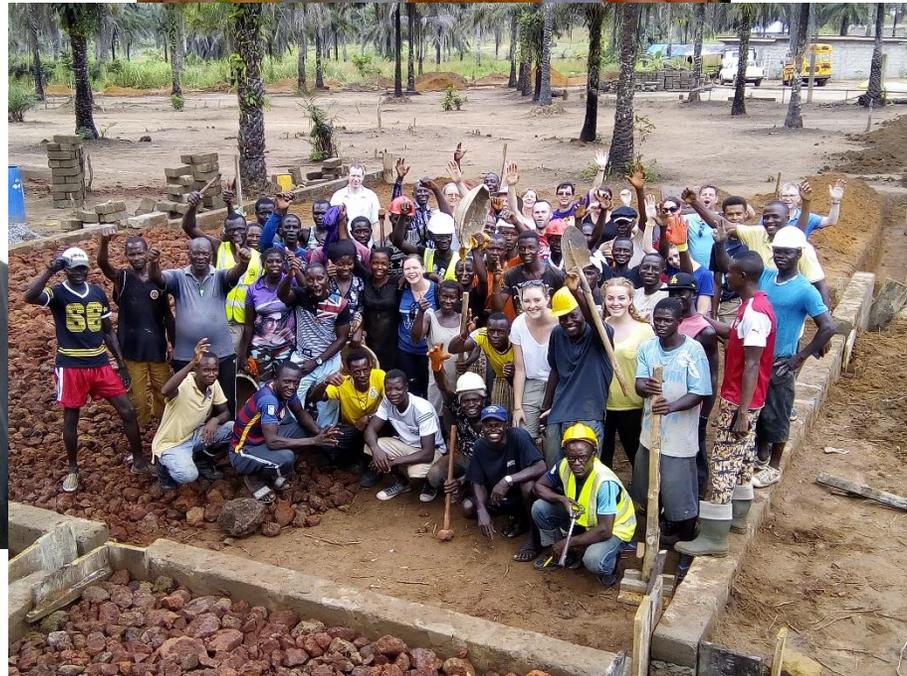
To relocate the first 2,000 people out of slums to the pilot “Destiny Village”



# First Steps: Bought Land, Transport and Water Supply



# Developing Our Team



With Professional Planners  
Architects, Accountants and  
Builders:



Laying Out the village and designing the homes





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**Drone shot of  
first 32  
homes**

# Businesses bring sustainability

- Brick Making Factory
- Water bagging
- Garage and Transport
- Chicken Farm
- Plastics re-cycling
- Residential Care Home
- Bakery





The First Warehouse

# Community – led home design



**Blocks of 8 houses,  
each with**

- 2 bedrooms
- Parlour
- Veranda
- Kitchen
- Toilet
- Shower







Inside the compound

# Brick factory



Interlocking  
hydraform blocks

Gods provision

# Literally low-cost Homes



Direct Cost for Each  
House is only £5,500

Each Block of 8 is £44,000

“I thought – How much does my house cost? – and I can house a family for just £5,500 per house!”

# Our land was next to an old British built water pumping station



- The Local community agreed
- Holds 180,000 litres!
- We refurbished it
- Laid a pipe 1km to the top of our village
- A Solar pump makes the supply sustainable and effective
- Sending to water tower at high point

# Now Refurbished and built a bridge



# Education - *vital to develop a nation*



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We are building 3 schools:

- Primary 4-12
- Junior Secondary 13-15
- Senior Secondary 16-18



Buildaid are committing to building the first 4 of 14 primary classrooms



# Vocational and Adult Training



# Power – Sierra Leone has less than 25% of its need



## Short Term

- diesel generators
- solar panels

## Full solution -

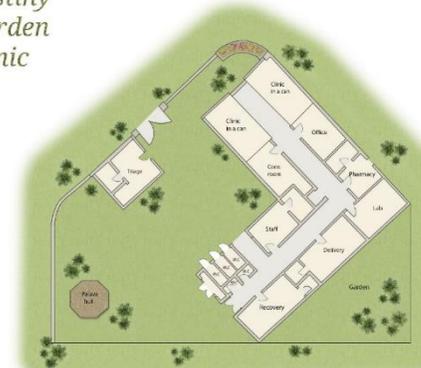
- Micro solar plan
- Connect to solar Farm 2019
- Cost £80,000 (\$100,000)

# Health care

- A Health Facility in the Village
- A Care Home in the Village
- Community Health Training
- A Wider partnership with key health care providers



*Destiny  
Garden  
Clinic*



# Clinic in a Can – consulting room in a container



# Corporate Teams

We host teams from Companies –  
a triple WIN

- Individual – personal development
- Company – Team building, CSR, Retention
- Community Development



Arup Engineering  
Turley  
IM Group  
Futuresource  
Swansea University

# August 2017 a Mudslide killed over 1,000 residents



# President Endorsement



Proposal is  
on the table



I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm, neither hot nor cold – I am about to spit you out of my mouth.

Revelation 3 v15-16

In summary, we long...



... to see hundreds of thousands of people rescued from slums and living out their opportunity in vibrant sustainable communities

# Take-aways

- What is it that you are “sure you are hoping for”?
- What gives my life meaning?
- Go on a short term mission trip or enable someone else to go
- Are you holding on to something that God is asking you to let go of?
- Do you have something God has given you, yet perceived risk has led to procrastination?
- What do you have a passion for – will you do it with “all” your heart

- Choose one big thing you will not be indifferent too and dedicate your life to changing it
- It's all His! - Build **generosity** as a way of life and determine to make at least one massive gift in your life
- Do you already have an answer to your prayer – is it now simply a matter of obedience?
- Lets not give up in the face of some adversity – press through



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