



Opportunity International

Giving the Poor a Working Chance

Opportunity International, one of the world's largest and fastest growing microfinance organizations, is committed to solving global poverty.

Working in 28 developing countries in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe and Latin America, Opportunity provides small business loans, savings programs and insurance products. They also provide clients with ongoing training in leadership, business practices, spiritual growth and personal development.

Poor entrepreneurs use these tools to start or expand a business, develop a steady income, provide for their families and create jobs for their neighbors. Their microfinance programs and products transform lives, helping people work their way out of chronic poverty by giving them a hand up, not a handout.

"On a recent Y-Malawi trip, I was impressed when meeting the Opportunity clients. They greeted us by singing over us and sharing testimonies of how their lives have improved. I've never seen such genuine enthusiasm."

—Pastor Tod Bolsinger,
San Clemente Presbyterian Church, CA

Opportunity International and Y-Malawi partner to help young women like Harriet Nassuna. When her mother passed away, Harriet and her younger siblings were left homeless and alone. A business loan from Opportunity allowed her to continue running her mother's small store and expand the business. Harriet now owns 14 cows and dreams of building her own home. She is thrilled to send her brothers and sisters to college—and someday hopes to attend herself.



300 loan clients by September 2008! That's the goal for the innovative new Mobile Bank working in Nkhoma.

Support for Opportunity International's Work in Nkhoma

Provide the needed funds for micro-economic development and loans to the impoverished but hopeful people in our target Y-Malawi communities. These loans are helping the very same communities where your Y-Malawi sponsored children lives.

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