



Daniel & Esther Edeh



Raising hens for eggs and meat.



Corn field among wild oil palms.



We need a "little" more play equipment for our hundreds of children.

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Happy New Year!

A NEW SOURCE OF PROTEIN: We raised 250 broilers for the Christmas season. Each broiler would have cost us N3,000 (\$8) but we raised them for about N1,500 (\$4) each. In that way the children can eat more meat and we pay less. Praise the Lord.

NEW FARM PRODUCE. This time of the year, the markets are flooded with farm products, and the prices are the lowest they will be all year. From our own farm we harvested not less than 15 sacks of 100 kg (220 lb) of beans, but all of that was quickly consumed. We need to buy lots more beans and other food items while the prices are at their lowest.

NEW IN-HOUSE SCHOOLS. We are running our own high school in Otutulu now. We want to start running our own Nursery and Primary School in Lokoja this term. This is because of the breakdown of the public education system. Pray for staffing and financial support.

A POSSIBLE GOVERNMENT GRANT. We may receive from the Federal Government the equivalent of about \$7,000 to build a block of two classrooms with two teachers' offices. We will be expected to complete the project on time even though \$7,000 is not nearly enough.

A NEW PLAYGROUND. Money has been donated to build a playground for the school at Otutulu. We will do the same thing at Lokoja if we can.

Thank you for your prayers and gifts!

For all the children and staff,

Esther Nordman

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." Galatians 6:9