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Visiting the Orphans of Moundou

Dr. Scott Hafemann, the vice president of Mission:Chad, and his wife Debara traveled to Chad this February. While in Chad, Scott taught a three-week New Testament Theology class at the ESTES Bible School. Debara taught some handicrafts and taught English as a Second Language. After their time at the college, they took a trip to southern Chad to see the 17 orphans in Moundou that Mission:Chad helps support (along with 23 orphans in N'djamena).



Meet the Children of Mission:Chad

Debara writes: "I wish you could have been there with us to see first hand the difference that the support has made in the lives of these children. Many cried as they spoke of this tangible example of God's care for them." Scott and Debara were with Joseph, the Chadian who directs the program in Moundou, as he delivered support to some of the children. Joseph generously gives his time and talent to the program. The level of commitment it takes to do this work is hard to appreciate with out being there.

A New Dream

While in Moundou, Scott and Debara were able to see some land that the government of Chad has given for use as an orphanage center and a farm. Pastor Bako's dream is for housing and a school to be built for 80 orphans. The remaining land would be used as a farm with the goal of making the center self supporting. We ask for your prayers as we consider how to become effective partners with Pastor Bako in this dream. The challenges seem large, but God is able to meet the needs of the orphans.

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