

Give a Child the Whole Circle of Support

No child should have to give up her future for her family to survive.

Food eases the pressure. Opportunity strengthens a parent's voice. Period support empowers a girl. Education keeps her dreams alive. Community learning helps protect her rights.

Your gift helps children, families, and communities move forward together. Shelter, Hygiene, Education, and Community. Each is part of the circle. Together, they help a child and family move forward.

Shelter Works: keeping children safe and families strong



\$350
per year

Food Is Child Protection.
Help provide daily meals for a family of four for one year—so hunger does not decide a daughter's future.

Hygiene Works: providing dignity, health, and confidence at school



\$12
per Makini Pad Dignity Kit

Empower a Girl.
Help a girl manage her period with confidence using Kenya Works' own reusable Makini Pad kit, so she can participate fully in school and keep her future open.

Education Works: keeping children in school and learning



\$60
per month

Keep a Child Learning.
Help provide school fees, meals, and mentorship so a child can stay in school and pursue a brighter future.

Community Works: helping communities protect their children



\$4,000
per 4-day training for 65 participants

Help a Community Protect Its Children.
Support human-rights training for parents, leaders, and neighbors to challenge child marriage, female genital mutilation (FGM), and other harmful practices.



Give a Future Room to Grow

Give Where It Is Needed Most

Help provide the right support, at the right moment, for a child and the family around them.

Scan the QR code to give.

Your gift will be used where it is needed most to help children, families, and communities rise together.

In the Spirit of Ubuntu

I am because we are.

Dorothy's future did not rest on her shoulders alone.

It depended on a family with food. A mother with opportunity. A father who saw another path. And a community willing to protect her childhood.

That is the whole circle of support.

In Magadi, drought can take a family's animals, food, and income. But hardship should never cost a child her childhood.

Kenya Works stands against child marriage and beside families—helping address the pressures that put children's futures at risk.

A child's future stays open when we stand together.



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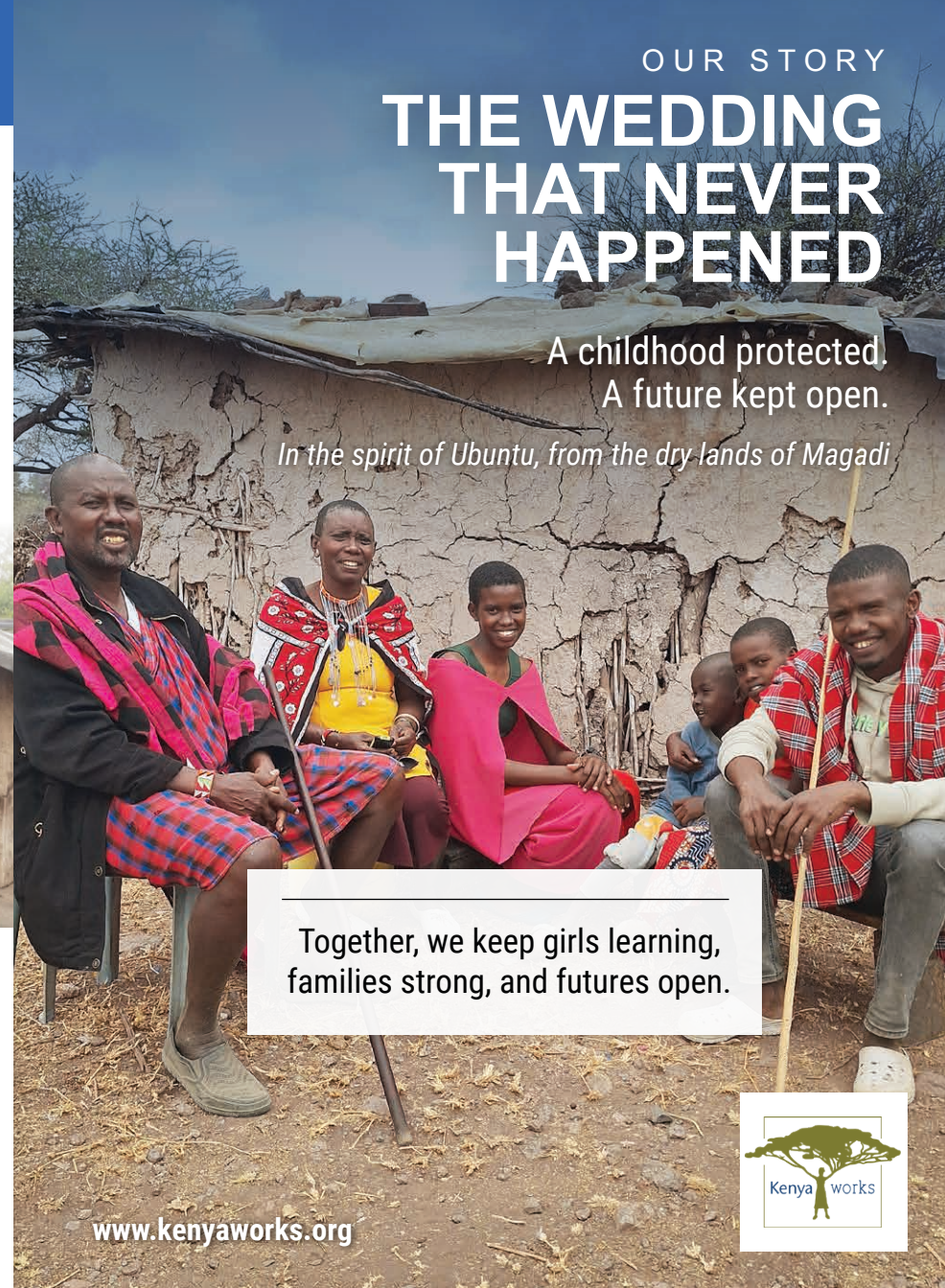
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OUR STORY

THE WEDDING THAT NEVER HAPPENED

A childhood protected.
A future kept open.

In the spirit of Ubuntu, from the dry lands of Magadi



Together, we keep girls learning, families strong, and futures open.

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Where Hope Once Felt Out of Reach

The animals died first.

Through three failed rainy seasons, Nancy Laisa watched her family's herd disappear. With it went the milk, the income, the food—and their plans for tomorrow.

Then a plan took shape: Dorothy, 16, would be married. Her bride price could help replace the animals.

Nancy knew what that decision could cost her daughter. She had lived the consequences of early marriage herself.

Then Kenya Works came to Nancy and David's home.

To **listen** to the hardship.

To **stand firmly** against child marriage.

To **help the family** find another way.

Food eased the immediate pressure. Through Shelter Works' Women's Empowerment Program, Nancy gained skills, seed funding for a bead-making business, and other mothers beside her.

Today, Nancy earns her own income and leads her women's group.

She had known the loss of early marriage.

Her daughter would have a different future.

“My deepest fear was that my children would not have the chance to succeed in life.

Nancy Laisa, Dorothy's mother

A Future of Her Own

Dorothy was 16. Her family planned to marry her off so her bride price could help replace their lost animals.

Then the wedding was called off. Her future stayed open.

Dorothy was a child, not a bride. Her family needed food and opportunity—not a marriage paid for with her future. Kenya Works stood against child marriage and beside her family, helping them build a future that did not require giving up hers.

Dorothy dreams of becoming a doctor.

1 Food eased the pressure.

Shelter Works helped the family through hunger.

2 Her mother gained opportunity.

Through Shelter Works' Women's Empowerment Program, training and seed funding helped Nancy build a business—and a stronger voice at home.

3 Dorothy gained empowerment.

Through Hygiene Works, a Makini Pad Dignity Kit helped her manage her period with confidence, stay in class, and participate fully in her education.

4 Education kept her dream alive.

Through Education Works, Dorothy continued her schooling. Now in Form 3, her strongest subjects are biology and mathematics.

5 Her father saw another path.

Community Works training helped David understand children's rights and the harms of child marriage and female genital mutilation (FGM).

Not a bride price to rebuild a herd. A future she can build for herself.

A Father Sees a Different Future

Ubuntu: I am because we are.

Dorothy's bride price could help replace the animals. The family might survive—but David Konkoiné's daughter would lose the chance to grow up on her own terms.

That was the path before them.

Through Kenya Works' human rights training, David learned about child protection and the harmful effects of practices such as early marriage and female genital mutilation (FGM). He began to see another path: a daughter in school, pursuing her dreams, with her family beside her.

For a father in a Maasai community, decisions about a daughter's future can carry the weight of generations. Expectations around marriage, family responsibility, and a man's place in his community can shape what he believes is best for her.

But David saw that a daughter's education can be a source of pride. Protecting her can mean giving her time to grow, learn, and make choices of her own.

A father can honor his family while also helping change what comes next.

A daughter's worth is not her bride price.

Her future is hers to shape.

“I have seen the impact of education. A girl can uplift her family after achieving her dreams.

David Konkoiné, Dorothy's father