



# South Sudan Villages Clinic Koiyom Clinic



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## It takes a CHILD to raise a VILLAGE

The village of Koiyom is in the NW corner of South Sudan, two dusty hours west of the slightly larger city of Aweil. Just over the border to the north is Darfur, in Sudan, a scene of terrible violence in recent years.

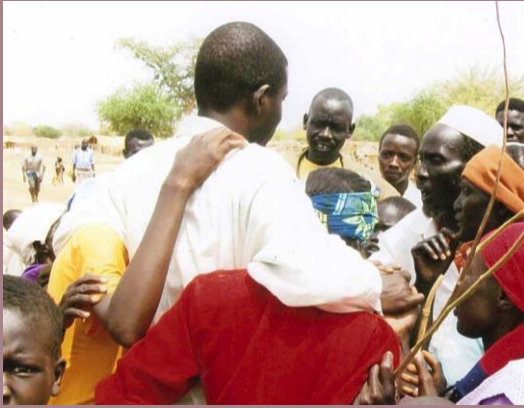
The area is beset with malaria, respiratory illnesses, and cholera. 90% of the people have no access to healthcare. One of every seven women dies in childbirth -- more than in any other country in the world.

In 1987, government soldiers from the north killed thousands of villagers. Some of the children escaped, walking a thousand miles to a refugee camp in Kenya. Eventually they made it to the United States. One of these "Lost Boys of Sudan" was a nine-year-old boy named Fidele Dhan ("Fidelly Don").

## Finally... A Clinic

With the support of **Reaching Out 2 Africa**, a seven-room clinic in Koiyom was built with portions in memory of Fr. Gary Bagley and Sr. Karen Klimczak. When it is staffed, it will be treat the people of Koiyom and the villages that surround it.





Fidele Dhan's motivation to open a clinic came during his 2006 journey back to the land of his birth:

“People kept coming to me all hours of the day and night; bringing their sick children to me, thinking that I graduated in medicine and that I could help them. I knew then that I cannot just wait until that day may occur. I need to do something now.”

## We Are So Close

Some medicines can be obtained from the government or NGOs -- but not staff. That requires donors, like you.

Please help. The sooner we can staff it, the more lives we can save.

## The Shocking Truth

*To hire a physician's assistant, a midwife, a community health worker and medical supplies cost only \$18,000 a year.*

So little can do so much.

Most of the villagers have never seen a doctor. 100% of your gift goes directly to the South Sudan Villages Clinic, a 501(c)(3) organization.

## How To Begin

Send your donation to:

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