

Laban Ministries International

Training Nationals in the Heart of Africa to Reach the *Hearts* of Africa



Hospital



CREATE HOPE FOR THE CONGO



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In the area where we minister, more than 1,200,000 adults and children have no health care. In order to be treated, one must walk 2 1/2 days to the nearest facility or travel 9 hours by truck, if one can be found. The foundation of the first building has been laid, 5,000 bricks, each weighing 46 lbs have been built, and 22,000 more bricks are needed.



A total of 9 buildings are being planned, including surgery, general medicine, optometry, pediatrics, maternity, labor and delivery, pharmacy, dental and laboratory. We have just begun the foundation of the first building. Three young men are being trained to be doctors in Lumbumbashi, one of whom was in our orphan care program. Mavanga grew up at Nkara, graduated from Laban Bible Institute, and is in his 4th year of medical school. The hospital will be staffed by national doctors, nurses, and ministered to by graduate pastors from LBI.

A nutritional center for malnourished children is also desired.

Pray: Pray for the newly organized hospital committee formulated in the Detroit area. Pray for our young men studying as they face loneliness, temptation and health risks living so far from home.

Pray for funds to buy more cement. The price has recently gone up to \$47 for a hundred-pound bag. Each brick is individually made from sand gathered shovel by shovel in the area and stones gathered one by one near streams by the women of the villages. We have no quarry in Congo! These stones and sand are mixed with cement to make needed bricks.

Give: Each brick runs \$15. We still need 22,000 bricks. Once the hospital committee has formulated a plan, we will be able to give a more all around idea of total cost. The big thing now is to buy more cement to keep making blocks.

My Investment Pledge

Monthly Investment for:

12 24 36 months

\$5 = 17¢ a day

\$10 = 34¢ a day

\$15 = 50¢ a day

\$25 = 83¢ a day

\$30 = \$1.00 a day

\$50 = \$1.67 a day

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