



## Orlando Leger

ID# **DP19348** Gender: **Boy** Community: **Deuxieme Plaine, Haiti** Birth Date: **07/18/2010**

**Hometown:** Deuxieme Plaine, Haiti

**Church:** Deuxieme Plaine Christian Church

**Father:** Saint Valisse Leger

**Father's Occupation:** Farmer

**Mother:** Anite Cassoqui

**Mother's Occupation:** Vendor

**How many brothers:** 1

**How many sisters:** 1

**Health Info:** Healthy

**Last update:** 01/14/2019

### About Me:

Hi! My name is Orlando. My birthday is July 18, 2010. My father is a farmer and my mother is a vendor. I have one brother and one sister. I help my family at home by carrying water home. The school subject I like most is Math. Some of my favorite things are stew, playing soccer, and the color red.

### About My Community:

I live in Haiti, which is part of a beautiful island in the Caribbean Sea. We speak Creole, which is a form of French. In my community of Deuxieme Plaine, we eat foods like rice, beans, and breadfruit, which are cooked many different ways! Our homes are typically made of cement block with metal roofs. In my community, the adults have jobs that are centered around agriculture, commerce, and breeding animals. Farmers grow crops like barley, green beans, and mangoes. Many people earn around \$1500-2500 Haitian dollars each year, but that is not enough to support a family. We often get colds, fevers, and stomachaches. Malnutrition is also a big problem because we do not have enough food, or even healthy foods to eat. I dream that someday my community would have a consistent supply of water for our crops, a doctor to help care for our animals, and a clinic where doctors and nurses could help us stay healthy. I also hope that there would be more jobs so that families would not have to struggle so much.

### Benefits of the Program:

Orlando is educated in one of Lifeline's Christian schools. At our schools, students are educated by the standards mandated by their government, while experiencing God's love through the staff and educators and hearing His Word incorporated throughout their daily lessons. Students of all backgrounds and faiths are welcome at our Christian schools. The students also receive additional programs initiated by Lifeline, such as computer science and sports programs, lunch each school day, and health/dental care. Our goal is that every child leaves our schools realizing their full potential educationally, while embracing God's Word personally!