



A gift has been made in your name
to

Boroko Primary School

This special gift will improve education opportunities and empower families to lead healthier, more productive lives.

*With wishes for
Christmas Joy!*

Boroko Community, with a population of about 3000 people, is located 600 miles from Nairobi in Marakwet District in the Rift Valley province of Kenya. The Marakwet lead a simple rural life characterized by mixed small-scale farming, growing vegetables and fruits and keeping livestock.

The Boroko Project began with laying pipe from a fresh water spring to the primary school. Next, a grinding mill was purchased and installed at the school. These steps resulted in improved health for the children. Sickness caused by dirty water has been eliminated. In addition, the children spend more time in school because they do not spend hours walking to get drinking water from the river or carrying maize to another village to have it ground into flour for the staple meal of *ugali*. Profits from the grinding mill help purchase lunch for the school children.

Boroko has started a satellite school three miles away for grades 1-3, making it easier for the younger students in that area to attend school.

This year's goal is to purchase locally sourced, non-GMO seeds of maize and millet which will be distributed in the community. Each person receiving seeds will give part of their harvest back to the school for the lunch program. A storage shed for the seed will be built next to the grinding mill.