



FAMILY CARE AFRICA

MAY-JUNE 2005

Dear Friends,
Greetings! Our weekly Sunday School program in the 'Sir Lowry's Pass' crèche continues to grow as we've included the Flashcard method of reading into their curriculum, which makes it simple for children at a very young age to pick up on the words, and adds a bit of fun and challenge to the daily routine of learning. We were also able to provide them with more needed schooling supplies, as well as treat them to a little "snack surprise"! The three soup kitchens continue to go strong as the children and sick struggle to keep their systems high with the cold and rains that bless us during this time of the year! We are looking into getting a special E-pap which is a nutritious food specially to help people with AIDS.

Above Right: Delivering donated fresh food for the township feeding scheme.

Above Far Right: Learning to read.

Right: Everyone joining in for the songs.

Below: Distributing donated school items and snack foods



FOOD FOR THOUGHT

REFLECTIONS

THE SERMONS THAT WE SEE

*I'd rather see a sermon than hear one any day;
I'd rather one should walk with me than merely tell the way.
The eye's a better pupil and more willing than the ear,
Fine counsel is confusing, but example's always clear;
And the best of all the preachers are the men who live their
creeds,
For to see good put into action is what everybody needs.*

*I soon can learn to do it if you'll let me see it done;
I can watch your hands in action, but your tongue too fast
may run.
And the lecture you deliver may be very wise and true,
But I'd rather get my lessons b observing what you do;
For I might misunderstand you and the high advice you give,
But there's no misunderstanding how you act and how you
live.*

*When I see a deed of kindness, I am eager to be kind.
When a weaker brother stumbles and a strong man stays behind
Just to see if he can help him, then the wish grows strong
in me
To become as big and thoughtful as I know that friend to be.
And all travelers can witness that the best of guides today
Is not one who tells them, but the one who show's the way.*

*One good man teaches many, men believe what they behold;
One deed of kindness noticed is worth forty that are told.
Who stands with men of honor learns to hold his honor dear,
For right living speaks a language which to everyone is
clear.
Though an able speaker charms me with his eloquence, I say,
I'd rather see a sermon than to hear one any day.*

- Edgar A. Guest

