

our Titus Landing families

Meet Cynthia



In the sixth grade, I had this amazing teacher, Sir David. He would recite passages from the Bible every morning, which allowed me a moment of peace. I am trying to do the same for my son, Asher. We pray every morning and night before bed – it's something I cherish. Now, I have faith in Habitat. I've wanted a stable and comfortable home for my family to settle in since coming to Canada. Back in my homeland, Burundi, I had to live through traumatic experiences, such as the Civil War. I

remember hiding out with my sister and being so incredibly scared; that's something I never want my son to have to go through. I heard about Habitat for Humanity by chance, actually. After a quick Google search, I found everything I needed to know about this wonderful organization.

Right now, my son Asher and I are living in a house that isn't safe. The house isn't well insulated, and in the winters, I have to blast the heat throughout the house, which can get very pricey. There are rats, uncovered electrical cords in the basement, as well the neighbourhood is just not suitable for children.

While volunteering with Habitat, we created bonds with the other families that would be in the same development as us. We are very excited to have a community of supportive people around us; that's all we want. Somewhere we can grow, my son can have a quality education, and we can live a happy, healthy lifestyle.