



## **FamCare**

### *Transforming marriages in Jesus name*

#### **Project Summary:**

With 1.1 million Zambians living with the devastating effects of HIV/AIDS, essential health care and support is needed before development of this nation can begin. Sadly, 95,000 children are fighting to overcome the deadly disease that has claimed the life of one or both of their parents.

Thomas Lumba is a man of God. For many years he preached condemnation against those who were infected with HIV. And then a friend of his daughter's was gang raped. This vibrant young Christian woman was infected by HIV and died within a very short time. Today Rev. Lumba is inspired by the love of God and the grace He gives. Rev. Lumba is a key leader within Zambia, equipping Christian leaders to impact change. His message is straight out of Scripture. He repeats Christ's words spoken to the woman caught in adultery: *"Change your ways. Walk in the way of your God. Go... and sin no more."* Today he teaches that the church needs to extend the same forgiving hand that Jesus extended.

His interview speaks for itself...

#### **Project Details:**

Families living in Zambia are desperate for hope. We have the incredible opportunity to partner with Rev. Lumba as he leads his team of social workers and pastors, spreading hope and joy to communities of need in Zambia. When a husband and wife are trained to respect each other and live in sexual purity, the family unit is strengthened. When a young mother is given the medicine she needs to cope with the devastating effects of the HIV virus, her children are able to be cared for and nurtured. When children and young people are taught to walk in the ways of the Lord, the future hope of an entire nation is set in place.

#### **Your gift to FamCare provides the funding to:**

- Enable the operation of FamCare
- Build strong Christian homes
- Teach respect for women

#### **About International Needs:**

For over 30 years, International Needs has been working to free children, their families and communities from the damage and cruelty of civil strife, poverty and disease. Inspired by the life of Jesus and motivated by our faith in God, our ultimate goal is to tell the story of Jesus Christ in word and deed.



- Conduct marriage seminars
- Teach pastors how to care for their families and lead them in healthy ways
- Reach out to families affected by HIV/AIDS
- Teach married couples to live in sexual purity with one another

*"Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress..." James 1:27*