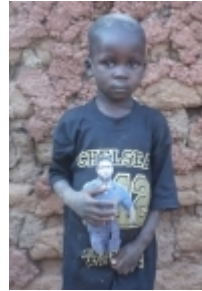


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Djiguemde, Joseph

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Joseph was about 5 years of age at the time of our visit in January 2009. His mother died about 4 years ago – apparently she suffered from mental illness and died of an overdose. His father is still living, but left Joseph to be cared for by an Aunt and does nothing to support him. His Aunt is married and they have 4 children of their own, ranging in age from 4-13 years of age. Three of their children are in school.

Joseph and his family live in the village of Gobila in a large courtyard with many families. Their home is in good condition. The family farms together. They also have several sheep which will likely be used to help pay school fees. In addition, the Aunt prepares the local beer to generate a small income.

Joseph is one of our new preschool students as of January 2009. He attends school 2 mornings per week for about 4 hours. We hope he will continue with us again next year and be prepared for elementary school the following year. He is in good health.

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