

# WHEELCHAIRS for NIGERIA

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A Fulani girl receives a wheelchair

## 921 WHEELCHAIRS BUILT IN 2ND QUARTER

The wheelchair shop continues its amazing production, setting new records and shooting for 4000 wheelchairs in 2023.

Six major distributions were held in the 2nd quarter, in Abuja and Kano, Kaduna, Bauchi and Benue States.



Gboko, Benue State, July 15



## AYUBA AND RACHAEL RECOVER FROM AUTO ACCIDENT

Ayuba with his wife Rachael were driving to Abuja on May 14th when a motorcycle with 2 riders suddenly turned into their lane. Ayuba swerved off the road to miss hitting them and hit a truck parked next to the road, going right underneath the high semi-trailer. Seeing their car it is a miracle they survived. They are both well on the way to full recovery.



Ayuba on July 15, almost fully recovered



Ayuba surrounded by some of the staff, happy to see him recovered



Imagine a mother with a baby spending her life on her hands and knees



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

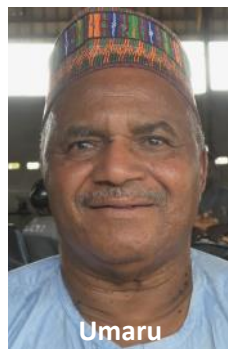
For \$150 you can transform a life. Just imagine what it would be like to spend your whole life crawling on the ground, and then be given a tricycle/wheelchair. Unfortunately there are still tens of thousands of Nigerian polio survivors who need mobility.

Give online at [www.WheelchairsforNigeria.org](http://www.WheelchairsforNigeria.org) or mail a check to 1542 Palm Ave SW, Seattle WA 98116. Your gift is tax deductible.



**MALLUM UMARU KAZA**

Our superintendent for 20 years, Umaru unexpectedly passed away July 6. He was also a polio survivor in a wheelchair. He was dearly loved by all the staff and will be greatly missed.



Umaru





Terdoo Gbamwuam



Mngule Kuusu

**Terdoo Gbamwuam**, 19, had to stop school in primary 3 because of his paralysis. He had seen tricycles, but had never imagined using one himself. Now he would be able to finish his education. His father who was present, was very happy and pledged to support Terdoo's schooling.

**Mngule Kuusu**, 11, has been crawling since she was a small girl. Because of her lack of mobility she has not been able to go to school. With the help of her new tricycle she will be able to go back to school.



James Ahumbe



Terna Akpom

**James Ahumbe**, 48, a cobbler, has been crippled since a brief illness when he was a year old (undoubtedly polio). He had a type of tricycle years ago but it was damaged beyond repair. He was very happy with the gift of a new tricycle and prays that God would bless Beautiful Gate and all the donors.

**Terna Akpom**, 27, has been unable to walk since he fell off a roof at work 7 years ago. He completed primary school, but since the accident he has been unable to go anywhere, do any work or attend school. He had never seen a tricycle before. He was excited that now he could learn a new trade and maybe return to school.



Angwa Bawa, Kaduna State, June 25



