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"Dear friend, I pray that you may enjoy good health and that all may go well with you, even as your soul is getting along well.'" 3 John 1 : 2

We are glad to share with you some stories that showed the changes that happened in the lives of the people we serve. *Praise the Lord…*
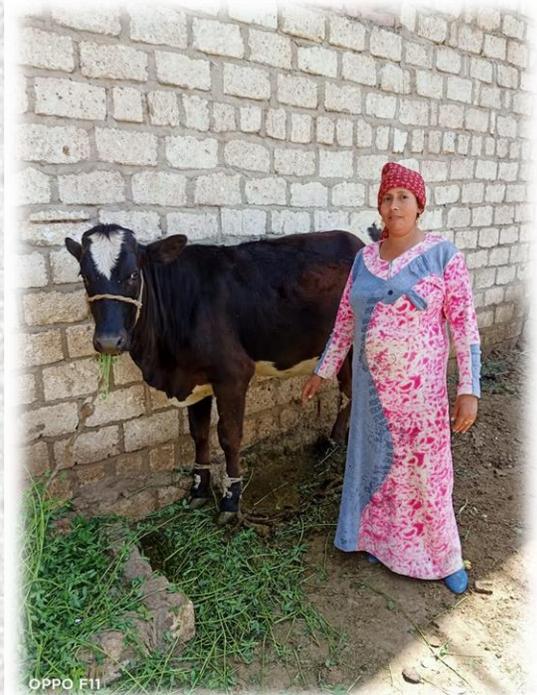

Secretarial Courses

H. came to Egypt as a refugee, fleeing from hard circumstances in Sudan, she worked in Cairo cleaning homes in order to earn her living.

One church that cares about refugee in Cairo encouraged H. to join the computer course with Think and Do. She was a hardworking student and she learned all the skills of Computer and also the skills related to secretarial work.

After two years from the training, while we were following up with our trainees, we were surprised to see the huge change in the life of H. She immigrated to the United States and now she works as a secretary in one of the prestigious companies there. She got a private house, work and a stable life.

Loans

Neama, 39 years old married with three children, two sons and one daughter who will get engaged, it is a burden on the family to prepare for their daughter's wedding due to their hard bad financial situation. Her husband is working in tiles on daily basis. Neama said that they were living in the family house and she was taking care of the cattle of her parents in law. Neama moved to another house because she wanted to settle down with her husband and children. She was dreaming to have a project to be a source of income for her family to improve their situation and spend on her children and to be able to prepare for her daughter wedding. She heard about Think and Do and the service of loan and applied and took the loan for livestock breeding. Her project succeeded. She also mentioned that she sold her gold earring to bring more cattle and she was very happy about her project. Neama is paying for her installments from selling the milk, the cheese and the butter and she is grateful to her husband who is helping her in this project. She also has a calf.
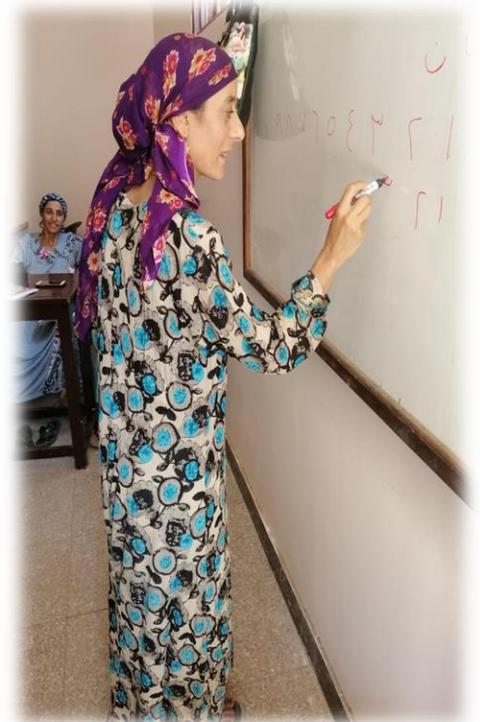
Vocational Training

Marco from a village in Assuit said: "I heard about the ministry of Think and do from my friends and I went to the Oasis to learn how to sew galabias, and from day one in the training I stopped smoking and I repented because I was a heavy smoker. I learnt also how to cut and sew galabias and how to take the measurements. When I will go back home, I will buy a sewing machine and open a project and I will continue my relationship with God."

Life School

My name is Mariam, I am 35 years old and my husband is working on daily basis. We have three children and we live in our family's house. The supervisors of the Life school were visiting us to encourage me to join the school but I was not really interested in this. After some time, I decided to join the life school despite my health, I suffer from cardiac problems and using the stairs was not easy for me to reach the class. But I insisted and bore the burden of the stairs to learn and be educated. In the school I learned a lot of things including how to cook new healthy meals for my family and they were very happy about what I cook for them. I also learned how to sew and I sewed a lot of clothes for my children which made them very happy. I loved very much to attend every day the prayer meeting, we were not used to pray at our home but I learned how to pray with my family and we started to hold a daily praying meeting in our house. My life has changed, also my behaviours with my family, I became a different woman and my husband has changed too. I learned some math and now I can well calculate. I started to follow the education of my children. I am sad that the year has finished and I wish to continue for another year in the school to continue to learn more and more. I am grateful to all the staff of Think and Do and the effort they did to help me to learn and to become another woman.

Thank you for being our partners in making impact in the lives of the people we serve