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About Us

The Friends of Ronzls Foundation, founded in January 2019, has a strong mission to educate, advocate for, and foster the growth of children and individuals hailing from underprivileged backgrounds.

We are officially registered as a charity in both Nigeria (**Registration No: 1554226**) and the UK (**Registration No: 1199316**). As the primary charity of Ronzls Accountants LTD, our dedication lies in empowering and furthering the education of children through various means such as education, advocacy, and nurturing.



Our foundation conducts educational programs that aim to bridge the educational gap experienced by children from disadvantaged families. These programs encompass **Libraries and Book Reading Club, Computer Literacy Classes, Soles for Little Souls School Sandals Distribution Project, Uniform Projects, Scholarship and Feeding Program, Annual Inter-School Spelling Bee and Quiz Competition, and Annual Inter-School Sport Fiesta.** By doing so, we ensure that these children have equal opportunities to thrive academically, irrespective of their financial circumstances.

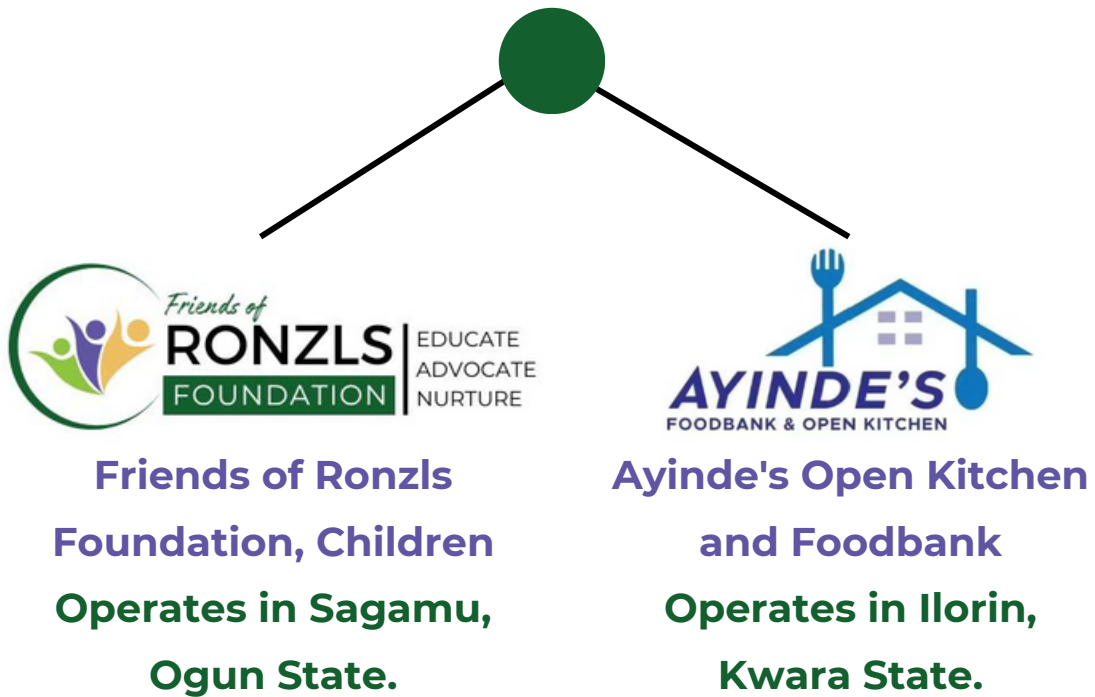


Our commitment to fighting hunger goes beyond our mentorship program. We've established the **Ayinde food bank and open kitchen,** providing food bags to families in need. This initiative is a vital part of our mission to ensure that children and families in Sagamu and Ilorin have access to the nutrition they need to thrive. We're not just talk - we walk the walk and feed the hungry!

In summary, the Friends of Ronzls Foundation is a registered charity that focuses on educating, advocating for, and nurturing children from less privileged families. Through our educational initiatives, advocacy efforts, and holistic support, we strive to create a brighter future for these children, empowering them to achieve their dreams and break the cycle of poverty they may find themselves in.



The Friends of Ronzls Foundation comprises of two sections: the Friends of Ronzls Foundation, Children, and the Ayinde's Open Kitchen and Foodbank.



Focused on Education

"For a lot of children that come from families struggling with extreme poverty, it makes a lot of difference when they have their school fees paid, lunch packaged, and school supplies given to them during school hours.

This foundation was formed on the 1st of January 2019 and has already begun to support children in Nigeria.

This foundation is the main charity arm of and is mainly sponsored by Ronzls Accountants."



Ola Sulaimon
Founder

OUR JOURNEY

Initially, our efforts were focused on collaborating with a single school. However, our dedication and commitment enabled us to extend our support to a remarkable 30 primary schools in Sagamu. This expansion allowed us to reach a significantly larger number of children, positively impacting their educational journey.

Moreover, our dedication to helping families in need resulted in the establishment of a food bank initiative. Initially, we provided assistance to five families, ensuring they had access to essential food supplies.



Over time, the success of this initiative led us to establish a weekly open kitchen in Ilorin. Through this kitchen, we now provide warm meals to both children and their families, ensuring no one goes to bed hungry.

To further support families in need, we have implemented a system of monthly or quarterly food bags. Through this program, we currently assist 150 families by providing them with essential food items regularly. This support helps alleviate their financial burdens, ensuring they have access to nutritious meals and a stable food supply.



Additionally, our efforts to address food insecurity have resulted in the establishment of Ayinde food bank and open kitchen where we regularly supply food bags to families in need. Through these initiatives, we have made a significant difference in the lives of children and families in Sagamu and Ilorin.





OUR PROJECTS

Our organization is proud to offer a diverse range of projects that contribute to the betterment of our community. These projects include:

- **Libraries and Book Reading Club**
- **Computer Literacy Classes**
- **Soles for Little Souls School Sandals Distribution Project**
- **Uniform Projects**
- **Scholarship and Feeding Program**
- **Annual Inter-School Spelling Bee and Quiz Competition**
- **Annual Inter-School Sport Fiesta**

LIBRARIES AND BOOK READING CLUB



One of our key initiatives is the establishment and support of libraries and book-reading clubs. These provide a space for individuals of all ages to engage in the joy of reading, fostering a love for literature and intellectual growth.

We have donated **over 9,000 Books (including story books, scientific books, dictionaries, documentaries, children's encyclopedias etc.)** across 30 public primary schools in Sagamu, Ogun state over the last 2 years. In schools lacking library facilities, bookshelves were provided to store books as well as for easy visual reference.

Each of our adopted schools has **300 pupils reading books** generously donated by the foundation for their libraries. This initiative seeks to foster a strong reading culture among the children.

We organise **a Reading Sensitization program** to promote a reading culture among the pupils at the school we support. This program started a few years ago with the goal of encouraging pupils to make use of the donated children's books. Additionally, our foundation also hosts **a regular weekly reading club**.

The pupils are encouraged to borrow books and return them when due. Our Book club also ensures that learners use the library on a weekly basis to improve their cognitive domain and academic performance.

We recently set up a library in **Friends of Ronzls Houze, St. Paul's School, Ijoku, Sagamu**, where children can explore a wide array of books, from classic novels to educational resources. This initiative aims to promote literacy and expand knowledge among young readers.





COMPUTER LITERACY CLASSES



This is one of our core projects and we are particularly interested in providing the learners in Sagamu Local Government with digital skills.

We recognize the importance of computer literacy in today's digital age. To bridge the digital divide, we organize computer literacy classes that equip individuals with essential skills for the modern world. These classes cover topics such as **basic computer operation, internet navigation, typing speed and accuracy improvement and Microsoft software proficiency.** By empowering people with these skills, we enable them relevant in this digital age.

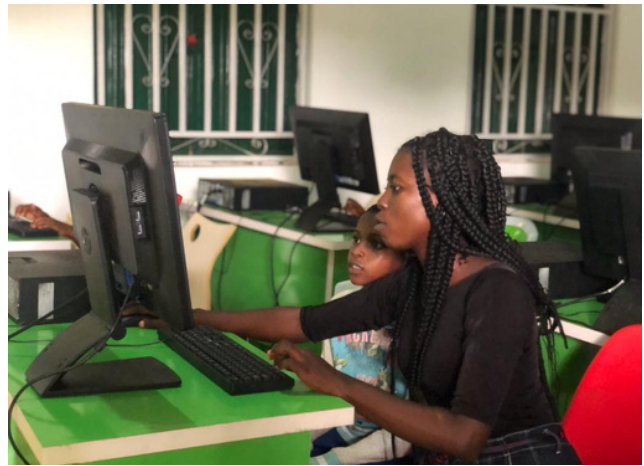
The foundation has **equipped the computer rooms of Five (5) schools with computer sets.** So far, the foundation has distributed **Thirty-Four (34) computers across Ten (10) schools** and plans are unfolding to cover Twenty (20) schools.

There are skilled computer tutors who handle the computer classes at least twice a week for the period of Eight (8) weeks during each of the Three (3) terms of the academic session to give the pupils theoretical and practical classes.

Every year, we host **Free Summer Computer and Literacy Classes.** This year, 2023, we were thrilled to have a huge turnout of over 200 pupils from the 30 schools we support who applied for the program. It was our very first summer school program at this location.

Our Free Summer Computer and Literacy Classes are being held at Friends of Ronzls House, which just opened, and runs for 4 weeks.





SOLES FOR LITTLE SOULS SCHOOL SANDALS DISTRIBUTION PROJECT



Another initiative that we are proud of is the Soles for Little Souls School Sandals Distribution Project which provides school sandals to pupils in the 30 primary schools we support in Sagamu, Ogun State.

During a sandals distribution day at one of the schools we sponsor, several children arrived without any footwear, walking barefoot.

In 2023, we distributed over **2000 pairs of school sandals** to these young learners, making an incredible impact on their lives. The distribution process was meticulously planned and organized. We collaborated closely with each school's authorities, ensuring the distribution took place during school hours. This partnership helped us provide the right sizes and styles to each child, making the process smooth and efficient.

This project not only provides practical assistance but also boosts the self-esteem and well-being of the pupils.

If you would like to donate towards this next Sole for Souls Shoe project, kindly reach out to us.







UNIFORM PROJECTS



Our uniform projects focus on ensuring that every pupil has access to a proper school uniform. The Uniform Mending Project was inspired by our weekly visits to schools where we teach computer skills and oversee book clubs. During our visits, we noticed that many pupils had badly damaged uniforms.

Having spent over 24,000 hours of classes with an average of 600 learners in 10 schools, we observed that there is a connection between the appearance of a child and their performance in the classroom. When a child appears neat and well-dressed, he/she is more likely to be confident, ready, and productive in class. Undoubtedly, the appearance of a child impacts their learning experience.

The first was a 2-days exercise in February 2021 at Oba Adeniyi Sonariwo Primary School and the second project was extended to four (4) other beneficiary schools: St Columcille's Primary School, and Wesley primary school, Oko II, St.Paul's primary school, Alagbo, and African Church primary school, Ijokun. The children were very happy to have their uniforms mended and the teachers expressed their gratitude as well.





SCHOLARSHIP AND FEEDING PROGRAM



We support the community through our scholarship and feeding program. This initiative aims to not only provide financial assistance to the less privileged in the community but also ensure that they have access to nutritious meals. This combination of support helps pupils thrive academically and maintains their physical well-being.

The sponsorship project is one of the oldest of the foundation's outreach and it incorporates the feeding project, funding of school fees, provision of writing materials and new school uniforms to sponsor learners who are orphans.

We also support learners with single parents and those whose parents are unable to afford the tuition fees.

The project commenced with St. Columcille's Primary School, Isale-Oko as the first beneficiary and later extended to two (2) other beneficiary schools: Oba Adeniyi Sonariwo, Major Thompson, G.R.A., and Wesley primary school, Oko II.

We have **Thirty-five (35) learners** who are benefitting from the sponsorship project across the three (3) schools.



ANNUAL INTER-SCHOOL SPELLING BEE AND QUIZ COMPETITION



The Friends of Ronzls Foundation is dedicated to promoting education and inspiring students to reach their full potential. Our focus is on providing opportunities for students to demonstrate their knowledge, talents, and values. One way we achieve this goal is through our Annual Inter-School Spelling Bee and Quiz Competition, which assesses participants in **English Language, Mathematics, Basic Science/Information and Communication Technology (ICT), and General Knowledge/Current Affairs**

This is undoubtedly the most demanding project of the year. All hands were on deck since the beginning of the preliminaries. From having a sit-down to discuss strategy on how each year's competition would be better than the previous to setting up questions to collating results of the preliminaries, then coordinating a special competitive exercise at the School for Special Needs, and then to the Grand Finale.

The 2023 Annual Inter-school Spelling Bee and Quiz Competition, involved 10 schools from which we had 50 participants, narrowing down to 10 finalists. We had 100 competitors from 20 schools {Special needs competed differently within their school amongst themselves}. Due to its complexity, all members of staff handled different aspects that led to the success of the competition.

There was a local organizing committee in charge of compiling questions for the preliminaries as well as the Grand Finale and other aspects such as preparation of the venue, registering and mobilizing the participants, invitation and appreciation of the head teachers at the schools before and after the competition, and awards ceremony.

The competition was held in a friendly and fun-filled environment, bringing together pupils from 30 primary schools in Sagamu. The event rewards exceptional learners, encourages healthy competition, and fosters a desire for academic excellence among students. With our mission in mind, we aim to create a brighter future for students and promote the value of education in our community.







ANNUAL INTER-SCHOOL SPORT FIESTA



It has been established that recreational activities have a soothing effect on the health and equally the learning ability of the pupils. This led to the organization of inter-school friendly football competitions and indoor games (**ludo, skipping, scrabble, tic tac toe**) among the pupils. This lasted for a week after the conclusion of the academic term.

This event provides a platform for pupils to showcase their talents, foster healthy competition, and promote camaraderie among schools. The inter-school sports fiesta involves pupils from the 30 primary schools we support competing in track and field events, fostering a sense of unity and sportsmanship.

This competition brings together pupils from the 30 primary schools we support in Sagamu, in a friendly and fun-filled environment to compete and display their skills. We believe that participating in events like this not only improves academic performance but also fosters positive values such as teamwork, resilience and sportsmanship.









Ayinde's Open Kitchen and Food Bank, a division of the Friend of Ronzls Foundation, is dedicated to addressing food insecurity and meeting the nutritional needs of families experiencing hardships. Through our various programs, we strive to make a lasting impact in the community.





OUR PROJECTS

Our projects at Ayinde's Open Kitchen and Food Bank include:

- **Weekly Open Kitchens**
- **Monthly Food Packages**
- **Quarterly Food Packages**



WEEKLY OPEN KITCHENS

Ayinde's Open Kitchen, based in Ilorin, Kwara State, dedicates every Sunday to compassionately serve hot meals to **over 500 less privileged individuals**. This initiative strives to nourish the community, offering warmth and sustenance to those in need.





MONTHLY FOOD PACKAGES

In addition to the open kitchens, we also distribute monthly food packages to **20 families**. These packages are carefully curated to include a variety of nutritious and essential items such as **rice, beans, semovita, granulated cassava (garri), and other foodstuffs items including ingredients**. By providing these monthly food packages, we aim to ensure that families have access to a stable and consistent source of nourishment.



QUARTERLY FOOD PACKAGES

Furthermore, we understand that some families may require more substantial assistance. That's why we also distribute quarterly food packages to families in our community. These packages contain a larger quantity of food items, catering to the specific needs and dietary preferences of each family.

In Ayinde's Quarterly Foodbank program in September 2023, we successfully provided essential sustenance to **150 families** in Ilorin, Kwara state. The distribution featured well-organized food bags, including staples like **rice, noodles, Semovita, garri, salt, and sugar**, ensuring a convenient and impactful assistance initiative.





IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE 2023 SUMMER COMPUTER LITERACY CLASS, THE PUPILS ENGAGED IN AN ESSAY COMPETITION. THE FOLLOWING ARE SOME OF THE ESSAYS SUBMITTED BY THESE YOUNG PARTICIPANTS.



IF ONLY I HAD LISTENED TO MY MOTHER

- Zaccheaus Emmanuella, St. Paul. Sch. 1 Ijoku, Sagamu.

If only I had listened to my mother I wouldn't have been sitting on a wheel chair, crippled. On the 25th of January, 2022, it was a Sunday morning. I woke up that day happy and refreshed. I was happy because I and my friends were going to the amusement park and then that night we would go clubbing. It had been long I had gone to an amusement park and I had clubbed. So I jumped out of my bed, went to take my bath. After few minutes I heard a knock on my door, When it opened I saw my mum, she then came in and asked why I was so happy, I then told her that I was going to an amusement park and that was why I was happy. I didn't tell her that I was going clubbing because I knew she wouldn't allow me. The mood on my mum's face changed, she said that didn't I know that we were going to church. Going to church escaped my mind but I really never wanted to miss the fun and party. I then told her that she shouldn't worry that I would just skip today's service, she was very angry at me that I should be careful with the friends I was following and shouldn't go to where I was going, She also said that I should never say that I had just said that how would I miss the only day I communicate with God, not as if I do pray during the week days. I told her that she shouldn't disturb me that nothing or nobody can stop me from where I was going and she shouldn't worry that nothing would happen. My mum begged me but I just turned on a deaf ear.

We went to the amusement park I and my friends, we had fun that day and we stayed till evening, then we went clubbing. I had a phone call it was my mum, when I looked at it I just hissed and switched off my phone. I danced, drank and had lots of fun but unfortunately something happened we started hearing gunshots, I was so scared when I looked back they had shot one of my friends, I started running but I felt a sharp pain at my back. I had already been shot, I wept bitterly, in my mind I said "God please help me".

The ambulance later came, many people died, the ambulance came before I was out of blood. As they carried me. I felt lots of regrets and I already knew the state I had put my parents, I should have just listened to my mum but what had happened had happened.

I later lost my back, I just couldn't walk on my own again and I felt really bad for my actions.



HOW CASHLESS POLICY AFFECTED ME AND MY FAMILY
- Akinlawon Moyinoluwa, St. Paul Primary School, Aiyepe Road.

I come from the family of five (5) named AKINLAWON. I will be sharing our experience during the cashless policy.

The cashless policy period was a very bad experience. My parents struggled a lot at the time but we kept on praying to God to help us. Whenever my dad wanted to go to work, he'll always trek because there was no cash to pay bike men. Tho he has his car but he was not paid his 3 months salary at his work place so he could not buy fuel, then the little cash which he was meant to use in taking bike, he could not get it due to no cash and high charge rate to withdraw.

There was a day my mum fell ill and couldn't treat her self because of cash and I also got sick at the time. My mum was so worried at the time, so she met with a nurse that she knows and the woman gave me drugs without collecting money from my mum. I was able to treat myself and I was so happy but was worried because of my mummy.

There was also a time we started eating morning food by 11am/12pm and then night food at 6pm/7pm. We could not afford to eat 3 times a day.

My dad do tell my mum that Nigeria will get better and the situation will not continue forever. I really thank God because everything has changed a bit now, we are able to get cash to do the things.



HOW I SPENT MY LAST HOLIDAY
- Bello Isaiah, Wesley school II, Oko, Sagamu.

I spent my last holiday in my uncle house. I vacated on friday...my daddy told me that I was going by road. When I get to my uncle house he took me shopping and I bought shoe, clothes, watch. And I went to chicken and co. I ate jollof rice and chicken. I went to different places. Abeokuta. I went to olumo rock and the rock is very big. And I went back to lagos to go and see my aunt, She took me to her house in lagos and I ate bread, egg and tea. And my Aunt gives me money and told me to study hard so that I am going to be great in future. I went to my grandparents house and I spend two day in my grandparents house and I watch different movies and read different story book. On the

second day. I was told that I will be coming back to Sagamu and my grandparents gave me some snacks. I was happy, I came back to Sagamu happy. When I got home I ride my bicycle in my house. And I prepare for school. I was happy because I went to see my uncle, Aunt, and grandparent. I like my last holiday because I enjoy my holiday.



HOW I SPENT MY LAST HOLIDAY

- Zaccheaus Praise, St Paul Primary School I Ijoku.

Our School vacated on the 29th of July 2022. We collected our results and mine was pretty good. When I got home I showed my parents and I got 84% out of 100%. My parents celebrated me, we went out to chicken and co, ollas cafe, Right option and so many places.

The week after I collected my results, I travelled to many places one of the place I travelled to was the United State of America (USA). I met with the president of America, Joe Biden. We talked a lot, he also told me about America. He said that America was a great nation and they have so many weapons. We went out to fun went to have fun and the also went to New York City.

Went to some Amusement park in New York City. I stayed in the president house for about a week. The next week I went to china. China was fun, I learnt their language. I was so amazed that I learnt chinese so anybody I meet I will always speak chinese to them. Also I was amazed because i saw some people eating alive rat and soup I was shocked they even told me to taste it but I said I dont like it. I played games, some of the game I played was play station 5 soccer, snooker, Javelin, Discuss and also I learnt karate. We had a competition concerning the Karate and i came first, I took the trophy and my coach was happy with me. The name of my coach is Jackie chan. I spent two weeks in china. The next week I went to Paris. I enjoyed myself alot in Paris I met a famous footballer called Neymar. Neymar was the king of dribbling in the whole world. He also taught me some dribbling skills. I learnt some skills and I was happy. I spent one week in paris. The next week which was the week before resumption, I came back to Nigeria. I told my parents about my long vacation and they were very happy. I washed all my school uniforms, my socks, my school cap and my school bag.

I arranged my books and make sure my books were not torn. I enjoyed my holiday and I wish i will experience another one.

THIS IS HOW I SPENT MY LAST HOLIDAY.



HOW I SPENT MY LAST HOLIDAY

- Adelabu Confidence Jesuloba, St. Paul Primary School 1, Ijoku.

My name is Adelabu Jebuloba Confidence, I spent my holiday in the United states, I met a lot of people in the states and I went to the most famous Restuarant, in the states, I saw a lot of foods there, While I was sitted a lady came to me and said "young man or Should I call you a man?"

She laughed and I also laughed, then she told me" What do you want to order" then i told her that i would love amala and ewedu, She laughed funny then I remember that I'm in the united states.

"I'm sorry" I told her, then she told me "I understand you are From Nigeria, right I answered and told her "I already forgot that I'm not in my country, and she told me that "actually we do not speak in your dialect and be careful do not speak it outside there are some spy agents who treat those who speak other language different from theirs bad ,so be careful, at least I'm a good samaritan" she laughed and I also laughed . " So what do you want to order, check the list on the table." she said. "I would like to order, "Hamburger", then she would told me that "what about small chops?" I said "Okay"

My dad told me in the evening would I like to go to one of their best school this summer. Then i told him that I would go. He said Okay, Dad I told Him What are we eating tonight, we're eating noodles. My dad told me okay, I told him. 'Jesu loba wa si be kia kia' My mum called me, mum stop that do you want them to arrest you? I told her. "Who want to arrest me" she said.

The spy agent, they are agent who treat those who speak other language different from theirs bad, I told her then she said to me thank you my son I would not speak Yoruba again. Thank you mummy I told her, now come and help me in the kitchen.

The next day my dad post me in a college named Croxford college in the School a lot of students welcomed me and said to me Congratulations, you are the first black student that attended the school.

In the class I was introduced to my class mates, then all of them start to shout that, Mr wilbert let him sit down with me, a girl stood up, Mr wilbert stop this noise, you should be the one to choose. Then the man told me go sit with that girl that stood up, her name is Sarah.

It was break, then sport master told me which sport I'm I good at, then I told him that I like football and Basketball. The man told me I should go for the both, then I went to the football Club in the school and they were having a match with one of the best football Club in the states, Then I was subbed with a player called Wiltscher, when entered I scored a free kick which makes our team score one goal while the other people are in 3

goals. so I tried my best to catch up I scored two goals more then we drew until williams scored two more goals and the count was 5-3, And it was my last day in the united states. Then I travelled with my mum and dad to Algeria. Then I recieved a call from the waitress I met that goodbye. This is How I spent my last holiday.



TEACHER IS BETTER THAN DOCTOR

- Rufai Abdulmalik, St. Paul Primary School, Ofin Alagbo.

My name is Rufai Abdulmalik and I would be talking about Teacher is better than Doctor. I support a notion that Doctors are hardworking and very helpful to the society but there's no way we would have doctors without our very own Teachers.

Teachers are the ones who builds doctors foundation. At a younger age, they would go to school to learn the basis and then move to secondary and then university where they decide their profession, so without our teachers guidance, doctors might not even get to the level of wanting to be who they are now. Even at the university, it is still teachers(lecturers) who teach doctors about the human body.

Let me tell a short story, there lived a rich man with three wives. The wives did not bare children for him and then one day, they went to a pastor that his wives did not bare him children, so the pastor prayed for them and then few weeks later, they got pregnant for the rich man, but the pastor told them that whenever the children ask them for anything, they should always do it but they should also guide the children.

The first wife gave birth to a girl called, Aderinsola. The second wife gave birth to a son called, Emmanuel. The third wife gave birth to a girl called Sarah. So they always gave the children what they want whenever they ask, but the children use to misbehave everywhere because their father is a rich man. They don't pay attention in school at all because they feel they have their father property to share when they grow up.

Aderinsola wants to become a Doctor, Emmanuel wants to become a Lawyer and Sarah wants to become an Engineer. But in school, only Aderinsola use to listen in class and do her assignment but emmanuel and sarah will not do their own. They continued like that till they go to the university, but with time emmanuel and sarah could not continue with their studies because of their unseriousness and couldn't fulfil their dreams. Only Aderinsola was serious in school and followed her teachers instructions always, so she was able to become a Doctor.

This story here is a proof that we need our teachers to become who we want to be and they are better than doctors. Even tho doctors save lives.



HAD I KNOWN...

- Sofile Misturah, Saint Paul School II, Ijoku.

Hi, my name is Julie this is my story of regret, it all started when I lost my father when I was just 2 years old I didn't know how it felt back then but when I started growing up I started feeling because people around me goes every where every with there father and and I might even do that with my mother but she is the only one looking after so she has to go and work then i though to my self that i can be associating with other children fathers.

I started by singing all around the neighborhood, if maybe i will get attention it did work out they started calling me singer by nickname then my mum start warning me about my actions but I didn't listen until one day that one man started calling me and giving me money that I should be coming to sing for him everyday.

I did what he told me, even he started calling me his wife. Whenever he called me I would be laughing, it was all going well unitl we start hearing about rape cases in the news, then I started becoming scared. One day my mother met with an accident which she passed away things started going worse. Weeks after, the man started harassing me sexually sometimes he will press my private part sometimes put off my cloth and take pictures of me naked. He started threatening me that he could post my photo online then I felt even worse when he start having sexual intercourse with me then he will give me money so that i will not die of hunger so i kept Some money to visit the doctor , eventually i met with the doctor who told me I have to undergo some test, I quickly agreed

My life even get worser when the doctor told me that I am HIV positive, I started walking alone with tore clothe people start calling me mad but I was not thinking straight the one day the man asks me to cook for him without knowing that I have the intention to kill him then I went into the Kitchen to cook then I put some drops of poison inside.

After the man died I ran away without knowing it was my worst mistake, i was walking all alone at night when come girl trafficker kidnapped me when we got to there place then I saw that they were using girls for prostitute we have to sleep with 20 men in a day life was even harder with them finally some police force came to arrest them but eventually were already working on my case of murder so they sentence me to court which i was sentence to life in prison.

Finally in the jail i though to myself that "had I known, I would have listened to my mum when she was alive and lived better."



HAD I KNOWN

- Adeniyi Faheedah, Ansar-ud-deen Primary School, Makun.

My name is Adeniyi Faheedah and I have 2 sisters namely, Haleemah and Mazeedah. The name of my school is Molusi College, the name of my seatmate is Gbenga.

Gbenga is a popular musician son. My father is a renowned tailor with many apprentice, my mother is a trader. I am in Senior Secondary School 3. I am very close to my seatmate even tho he is very proud and rude because his dad is very rich.

One day, he came to visit us at my mum's shop but she was not around, he told me he wanted to celebrate his birthday and I was invited. He even invited my sisters. When he invited us, we were moody and he asked why, we told him our parents will not permit us and he was sad, so there was a long silence..... suddenly, my sister Haleemah broke the silence and said ' don't worry about us, we'll come to the birthday party'. I was shocked to hear her say that and I asked her how?

So when Gbenga left, I kept on asking my sister what her plan was and she said we'll have to lie to our parents. I was shocked the second time because we never lied to our parents before, she said we are going to tell our parents we are having a quiz and debate competition in the other school. I told her I wasn't in support of that, then my little sister(Mazeedah) also persuaded me to agree to lie so we could all go to the party.

When our parents got home in the evening, Haleemah told her about the competition that she and I would be participating, so my mum was happy and said we could go. So we went for the party, when we got there we met a lot of people from our school and we had so much fun. Gbenga introduced me to his parents and also his siblings since he knows my sisters.

It was almost evening, so my sisters and I decided to leave so we could get home early, as we were about to leave some girls stopped us and started harassing us. I was so angry and then asked what happened and one of them said I should leave Gbenga for her. I told her he is just my friend and my seat mate but she didn't accept. It later turned to a serious fight and Gbenga's parents had to interfere, they made us realized our mistake and then advised us not to do that again. We went home and didn't tell our parents about what happened. A day after, while we were in our rooms, our parents called us that we had visitors. When we got to the sitting room, we were so shocked to see Gbenga and his parents, they came to check up on us and that was how our parents got to know about the incident.

After they left, our parents punished us for lying to them and told us how disappointed they were in us. Then my mum told us we were grounded for 3 weeks after school each day. We regretted our action and promised never to do that again.



HAD I KNOWN

- Agboola Tikristinimi, St. Paul Primary School 1, Ijoku.

I had already graduated from the University I have a caring parent, they teach me good morals.

One day I woke up early, prayed to God, had my bath, washed my teeth, and I ate my breakfast and I went for an interview to an oil company, as an accountant at a Multi Billion Company, before I went I bid my parent farewell. I was going to board a bus in the garage, as I was going, I just saw a motor passing by my side, so the person in the car parked, I feel so frightened, I thought it was a person I know, not knowing is someone I don't know. The person wine down the glass, I saw a handsome guy, he told me if I don't mind he could give me a ride, I replied yes, so, I entered the car and he drove off. He asked of my name, I told him my name is Omofenwa, he said what a beautiful name, I asked of his name he told me Gold, he insisted I should follow him to his house, I am so stupid that I followed him home.

I followed him home, his house looks so beautiful, well furnished, a three bedroom flat. So I love him.

I went home that day, my parent asked me about the interview, I lied to them that I was not given the job. My parent feel sad, they told me God will provide a job for me.

Since that day I saw Gold, I always go to Gold house, my parent usually asked that did I have a boyfriend, because they suspect that I always leave home without telling them, they know that I am an introvert, I replied them no, they said if yes, they started lecturing me that men are deceitful, they lectured me I told them that I did not have a boyfriend.

There was a day I went to Gold house, he insisted we should have intimacy, that day I lost my virginity on 22nd of August 2022.

I went home, I started seeing some symptoms like Vomitting and so on . My mum told me am I pregnant, I told her that God forbid not now, she said we should go the hospital to go for a test, I said no, she insisted that we should go. We went to the hospital and the doctor said that I am six weeks pregnant, my mother was shocked because she was not expecting that, she cried, the doctor said that this is a hospital, that we should go home to settle it.

We went home my mother told my father about it, they asked who is responsible for my pregnancy, I did not reply them, I was just weeping.

They send me out of their house. I went straight to Gold house, I gave him the test report, he said I should not cry that he will take care of me, he gave me a drug to abort the pregnancy I said no, To my surprise he left the house.

To cut the story short,, I heard he is married to a foreigner in Uk with his children, He left me with the pregnancy . I now remembered my parent advice, I now said HAD I KNOWN



HOW I SPENT THE BEST DAY IN MY LIFE.

- Awodehinde-lateefat, St Paul Sch II, Ijoku.

My name is Awodehinde Lateefat I would be telling you how I spend the best day of my life.

Starting

I Spent my best last year birthday at Lekki with my mummy sister. I went there day before my birthday. she took me to see the sea. We went on the horse. We ate jollof rice. We drank bigi cola and fanta, she bought me so many things that I was happy. We were there till afternoon and my birthday was on April 23rd I was like eheh, Can I have this fun again on best day in my life. It was night they gave me bread and egg I told them that I am full. She said that, that one did not concern her that the only thing she know is just that I should eat it. The following morning, we went to the Amusement Park again I bought Ice -Cream, yoghurt, Doughnut. On the third day I miss my mummy so much I went to told her that on Saturday I am going home that I had miss my mummy so much, and she told me that I should not worry that she too is tired of me from saying I want to buy this and that so On Saturday when we were going she ask me that did you need anything, I told her yes that I need school things and I will need some food stuff and she told me that I shouldn't worry She will send it to my mummy, when we reach our house my mummy offer her drinks and food so when she was going She gave my mummy 10,000 naira and my mummy prayed for her before She took her leave. When she had gone my mummy was asking me that how was there I told her that the place was very fun even the air was like air Conditioner. So on the next day she called my mummy and ask her to send her account number that upper next week She would send her some money to gave it to me. THAT WAS HOW I SPENT THE BEST DAY IN MY LIFE.

Thank you so much Friend of ronzls foundation for letting me to remember the best day In my life. I pray God will Continue to enrich your pocket, your hand will never reach the down of your pocket In Jesus name. AMEN.

Meet the Founder

FRIENDS OF RONZLS FOUNDATION



OLA SULAIMON

Ola Sulaimon, born and raised in Sagamu, embodies the spirit of professional excellence and compassionate philanthropy. Ola's journey into the world of finance and accounting began with a solid educational foundation at Babcock University, where she earned an upper second-class degree in Accountancy and Finance.

Armed with her academic prowess, Ola pursued her passion for accounting and tax, becoming a Certified Chartered Accountant (FCCA). Over the years, she amassed a wealth of experience, honing her skills in consulting and providing valuable advice to clients on a diverse range of financial matters, including accounting, finance, and tax.

Ola's entrepreneurial spirit led to the establishment of Ronzls Accountants Ltd in 2014, an accounting practice in the UK assisting numerous individuals and business owners in Accounting and Tax affairs in the United Kingdom. Her commitment to professionalism and client satisfaction became the cornerstone of her thriving practice. Ola is the author of two tax books - Diary of a tax girl, the first published in 2019, and the other published in 2022.

Beyond her accomplishments in the business world, Ola Sulaimon is equally dedicated to making a positive impact on society. In line with her passion for education, she founded the Friends of Ronzls Foundation, a charitable organization focused on uplifting the education of children in Nigeria. Through this foundation, Ola seeks to create opportunities for young minds, fostering a brighter future for the next generation.

Married and a proud mother of three, Ola Sulaimon's life story is a testament to the harmonious balance she has struck between professional success, family life, and a deep commitment to social responsibility. As she continues to contribute to the financial landscape and philanthropic endeavors, Ola remains an inspirational figure, leaving an indelible mark on both the business and charitable spheres.



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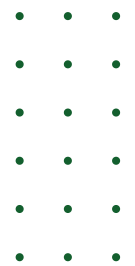
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