Haiti

You did it!

# Wilio and Juliana

## Meet the Family

Wilio (71) and Juliana (54) lived  with their three sons: Johny (31), Reno (21) and Emerson (17). Wilio works as a farmer, Juliana sells vegetables, and Johny works as a mason's helper. The younger two sons go to school. Their income averages less than $1.25 per day per person.

All five family members used to live in their one room mud house, where the dirt walls and floor became particularly muddy and inhabitable during rainy season as the roof did little to keep the water out. It had room for only one bed.

The family was delighted to demolish their shameful and inadequate house and were hosted by family and friends while the new one was constructed. They have been living in their new home since June 1 and couldn't be happier!

Thank you!

Haiti has long been the poorest country in the western hemisphere, where formal jobs are few as families remain stuck in survival mode. We are working in the northern city of Pignon.

*Your partnership helped a family have a simple, yet dry, sturdy and healthy home!*

# What difference does a make?

## Health

### Hello dry roof! Goodbye dirt floors.

Highly effective preventative medicine - no wonder our families get sick less often.

## Strong families

### Home is a garden where families grow

Lower stress + less overcrowding + more stability = healthier families and communities

## Income

### A launchpad for small business

Study shows entrepreneurship rate among families tripling after moving into Fuller Center homes.

## Education

### Safe, stable place to do homework

Imagine going to school if you can't sleep at night. Kids get degrees that their parents only dreamed of.

*A house is the foundation stone upon which human development occurs.*

# Who We Are

A grassroots, Christian non-profit that builds permanent homes with families in need in 70+ U.S. cities and 20 countries.

GuideStar Platinum Participant

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## Partnership

Homeowner families are full partners in the construction process, providing "sweat equity" and paying it forward with a no-profit, no-interest loan.

*On an unrelenting quest to shelter all people worldwide.*

## Local Leadership

Every Fuller Center is initiated and led by locals so that the work is appropriate and the process empowers the community.

The Fuller Center for Housing