



DOODLIE MOLIÈRE

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Doodlie Moliere is an extremely smart young woman who is a born leader. She grew up living in a small, dirt home in Galette Chambon with her father, brother, and sister. Her mother died when she was twelve from sepsis after giving birth to Doodlie's baby brother. Her father is disabled, so he is sick a lot and unable to work. All her life, Doodlie and her family had to rely on the generosity of neighbors and members of their church to be able to survive. Once the children got sponsorships for school, it was very helpful to the family because they could eat every day. Doodlie admits that her childhood was hard, but she doesn't ever remember feeling sad or poor. Many of her friends lived the same way she did, but they had a safe, happy childhood. She loved going to church, studying her lessons for school, doing homework, and hanging out with friends. She often tutored some of the younger children in school when they needed extra help on their lessons. Sometimes their parents would pay her a little money to help them. She liked that because she was helping people learn and was able to buy food for her family whenever she made a little extra. Doodlie likes helping people. That's why she wants to become a nurse.

Doodlie remembers when her mother was so sick after giving birth. Doodlie felt so helpless and she didn't understand why no one could help her. She also recalls her father often being sick as well, and he always had extreme pain in his back. She couldn't help him either, and it was frustrating to her that she didn't know how to help him. Sometimes her father would go to see the doctor at the Hope Center clinic and they would give him medicine for his pain. He always felt better afterwards. She knew that so many people went to the clinic every day to get help with their sicknesses and pain, and Doodlie realized that if she could become a nurse, she could learn how to help people when they are sick or in pain. It is so important to be able to have a skill that allows you to help people, so this is why Doodlie wants to become a nurse.

Doodlie is very, very thankful that she was chosen to receive a scholarship to UPROH to study nursing. This has been a dream of hers since she was a little girl. She was sometimes afraid to have a big dream like this because she didn't know how it could ever come true, but she prayed and prayed and asked God to make a way, and He did!!! Now that she is in school, she is no longer afraid to dream of being a nurse. She has confidence that she will finish and she will spend her whole life helping people. She feels good about that.