



# Daniel and Primitive

Daniel and Primitive Hakizayezu moved to Dayton to pursue the American dream. With three children in tow, they found that dream harder to achieve than most families. However, they didn't give up. The family lived in a small apartment, but the rising rent and an unfavorable neighborhood pushed them to apply for Dayton Habitat's Housing program.

Their dream includes having a safe place for their children to play and grow. One where their family will finally put down permanent roots.

Daniel and Primitive worked hard to qualify and complete their requirements to buy their home. These included 40-hours of classes and over 550-hours of sweat equity volunteering. Soon, they will buy their home with an affordable mortgage. The past few years have made it difficult to continue. However, the family has persevered and are looking forward to a permanent address with a big back yard for their children to enjoy.