

**THE SHOLA ADEFOLALU GASKA FOUNDATION'S
Q3 ACTIVITY REPORT FOR Q3 2024
JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2024**

THE SHOLA ADEFOLALU GASKA FOUNDATION SAYS THANK YOU!

Dear Friend of the Sholly Smile Factory



We are so grateful to God for seeing us all to the end of the third quarter of the year 2024. Our special appreciation to all our sponsors, partners and donors for their support in running our Q3 God Errands.

It is such a blessing to see how these errands are touching lives, renewing hope and pointing people to the loving light of Jesus Christ. We share a few testimonies that underscore this truth in this report.. Please see slides 7 and 8. You might recall that in our last report, we asked for help to pay off the balance of Mr. Paul Kobby Nornoo's APTECH Fees. Happy to share that we were able to pay off the N2,950,000 thanks to people like you.

The Adefolalu Love is A Verb (ALiVE) initiative which was launched in May 2024 with 16 beneficiaries across four states of the federation has spread. This social safe-net initiative now provides a N25,000 monthly allowance to 25 vulnerable women/families across eight states of the federation. None of what you are about to read would be possible without your support. Thank you so much for standing with us even in the face of the present economic realities. May the Lord bless and prosper you in Jesus name. Amen

Salt Essien-Nelson, Chief Errand Girl

THE SHOLA ADEFOLALU GASKA FOUNDATION: WHO WE ARE



The Shola Adefolalu Gaska Foundation aka The Sholly Smile Factory is a nonprofit organisation set up to bring smiles to the faces of people in need (especially women and children) by providing financial, emotional and spiritual support.

The Sholly Smile Factory was birthed from a place of deep pain. The loss of my dear sister – Oluwashola Adefolalu Gaska. In helping others, I am finding healing. Thanksto the errands God is sending us, Sholly will no longer be remembered for the horrible story of her death because we are creating a new, beautiful story from her death. One that touches lives. One that re-create smiles, like the ones Sholly is famous for.

On June 12, 2021, The Foundation opened the doors to its Shelter: The Sholly Serenity Place aka Sholly's Safe Home.

Sholly's Safe Home is a Jesus Christ-Centric Safe Haven and an Oasis of Serenity for vulnerable women and their children. Our mandate is crystal clear to us: Provide temporary accommodation, feeding and plenty of love to every woman over the age of 21 years old that God brings through our doors. To date, we have lovingly taken care of 41 residents (women and children).



THE SHOLA ADEFOLALU GASKA

N13M

**Total Expenditure for Q3
2024**

N1.75M

**Disbursed to
beneficiaries for the
ALiVE initiative**

10

**Academic
scholarships worth
N5,052,600**



8

**Individuals
financially/economically
empowered**

Partnered with 3 NGOS

31

**Families benefited from the
Sholly food care package
initiative**

5

**Families benefited from
our medical support**

11

New TSSP Residents

16

Financial Donors

THE SHOLLY SMILE'S FACTORY Q3 ACHIEVEMENTS

1. WE PROVIDED SHOLLY FOOD CARE PACKAGES TO **31** FAMILIES IN ANAMBRA, ENUGU, KWARA, OGUN AND LAGOS. EACH PACKAGE HAD RICE, BEANS, GARRI AND GROUNDNUT OIL.




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**JULY 2024 X 10
SHOLLY FOOD CARE PACKAGES
FOR FAMILIES IN NEED
(LAGOS)**

Because Love is A Verb




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**AUGUST 2024 X 10
SHOLLY FOOD CARE PACKAGES
FOR FAMILIES IN NEED
(LAGOS)**

Because Love is A Verb




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**SEPTEMBER 2024 X 11
SHOLLY FOOD CARE PACKAGES
FOR FAMILIES IN NEED
(LAGOS, KWARA,
ANAMBRA, OGUN, ENUGU)**

Because Love is A Verb

A WONDERFUL AUGUST SURPRISE FOR THE SHOLLY SERENITY PLACE

Five lovely ladies took out time from their summer holidays to raise funds to purchase a truck load of very essential provisions for The Sholly Serenity Place. Their intentionality and kindness left us in awe of what God is able to do.

As if the donation in kind was not enough, they also gave us a cash gift towards our meals.

We appreciate them and all their friends and family members who gave funds towards this laudable project of theirs.

May their lives continually reflect God's glory and beauty.



THE SHOLLY SMILE FACTORY - TESTIMONIALS/FEEDBACK

Education Assistance partnering with Praying

Mums: Good morning ma. I have not recovered. From this big amount of money praying mums has sent for my children's education. Look at them now going to school. With such confidence and joy. With all their books , textbooks am going to get them now, God can do the impossible indeed. To prove that He alone is God. God bless and beautify your children/ And continue to hid them in His secret place in Jesus mighty name

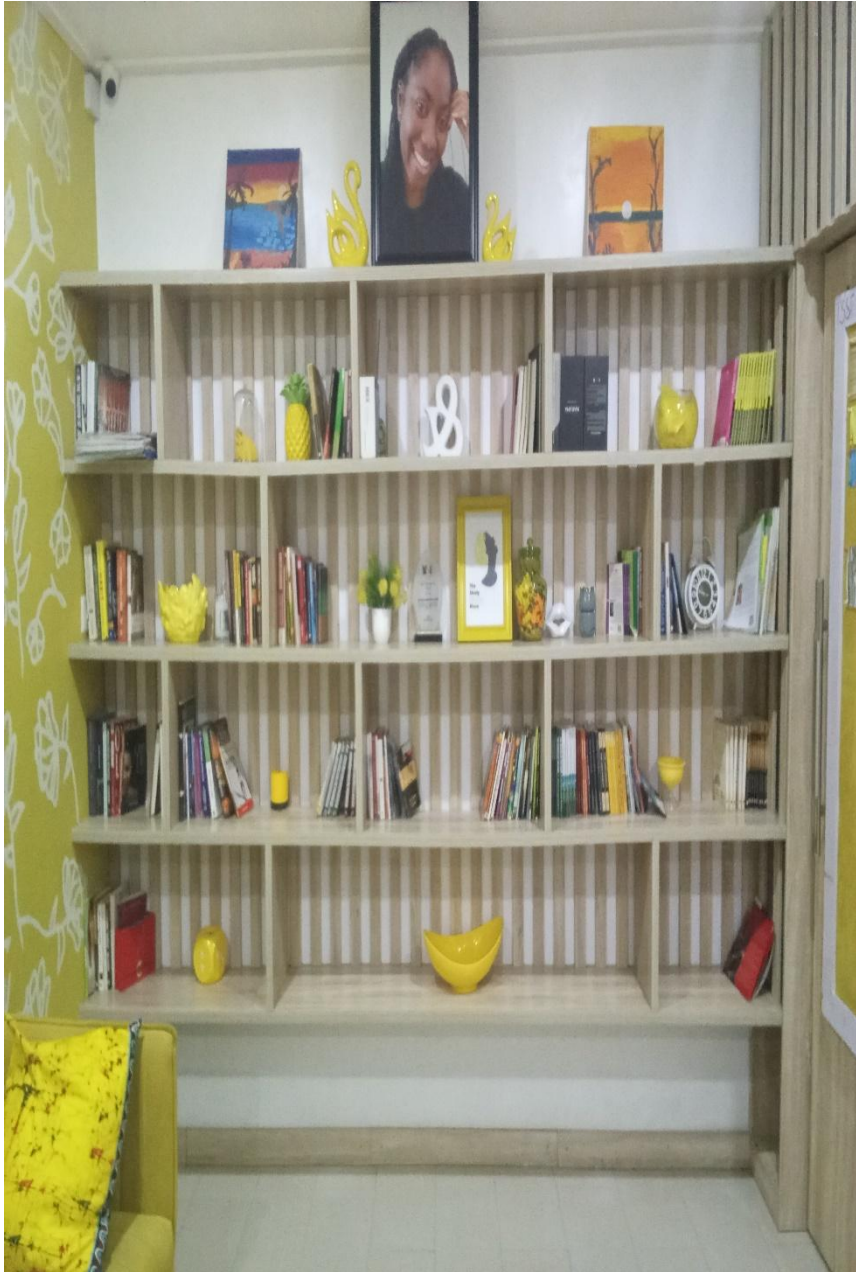
New ALIVE Beneficiary in Lagos State:

....They really appreciate you ma. Honestly nothing to eat at home, they drank only tea and bread to school, came back and met the surprise, you always come on time

Financial Assistance for Medical Intervention:

We are overwhelmed with gratitude as we write this message to express our heartfelt thanks for funding our re-surgery. Your foundation's generosity has given us a second chance at life, and we are forever grateful. Your support has not only alleviated our financial burden but also instilled hope and renewed our spirit. We are thrilled to report that the surgery was a success, and she is now on the path to a full recovery. Please know that Your commitment to helping others has created a ripple effect of kindness, inspiring others to pay it forward and make a difference in their own communities. Thank you for being a beacon of hope and a shining example of compassion. We are honored to be a recipient of your foundation's funding and will cherish this blessing forever.

THE SHOLLY SERENITY PLACE - RESIDENT TESTIMONIAL



Mrs. Amachree's ** checked in to the Sholly Serenity Place with her three children. Below are her words when she was leaving with her children

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“ I thank God for making me to know TSSP (The Sholly Serenity Place) when I have been having a heavy burden and marital emotional distress in my marriage over 4 - 5 years which the journey looks like hell with prayers and fasting till it seems hope is gone.

My marriage has been toxic and a friend introduced me to TSSP. TSSP brings smiles and laughter to myself and children....The staff there are friendly, nice respectful, caring and accommodating and even the environment.....The Sholly Serenity Place is “Salt” in my life and my children.....I have a new family in TSSP. I have so much to say but in short “I THANK YOU GOD” for how far He has been with me and my children. I LOVE TSSP”.

Do follow us on our social media platforms as stated below:

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[@The Sholly Serenity Place](#)

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[Remembering Mrs. Gaska, My AburoChild on Facebook](#)

Should you require additional information on the various ways you can support us (as cash donations is not the only way), please contact us via theshollysmilefactory@gmail.com

Or you can call us on 0810 796 7992.

Thank you so much!





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