



# QURBANI / UDHIYAH July-August 2020

## WHAT WE DID

We provided fresh meat to extremely vulnerable Muslim families living in selected locations across 9 countries, through the provision of Qurbani meat during the Muslim holiday of Eid al-Adha.

## WHY WE DID IT

Eid al-Adha is celebrated by Muslims all around the world to commemorate the completion of Hajj, the annual pilgrimage to Mecca. It is observed through the sacrificial slaughter of animals, known as Qurbani, to honor the willingness of Prophet Ibrahim (AS) to sacrifice his son, Ismail (AS). Penny Appeal USA is committed to making the Islamic duty of Qurbani accessible and beneficial for everyone involved. Muslims around the world live below the poverty line, struggling to provide necessities such as food for their families.

Many of the recipients of our Qurbani distributions are refugee families who have been forced to flee from their homes to escape conflict. Many refugees struggle to find work so for these families, Qurbani means that they can enjoy their Eid al-Adha meal without worrying about how they will pay for it.

Our Impact	Where We Did It
12,500+ Qurbanis	Cameroon    South Africa
172,000+ Families	India            Uganda
34,660 Meat Packs	Lebanon        USA
	Pakistan        Yemen
	Palestine

## Success Stories from the Field

In the Arua district of Uganda, Shakira is a single mother taking care of her children on her own. Shakira shared how the meat had brought immense happiness to her and her children. Without this support, they would have faced a difficult situation and uncertainty about what they would eat on such a special day. The provision of the Qurbani meat had made a significant difference in their lives, and they were truly grateful for the assistance. Shakira's story serves as a testament to the impact of our Qurbani program. Through our efforts, we were able to bring joy and relief to Shakira's family and others like hers.



Thank you!

Qurbani distribution in Uganda