## H4WI WOMEN IN BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM





Khaitsa Agnes

Agnes is 53 years old. She is 5<sup>th</sup> born out of 11 children. She dropped out of school in primary three because she lacked school fees. In 1983 she got married to her husband Clement. He is a peasant. Agnes has 12 children; Scovia 38 married with 7 children, Irene 35 married with 6 children, Catherine 33 married with 4 children, Joseph 31 married with 4 children, Bosco 29 married with 4 children, Lydia 27 married with 3 children, Cyrus 25 married with 2 children, William 10, Judith 20 married but no child yet, Josephine 18, Gloria 16 and Mary 14 years. Her current business is selling of millet with a capital of 60,000 shillings. The profit she gets is not enough to sustain her family. Her prayer is that when God opens the door and she gets support for a business, she will expand her business for more profits. This she believes will change her story. She sleeps in a semi permanent house. Agnes has an ulcer which has disturbed her for the last 3 years. She gets treatment from the nearby health center. Through the H4WI program she believes that she will be able to expand her business, afford basic necessities for her family with ease and buy animals like goats and save some money for other family emergency needs.