

Ylema Saintil, 13
(E' lee mah' San till')



Birthday: February 4, 1994

Favorite color: Green

Hobby: Basketball

Wants to be: Doctor so he can help people who are sick

Ylema has three sisters and four brothers, and he and his brother Wilner came to the orphanage in February 2006. He has three sisters and four brothers. His mother is dead and his father did not have enough money to take care of them and feed them.

Ylema is a bit of a mystery, always pleasant but mostly a loner. He is a very sensitive and caring young man who loves going to school for the first time in his life and is learning to read and write. Although Ylema is very quiet and withdrawn, he is friendly when engaged in conversation.

Ylema likes having clothes, going to school to learn English, and going to Kaliko Beach. He appreciates getting to eat three times a day (ate only once at 4 pm before he came to orphanage and it was always either rice or potatoes, nothing else). He loves going to church and had never been to a church before coming to the orphanage. Ylema is grateful for having a bed to sleep in because he had to sleep on the floor at home.