



CHIBOK GIRLS 10 YEARS AFTER

Where Are They Now?



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Still Missing From Chibok

As 197 schoolgirls from Government Secondary School, Chibok spend their 67th day in captivity, THISDAY & ARISE TV have EXCLUSIVELY obtained their photos and identities from the communities, and published in this and the following pages, to assist in the search and rescue ensuring they are not forgotten or sold into slavery... Of the 220 school girls now confirmed to have been abducted by Boko Haram, 197 are still held against their will, 53 have escaped at different times... CONTINUED ON PAGES I - V

 Esther Ayuba	 Glory Dama	 Dorcas Yakubu	 Glory Yaga	 Christiana Ali	 Hauwa Tella
 Barays Musa	 Labare John	 Layatu Habiba	 Naomi Phillimen	 Palmata Musa Nkeki	 Bifkato Amos
 Bifkato Yakubu	 Comfort Amos	 Ruth Wasi	 Tabi Pogu	 Asabe Lawson	 Comfort Habiba

Introduction

On the night of **April 14** into the morning of **April 15, 2014, 276** girls were abducted from Government Girls Secondary School, Chibok, Borno State, sparking the **Bring Back Our Girls (BBOG) Movement**. Most were students of the school and children of the community, but a few were external students for the West African Examinations Council (WAEC) examinations and visitors.

Over the last 10 years, the BBOG Family has had daily sit-outs in **Abuja** for a season; while the weekly gatherings at Falomo Roundabout in **Lagos** have continued. There were communities in Osogbo, Ibadan, Washington DC, and New York at different times. The New York community is still active.

On June 20, 2014, **ThisDay Newspaper** published the most comprehensive database of the abducted girls with pictures. They were the first media platform to do so, relying on their research as there was no official list. There were discrepancies between the records of the school, the Borno State Ministry of Education, and the Federal Ministry of Education. Unfortunately, 10 years later, there is still no official government publication that lists all 276 abducted girls and the context of their presence in the school on the night of the abduction.

There have been several books and documentaries on the “Chibok Abduction” by local and international stakeholders, but none has documented the trajectory of the girls. On April 11, 2024, the Murtala Muhammed Foundation (MMF) launched the first comprehensive publication on the Chibok Abduction - **The Chibok Girls' Abduction - A Turning Point in the Global Fight Against Girls' Abduction**.

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April 14, 2024, made it **10** years since the event that jarred the nation and the world. Unfortunately, history has continued to repeat itself with recent abductions of school children in Delta, Ekiti, Kaduna, Katsina, Kebbi, Lagos, Nasarawa, Niger, Plateau, Sokoto, Yobe, and Zamfara. There have been at least 38 school-related abductions since 2014. Given these horrendous events, the need to remember the missing students and amplify the advocacy for secure spaces for all Nigerians, especially our children in schools, remains paramount.

Enough is Enough (EiE) Nigeria has served as the secretariat for the BBOG Lagos Family in recent years. For this milestone, we thought it was important to revisit ThisDay's anchor publication to show what has happened to the girls over the last decade.

Over 10 years, after the initial **57 girls** escaped, there were negotiated releases of large groups of **21 and 82 of the girls**; and then individual and smaller group escapes and rescue of **26 girls** totaling **129 returned girls**. The girls returned with at least 30 children. There are **90 Chibok Girls** left in captivity, however, colleagues have confirmed that some of the girls died at different times. Some parents have used that information to achieve closure on a very painful chapter in their lives. Unfortunately, the federal government has refused to communicate formally with the parents.

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This document incorporates desk research, consultations with two returned Chibok Girls - Grace Dauda & Amina Ali, and MMF's report. EiE sent Freedom of Information letters to the American University in Nigeria, Yola (AUN); the Federal Ministry of Women Affairs (FMoWA); the Victims Support Fund (VSF) and the Nigerian Army to provide information about the Chibok Girls. VSF is the only institution that has responded to date. However, AUN is currently working with us to verify our data. FMoWA was allocated over **one billion naira** for the welfare of the Chibok Girls and their community over the last decade. We will continue to demand that the FMoWA adheres to the law and provide the requested information. The Bring Back Our Girls Lagos Family has also independently written a Freedom of Information letter to the Ministry and there has been no response.

Several published articles document the stories of the Chibok Girls with similar experiences, using the name of one girl as a marker. A richer document would require one-on-one interviews with each Chibok Girl, which would require significant resources. This booklet is therefore not comprehensive, and we welcome your feedback.

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Chibok Girls Photo (except Dinah Lawan, Mary Katambi, Godiya Simon, Joy Bishara, Lydia Pogu, Mary Yama, Asabe Goni, Amina Ali Nkeki)
- NY Times 2018



Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

- Nelson Mandela

The 57 Initial Escapees

When the Boko Haram insurgents set out on April 14, 2014, they were on a mission to procure food and a concrete block-making machine from the Government Girls Secondary School, Chibok. However, after discovering many girls in the school, their plans changed. They promptly reported this unexpected development to their high command, which instructed them to seize the girls as part of their spoils. This directive, however, presented logistical challenges, necessitating the hijacking of additional vehicles to transport the girls to Sambisa Forest.

// their plans changed

Amidst the chaos and the exceptionally slow response of the military, **57 of the abducted girls** seized fleeting opportunities to escape before they got to Sambisa Forest. Their journey through the dense wilderness was fraught with hunger, thirst, and the ever-looming threat of recapture. Despite enduring physical injuries, they displayed remarkable resilience and resourcefulness, skillfully navigating their way home.

The names and number of the initial escapees were challenging to verify, as it was retroactively determined in response to an offer of scholarship for those whose daughters had been abducted and escaped. There have been accusations of widespread deceit by government officials, who included the names of their daughters and wards, even though they had not been abducted. The number gained widespread acceptance and was adopted in the report of the Presidential

Fact-Finding Committee on June 20, 2014.
-Adapted from the MMF Report

According to an article in The Times (UK) by Adaobi Nwaubani, twenty four of these fifty seven girls were admitted to the American University of Nigeria, Yola (AUN), all of whom were sponsored by Robert F. Smith, a black American billionaire and the chief executive of Vista Equity Partners, a private equity firm.

1. Deborah Ishaya

graduated in 2022 in the US and works as a Respiratory Therapist.



2. Dinah Lawan

graduated in 2022 from Notre Dame University in the US. She is currently a second-year PhD student in Political Science at the University of California (UC), Berkeley, USA.

3. Kauna (Yaga) Bitrus

was taken to the US by a charity. As of 2019, she lived with a host family and was studying at a community college.



4. Mary Katambi

Nigeria (AUN), Yola with a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting in 2021. In January 2020, she went to Rome, Italy for a study-abroad program. It was her first time out of Nigeria. Italy was locked down like the rest of the world in March, which affected her time abroad.

After Mary's escape, she quickly realized that home was no safer. "Boko Haram has burned down my parents' house three times," she had said.

She did her NYSC with Women in Successful Careers (WISCAR) and currently works as a Custom Asset Analyst at AFEX Nigeria in Lagos as a graduate trainee until May 2024.

Mary plans to launch a startup - iGee Closet - with a co-founder. iGee Closet is a platform for reselling fashion items. She prefers working as an entrepreneur because it's an avenue to create job opportunities for others and the freedom that comes with it.

Mary is very keen on empowering young girls, especially in northern Nigeria.



5. Godiya Simon

Graduated in 2022 from Notre Dame University in the US.

6. Rebecca Ishaku

is currently studying in Ghana, according to her colleagues.

In August 2018, Rebecca and four other Chibok Girls - Maryam Wawi, Asabe Goni, Amina Ali Nkeki, and Saratu Emmanuel were blocked at the airport by the police and State Security Service (SSS) who handed them along with their parents to the Nigerian Immigration Services with an order to detain them. They missed their flight and the opportunity to begin new lives.

"They were on full scholarships to study in the United States, with the full consent of their parents and proper documentation and after they missed their flight, the immigration services let them go back home."

7. Saratu (Saraya) Amos

in a 2018 interview with ChannelsTV, said they were abandoned by the government and the promises to fund their education were not being implemented.

"We deserve equal treatment and opportunity," said Amos, who still lives with her parents in Chibok and helps on the family farm. Those rescued are now studying at the university while we have been forgotten."

8. Yagani Yamani

also did not receive support to continue her education from the government.

"[She] waited for government funds for six years after escaping her captors. She finally asked her mother, a farmer, to help. Now 25, she is studying public health."

Relocated to the US by Human Rights Lawyer Emmanuel Ogebe in 2014



9. Joy Bashira

graduated from Southeastern University in the US in 2021 with a degree in Social Work.

10. Palmatah Mutah

graduated with an Associate Degree in Science in 2019 from a Community College in the US.



11. Lydia Pogu

graduated from Southeastern University in the US in 2021 with a degree in Legal Studies and a Master's Degree in Human Services Administration.

Wards of the Murtala Muhammed Foundation (MMF)

These three girls are studying in the US as wards of MMF funded by the Victims Support Fund (VSF). Adaobi's article provides information on Mercy and Patience.

12. Mercy Paul

is pursuing an Associate Degree in social science at Northern Virginia Community College and will graduate in May.

13. Patience Bulus

is majoring in psychology and educational studies at Dickinson College in Pennsylvania and will graduate in May.

14. Tabitha Watsai

Others

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| 15. Aishatu Modu | 30. Hajara Abdullahi | 45. No'ami Lawan |
| 16. Aishau Usman | 31. Hamsatu Umoru | 46. Rahab Pogu |
| 17. Amina Abdullahi | 32. Hannatu Eliya | 47. Rahab Yaga |
| 18. Anna Sanya | 33. Hauwa Ibrahim | 48. Rejoice (Samuel) Yaga |
| 19. Asabe Nkeki | 34. Hauwa John | 49. Saratu Isa |
| 20. Awa Andama | 35. Hauwa Musa | 50. Saratu Lawan |
| 21. Comfort Ayuba | 36. Hauwa Sani | 51. Saratu Musa |
| 22. Dorcas Musa | 37. Hauwa Thawur* | 52. Saratu Yohanna |
| 23. Esther Kwachi | 38. Kume Ishaku | 53. Solome Yakubu |
| 24. Falmata Dawa | 39. Ladi (Lidiya) Nkeki | 54. Thlama Wala |
| 25. Grace Simon | 40. Ladiya Pogu | 55. Yagana Musa |
| 26. Habiba Yahaya | 41. Lidiya Maina | 56. Zara Ali |
| 27. Hadiza Fali | 42. Lucy Dzakwa | 57. Zara Umoru |
| 28. Hadiza Hamidu | 43. Lugwa Yahi | |
| 29. Hadiza Kwagwi | 44. Maimuna Buba | |

In Adaobi's article, these two girls are documented as Mary Katambi's cousins but don't appear in several cross-referenced lists

1. Grace Thlawur

was supported by a Christian charity to study in the US. She has a degree in cybersecurity from Liberty University in Virginia.

**This could be her.*



2. Mary Yaga

graduated in December 2023 from AUN with a law degree and started work as an intern at a law firm in Abuja in April 2024. She plans to attend law school.

21 Negotiated Returns

On October 13, 2016, a significant development occurred with the release of 21 girls by Boko Haram. This was a momentous accomplishment that the Nigerian government achieved through negotiations facilitated by the International Committee of the Red Cross (Red Cross) and the Swiss government.

-Adapted from the MMF Report



1. Mary Usman Bulama (Daniel)

dropped out of AUN, according to her colleagues.

2. Deborah Jafaru

was married and pregnant before the abduction. She was released with her son and returned to her husband in Chibok. She declined schooling offers.



3. Rebecca K Ibrahim

dropped out of AUN and is now married, according to her colleagues.



4. Glory Maintah

left AUN because she wanted to be close to her parents. She has now graduated from secondary school.

21 Negotiated Returns Cont'd

5. Rebecca Mallum

started school at AUN in September 2017. Unfortunately, due to injuries from a bomb blast in Sambisa Forest, she struggled with her education. The Nigerian government could not give her the medical care she needed, but a good Samaritan, an American lady, paid for her care in the US. She left for the US on November 19, 2019, and received care at Weill Cornell Medical Centre, New York. After her medical treatment, she took her High School Equivalency Diploma exam which later qualified her to enroll in Bronx

Community College, New York. Unfortunately, her humanitarian parole visa expired and she had to return to Nigeria.

Rebecca returned to Nigeria in November 2021 and later resumed at AUN. Unfortunately, she was asked to leave the school because the Nigerian government refused to pay her fees. She got married in March 2023 and became a mother to Alexander in March 2024. Rebecca would like to return to school.

According to colleagues, the following Chibok Girls are believed to have married after returning and they deferred schooling at American University of Nigeria, Yola.

6. Maryamu Lawan



7. Blessing Abanna



8. Glory Dama



9. Comfort Habila

Students at American University of Nigeria, Yola

10. Agnes Gapani

got married in December 2023 and is a student of Natural and Environmental Science US.

11. Saratu Emmanuel ¹



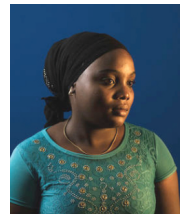
12. Asabe Goni ¹



13. Comfort Amos



14. Deborah (Andrews) Andrewus

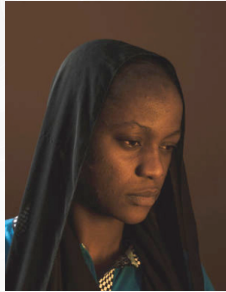


15. Helen Musa

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16. Jummai John



17. Maryam Bashir



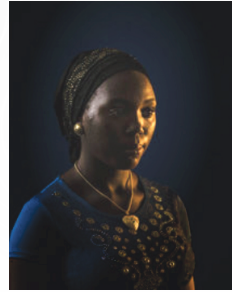
18. Rahab Ibrahim



19. Luggwa Sanda



20. Pindah Nuhu



21. Saratu Markus

¹ In August 2018, *Asabe Goni*, *Saratu Emmanuel*, and two other Chibok Girls - *Maryam Wawi* and *Amina Ali Nkeki*, were blocked at the airport by the police and State Security Service (SSS) who handed them along with their parents to the Nigerian Immigration Services with an order to detain them. They missed their flight and the opportunity to begin new lives.

82 Negotiated Returns

On May 6, 2017, the Nigerian government negotiated the release of 82 Chibok schoolgirls from Boko Haram in exchange for five Boko Haram commanders. This negotiation was facilitated by the International Committee of the Red Cross (Red Cross) and the Swiss government. It was a significant development in the efforts to free the remaining abducted Chibok girls.

It is worth noting that 83 girls were negotiated, but one girl, Saraya Paul, decided to remain with her captors, citing undisclosed reasons. Saraya's decision highlights the complex psychological impact of captivity and the challenges faced by survivors of such traumatic experiences.

-Adapted from the MMF Report



1. Grace Dauda

shares similar circumstances to Rebecca Mallum. Her leg was damaged in captivity and she had three surgeries in Nigeria and a final one in the US. She completed her high school equivalency degree and got admission into a community college. Her visa expired and she returned to Nigeria. The US government has declined her renewal applications. She would like to continue her education.



2. Ladi Ibrahim

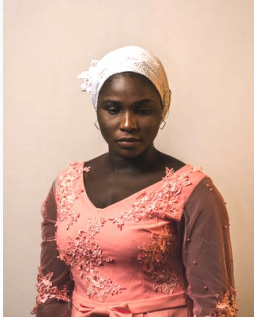
got married in 2019. She died two weeks after giving birth in 2021.

3. Naomi Adamu

left school to get married. She has chosen a quieter life and is currently expecting her second child with her husband.

In a 2020 statement by the Kibaku Area Development Association (KADA), an umbrella group for the Chibok community, these eight girls dropped out of school due to government neglect:

- 4. Asabe Lawan (married)
- 5. Laraba Mamman
- 6. Lydia Habila
- 7. Sarah (Serah) Nkeki
- 8. Saraya Yanga



9. Mwa (Awa) Daniel
(married)



10. Racheal Nkeki
(married)



11. Philomena
(Philo/Filo) Dauda

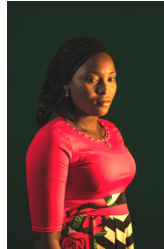
According to their colleagues, these girls dropped out of AUN, and are now married



12. Esther Usman



13. Martha James



14. Yana Bukar

15. Mary Dauda

In an interview with Amnesty International, she states that she was in school for 3 years after her release, but left to get married and now has 3 children. She would like to return to school one day and also send her children to school.

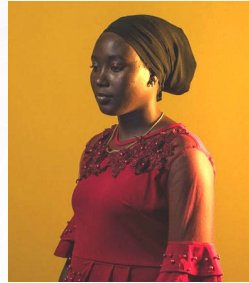
- 16. Hauwa Musa (Awa)
- 17. Juliana Yakubu
- 18. Kwamta Liyatu (Lydia) Simon (Solomon)
- 19. Luggwa Samuel
- 20. Mary Yakubu
- 21. Maryamu Yahaya
- 22. Naomi Philemon
- 23. Naomi Zakaria
- 24. Salomi Titus
- 25. Yana Joshua

According to their colleagues, these four girls are believed to have married after their return and deferred schooling at American University of Nigeria, Yola.

26. Maryama (Maryamu) Yakubu 28. Tabitha Silas
27. Tabitha Hyalampa (Maryamu Lawal) 29. Tabitha Pogu

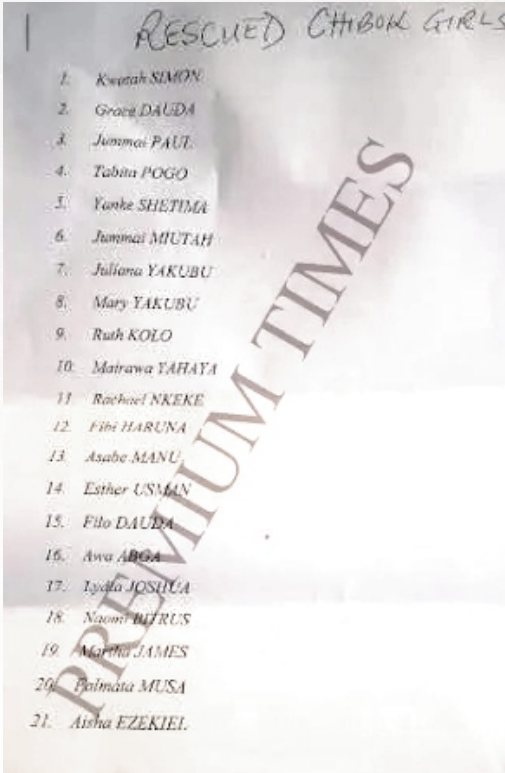
Students at American University of Nigeria, Yola

30. Abigail Bukari 45. Hadiza Yakubu
31. Aisha Ezekiel 46. Hannatu Ishaku
32. Amina Bulama
She returned in a wheelchair with and an injury to her left arm.
33. Amina Pogu 47. Hannatu Stephen
Hannatu in an interview with CNN vividly remembers the moment when a 'failed' rescue mission cost her a limb. She mentions that 6 of the girls with her instantly died while she was the sole survivor. Despite these challenges, she remains resolute to pursue her degree in Business Administration
34. **Asabe Manu**
35. Awa Yerima 48. Hauwa Ishaya
36. Awa Yerima *Student of Communications & Multimedia.*
37. Christiana Ali 49. Hauwa Ntakai
38. Comfort Bulus 50. Jummai Mutah (Musa)
39. Deborah Peter *Early period at AUN was difficult because students, lecturers, and other non-academic staff discriminated against her and other Chibok Girls. Other students would avoid her when they were paired for group assignments, and when she did well in some assignments, it would be attributed to cheating. She's a single mother.*
40. Esther Joshua 51. Jummai Paul
41. Fatima Tabiji
42. Fibi Haruna
43. Glory Aji



52. **Kau'na Lalai**
53. Kwazuku (Grace) Hamman
54. Ladi Audu
55. Liyatu Habila
56. Luggwa Mutah (Ayuba)
57. Lydia Joshua
58. Maimuna Usman
59. Margret Yama
60. Martha James Bello
61. Mary Ali
62. Maryamu Bulama
63. Maryamu Lawan Yamta
64. Maryamu Musa
65. Maryamu Wovi² (Maryam Wavi)
66. Mwada Baba
Got married in April 2024, according to her colleagues.

82 Negotiated Returns Cont'd



The Federal Government's List of the Rescued 82 Chibok Girls - (1-21)

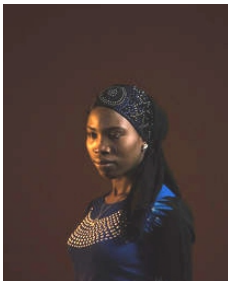
- 68 Naomi Bitrus
- 69 Naomi Yaga
- 70 Naomi Yohanna



71. Palmata Musa



72. Rahila Bitrus

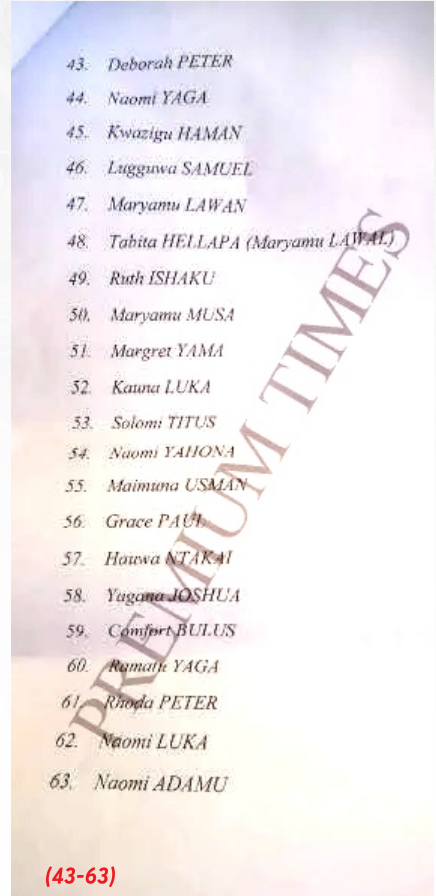
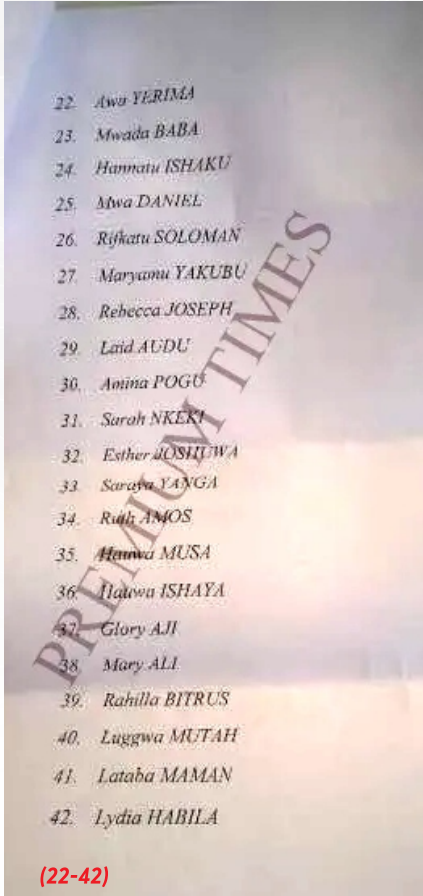


67. Naomi Luka

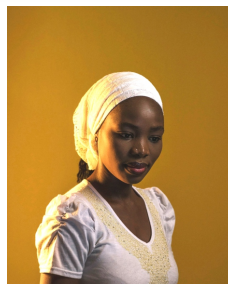


73. Ramatu Yaga

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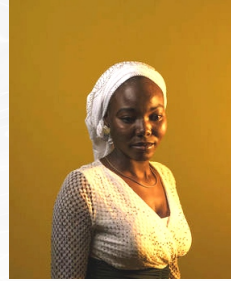
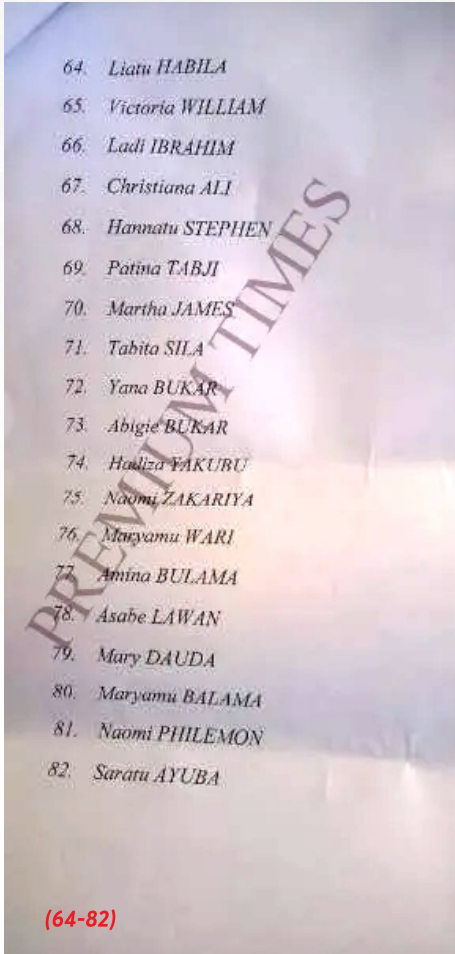
74. Rebecca Joseph



75. Rhoda Peter



76. Rifkatu Solomon



77. Ruth Amos



78. Ruth Ishaku



79. Ruth Kollo

82 Negotiated Returns Cont'd



80. Saratu Ayuba



81. Victoria William



82. Yanke Shetima

² In August 2018, **Maryam Wawi** and three other Chibok Girls - **Asabe Goni**, **Saratu Emmanuel**, and **Amina Ali Nkeki**, were blocked at the airport by the police and State Security Service (SSS) who handed them along with their parents to the Nigerian Immigration Services with an order to detain them. They missed their flight and the opportunity to begin new lives.

Escaped or Rescued

Twenty-six (26) girls have been found, rescued, or escaped over the last decade, and a number of them have returned with children. **Seventeen** (17) of them have remained in the custody of the Borno State Government, with mixed feelings in the community.



1. Amina Ali Nkeki

was found on May 17, 2016, on the fringes of Sambisa Forest as the first Chibok Girl to escape on her own. She fled with a man and her four-month-old daughter. Amina is currently at the American University of Nigeria, Yola as a single mother.

In August 2018, Amina and three other Chibok Girls - Asabe Goni, Saratu Emmanuel, and Maryam Wawi, were blocked at the airport by the police and State Security Service (SSS) who handed them along with their parents to the Nigerian Immigration Services with an order to detain them. They missed their flight and the opportunity to begin new lives.

2. Maryam Maiyanga Ali

escaped and turned herself in to the Nigerian army on November 5, 2016, five days after escaping with her ten-month-old son tied to her back. She is now a student at the American University of Nigeria, Yola, while her son is with her parents.



3. Rakiya Abubakar Gali

was found in Sambisa Forest with her son by the Nigerian Army and the Civilian Self-Defence Forces on January 5, 2017.

Formerly a student in AUN, she left due to some illness. In a 2024 interview with BBC, she mentioned that she has been abandoned by the government to fend for herself and her son. She also said she lives in constant fear as Boko Haram is still prevalent in her community and her son's school was also burned down recently. She believes that life in Sambisa was much better than the hardship she has had to face since her return.

4. Salomi Pogu

was found on January 4, 2018 after she escaped. After she was kidnapped, she started experiencing chest pain and had difficulty breathing while in Sambisa.

Following her escape, she was taken to the National Security Office in Abuja, and then taken to the National Hospital in Abuja. She was later transferred to Babcock Teaching Hospital in Ogun State, where she was diagnosed with a hole in her heart and had to undergo surgery. She returned to Abuja to recover as a ward of the Ministry of Women Affairs.

She completed her secondary education at the Federal Government Girls College in Bwari, Abuja in 2023. The ministry then arranged accommodation for her with a pastor, who was later transferred. She is now staying with her brother in Abuja and has been learning fashion design for two months. She would like to attend university and study law.

Salomi recently met with the Minister of Women Affairs, who promised to get her a sewing machine. She is still waiting for that promise to be fulfilled.

Chibok Girls Currently in the Custody of the Borno State Government in Maiduguri

These **sixteen** girls were kept in different locations following their return, but are now together in Maiduguri.

5. Halima Ali Maiyanga

Maryam's younger sister, escaped and turned herself over to the Nigerian military on **January 21, 2021**. She had escaped with her son. Her sister had escaped 5 years earlier.

6. Hassana Adamu

was found on **August 14, 2021**, with her two children.

7. Mary G Dauda (Yahi)

was found on **July 21, 2022**, with her child in Gwoza Forest after escaping captivity. Estranged from her parents as she is considered "married" to her abductor with the approval of the Borno State Government.

8. Mary Nkeki

was found in Gwoza Forest on **June 16, 2022**, by the Nigerian military after she had escaped with her child and the father.

Unfortunately, the child later died from an illness.

9. Kauna (Serah) Luka

was found on **July 26, 2022**, by the Nigerian military after she had escaped with her child.

10. Hannatu Musa

was found on **July 26, 2022**, by the Nigerian military after she had escaped with her two children.

11. Aisha Grema

was found on **August 13, 2022**, by the Nigerian military after she had escaped with her two children.

12. Falta Lawan

was freed with her child on **September 7, 2022**, when the military attacked a Boko Haram hideout.

Escaped or Rescued Cont'd

- 13. Asabe Ali**
was freed with her child on **September 7, 2022**, when the military attacked a Boko Haram hideout.
- 14. Jinkai Yama**
was freed with her three children on **September 7, 2022**, when the military attacked a Boko Haram hideout. Her parents are unhappy that it seems that the Borno State Government considers her "married" and allows her captor access to her. The State insists they do not recognise any "marriages" and they allow the girls to have visitors as adults.
- 15. Yana Poni**
was found with her four children on **September 29, 2022**.
- 16. Esther Markus**
was found by the Nigerian military on **April 24, 2023**, with her child.
- 17. Hauwa Mutah**
was found by the Nigerian military on **April 24, 2023**, pregnant and with a child.
- 18. Saratu Dauda**
escaped and handed herself over to the Nigerian military on **May 6, 2023**. She was later reunited with the man she had married in captivity and her three daughters. She changed her name to Aisha in captivity and has decided to remain a Muslim. She said she converted of her own free will.
- 19. Rebecca Kabu**
was found on **August 11, 2023** in Cameroon where she was rescued by the military. She was one of the youngest girls kidnapped, as she was 13 at the time. When she returned, she met with the wife of the President, Mrs Remi Tinubu, who promised that she would be the first recipient of her Renewed Hope Initiative Organisation.
- 20. Aisha Iliya's**
rescue story is uncertain but confirmed by the Borno State Government to be in their custody. She is likely Saratu Iliya on other lists.

Chibok Girls in a School in Jos

These **four girls** were kept in different locations following their return, until 2023 when they were part of the group of 20 girls in the custody of the Borno State Government in Maiduguri. They went to Chibok for the holidays in **December 2023** and their parents made alternative arrangements for their care.

- 21. Ruth Ngiladar (Pogu)**
and the father of her two children surrendered to the military on **August 1, 2021**.
- 22. Ruth Bitrus**
escaped with her child and was found by the military on **June 29, 2022**.
- 23. Hauwa Joseph**
was found with her child in Gwoza Forest on **July 21, 2022**, after escaping captivity.
- 24. Rejoice Sanki**
was found on **October 2, 2022**, after she had escaped with her two children.
- Hauwa refused to be identified as a Muslim upon her return and was called an 'infidel' by the other girls. Her mother, Esther, mentions in an article that Hauwa has changed her number and did not disclose her location so she is not pressured to return to the government's custody. She did not confirm if Hauwa is in Jos.*

Incomplete Information

We were unable to get any information on Mary following her return.

25. **Mary Amos**
was found by the military on **January 14, 2022**, with a group of women who had escaped from Boko Haram.

2024 Returned

26. **Lydia Simon**
was found by the Nigerian Army on **April 18, 2024**, with three children and is currently five months pregnant. She's in the custody of the Borno State government.

On Education

Interviews have revealed that some Chibok Girls attended schools in Jos, Plateau State, and Katsina State. Unfortunately, there is no comprehensive record of what influenced the schools that each girl attended or a definitive list of institutions attended and enrolled students.

American University in Nigeria, Yola has educated the most number of Chibok Girls. No additional admissions have happened since the rescued group of 82. There have been various accounts of the experiences of the girls, including the disregard for challenges with integration given the drastically different socio-economic backgrounds and quality of

education, ostracisation by classmates, the cost of living, and inadequate learning tools like tablets and laptops. In an interview, Amina Ali said, "We didn't choose AUN because we know the school standards are difficult for us, we girls come from poor backgrounds," she says. "The former minister forced us to come to this school."

There have also been concerns about the length of time they have spent completing their secondary school and university education. Nevertheless, the institution remains a critical part of the story of the Chibok Girls. **Eleven girls** had graduated by 2023 and **three** are expected to graduate this spring.



Still in Captivity

- 1 Agnes Dauda
- 2 Aisha Lawan
- 3 Aishatu Musa
- 4 Awa Ali
- 5 Awa Bitrus
- 6 Awa Sasa
- 7 Bilkisu Abdullahi
- 8 Christiana Yusuf
- 9 Deborah Abari
- 10 Deborah Abbas
- 11 Deborah Nuhu
- 12 Deborah Solomon
- 13 Dorcas Yakubu
- 14 Eli Ibrahim
- 15 Elizabeth Job (Joseph)
- 16 Esther Ayuba
- 17 Esther John
- 18 Glory Yaga
- 19 Godiya Bitrus
- 20 Hajara Isa
- 21 Halima Gambo
- 22 Hamsatu Abubakar
- 23 Hannatu Nuhu
- 24 Hannatu Madu
- 25 Hauwa Abdu
- 26 Hauwa Balte
- 27 Hauwa Ishaku
- 28 Hauwa Isuwa
- 29 Hauwa Kwakwi
- 30 Hauwa M Maina
- 31 Hauwa Nkeki
- 32 Hauwa Peter
- 33 Hauwa Tella
- 34 Hauwa Wuleh
- 35 Ihyi Abudu
- 36 Jummai Aboku
- 37 Kabu Mala
- 38 Kuma Solomon
- 39 Ladi Joel
- 40 Ladi Paul
- 41 Ladi Wadai
- 42 Laraba John
- 43 Laraba Paul
- 44 Laraba Yahoona
- 45 Lydia Emmar
- 46 Margaret Shettima
- 47 Margaret Watsai
- 48 Mary Dama
- 49 Mary Dauda (Lawan)
- 50 Mary Paul
- 51 Mary Sule
- 52 Maryam Abba
- 53 Maryamu Abubakar
- 54 Maryamu Lawan (Yamta)
- 55 Maryamu Yahaya
- 56 Miriam Jafaru
- 57 Monica Enoch Salome
- 58 Hauwa (Monica) Musa
- 59 Naomi Leru Adamu
- 60 Nguba Bura
- 61 Patience Jacob
- 62 Rahila Yohanna
- 63 Rakiya Kwamta
- 64 Rebecca Ibrahim
- 65 Rhoda John
- 66 Rifkatu Amos
- 67 Rifkatu Galang
- 68 Rifkatu Yakubu
- 69 Rose Daniel
- 70 Ruth Lawan
- 71 Ruth Musa
- 72 Ruth Wavi
- 73 Safiya Abdu
- 74 Sarah Enoch
- 75 Sarah Samuel
- 76 Saratu Thuji
- 77 Saraya Ali
- 78 Saraya Amos
- 79 Saraya Musa
- 80 Saraya Paul*
- 81 Saraya Stover
- 82 Sikta Abudu
- 83 Solomi Pana
- 84 Susanna Yakubu
- 85 Tabi Thomas
- 86 Victoria Dauda
- 87 Yana Yidau
- 88 Yayi Abana
- 89 Zainab Yaga
- 90 Zara Ishaku

**Saraya Paul had the opportunity to return home in 2017 with the 82 other girls, but she declined.*

Dead

Ladi Ibrahim, one of the rescued 82, died after her return. She is survived by her husband and her son. Some returned girls have stated that at least 21 girls are dead. Unfortunately, the

government has refused to make this information public and we do not have the community's consent to share, so they are still listed as missing.



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Chibok Girls

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- **Scholarships**

or other information, please email:

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Over the last 10 years, individuals and organisations have supported the Chibok girls and the Chibok community in different ways. For this milestone, the Bring Back Our Girls Lagos Family worked with some of the returned girls to financially empower themselves. They are setting up a cooperative and now have an account with Sterling Bank, that allows them to make decisions in their own interest. They will be supported with professional financial advice and financial literacy education.



276 #ChibokGirls

were abducted on April 14, 2014 from Government Secondary School, Chibok, Borno State by Boko Haram.

57
ESCAPED

7
FOUND

103
RELEASED

109
STILL MISSING!



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