

**PEPO LA TUMAINI JANGWANI IN ISIOLO KENYA**

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***- written on behalf of all the voiceless children who are infected  
and affected by HIV/AIDS***

Don't infect me to live in pain  
I am a child of the world  
I want a chance to live my life  
Without AIDS  
BUT

Look what it has done to me  
First it was my papa, then my mama followed  
Both gone for a journey  
A journey never to return

Here I stand alone in the world  
With nothing to call a family  
With nothing to call a home  
An orphan I have become  
Yet I am so young

Now my future is uncertain  
But I weep for you  
I weep for us  
Weep for us  
Who are busy killing the future  
Creating a generation of AIDS orphans

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