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All images: Efa, a farmer in her village, Semba, in Malawi.

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Efa

FOUNDATION FOR CIVIC EDUCATION, MALAWI

Efa is from a village called Semba in Malawi. Her village is part of the Semba cluster, a group created by the Foundation for Civic Education (FACE) that carries out advanced, climate-smart farming practices. Efa reflects on how FACE has benefitted her community:

*Every
Person's
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'We learnt of this type of farming through FACE in the year 2018, they are the ones who taught us how to do this type of farming. We used to do farming in a local way... and it was happening that when there's too much sun then the seeds were drying up. But now according to the way they taught us, (planting quick maturing crops and harvesting water through contours and ridges in the soil) even if there's too much sun we still get a good harvest... When we harvest more we sell some and we keep some as seed or sell the seed to other farmers for them to use in their farms.'



'We have goats and chickens in our homes and we also sell them and divide the money for farming, school fees, and even after we have harvested more, we sell some and keep the other for food. This knowledge (of animals) came with the same organisation called FACE. We will continue being grateful for the knowledge we are getting from FACE, we are very grateful and we want to stress the dedication that is here because we started with a land of 20 by 30 meters... With the knowledge we have, even if it cannot be a rainy season, we can still benefit... We are not going to stop this we are going to proceed with this, because we have seen the goodness of this farming and we are also doing the same in our personal farm lands.'



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