"The Good Samaritan Sponsorship Project"

NEW LIFE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Pastor Sam Kasule P.O. Box 383 Fort Portal, Uganda East Africa



- Psalm 27:10 -

"Though my father and mother forsake me, the Lord will receive me."

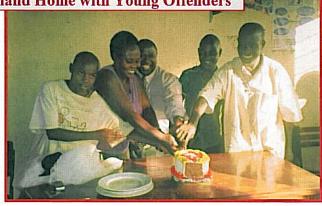
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The photos of the Good Samaritan orphan Christmas party on December 16 have arrived. The guest list included: Guest of Honour, Honourable Member of Parliament Stephen Kagwera Apuuli, M.P. Burahya County; the Chairman L.C. III, John Kumwe, Busoro; the Chairman L.C. I, Paul Buguma, the Movement Chairman Busoro; all invited guests, Guardians, and Children of the project. Pastor Sam's remarks to the gathering:

"This year we mark eleven (11) years of the project's existence and many of our pioneer recipients have completed training and are in the field. The project has produced four university graduates all in the field. In addition, one has graduated from the University this year and two will graduate next year- one from Ndejje and another from Gulu. We already have four Primary school teachers while another girl is in training this year. One girl graduated in Tailoring while six girls have graduated with Diplomas in Catering and Hotel Management. Some of the project beneficiaries are already serving as leaders in the Church and other related Church Ministries. This is the seventh year for the Christmas party and each sponsored child will receive a new blanket, a flask, a flash light (Torch) and soap. The God we serve is a God of love, a provider and rich in mercies and the project endeavors to put this in practice for the Glory of God.

We plan to continue providing physical needs as well as spiritual guidance. We meet with all the children on the last Saturday of every month for Bible study and fellowship. The project is seeking ways of giving basic training in vocational skills, cooking, etc., to help those dropping out in P-7 and S-4 who cannot continue with formal education, so that they can be self-reliant. However, our hands are tied and we seek for help from the government and other stakeholders. We also, plan to intensify educating the recipients about Aids and its pinching negative consequences. Many of them are growing and we cannot ignore the wicked world we live in.





First and foremost we appreciate our Almighty God, who has continued to provide and make our dream a reality. We close the year with no debts at all in all the schools and we thank God for this. We are so indebted to sponsors who have continued to generously give and in time to have all programs work as scheduled. We thank God for our US coordinators."

During the Christmas time celebration a visit was made by Pastor Sam and the youth to the Remand Home for Juvenile Delinquents. A program of songs, testimonies, word of salvation and invitation was made to the children. During this visit 19 accepted Christ as their Lord and Savior, were given a Bible and encouraged to join a Bible believing church upon their release from the facility.

In His Arms Forever, Dick & Barbara

