



Reaching the Least of These in Uganda

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I enjoyed being with my family this Christmas. I attended three funerals while I was in the States and it were very sad to say goodbye, but I was very blessed to be there with my family and dear friend.

While I was back, I was able to spend some good quality time with my parents. I am so thankful that God has blessed me with Kenny and Clara Phillips as my parents. Every time I am with them, I see how much they truly love the Lord and others. I was very grateful that I got to spend quality time with my momma and daddy all by myself. (Yes, I'm the youngest.)

In the middle of January, I flew back home to Uganda and quickly jumped back into the swing of things. Two days after arriving back in Uganda, we had our annual Field Conference for all BIMI Ugandan missionaries. Then we traveled back to Soroti to welcome nine new children to the orphanage. We praise the Lord that all nine have put their trust in the Lord Jesus as their Saviour.

In February, I made Valentine cards for my children and my neighborhood children. You would have thought I gave a million dollars to the neighborhood children. They jumped up and down and danced for the longest time reading, "I love you." These children have been the highlight of many of my days this year. They are very faithful to come to Bible Club every Saturday, and ten of them are starting to come to church faithfully on Sunday mornings.

March started with a big leak and many plumbing problems. As we started following the leak, we found a huge termite mound underneath my tub. By finding this issue, God gave me one of the desires of my heart: a rock wall walk-in shower. It turned out beautifully and I feel like I'm at a resort.

At the end of February, I found out that Justin, my water bottle buddy, moved about an hour away. I was heartbroken not seeing him outside my gate every day. I began asking around to find out where Justin's village was and I found out that it was only about 20 minutes from some missionary friends of ours. I found out the name of his grandmother and of his village. I contacted the missionaries to see if they could find him. I left early one Saturday morning and the Lord directed us straight to Justin's village. God allowed for us to do a Bible Club there and they heard the Gospel. I praise the Lord that He allowed us to find Justin and now his family is connected with a Bible-believing church near their village. Justin and I had a wonderful reunion, and of course I brought him a water bottle, "ecupa."

These months have flown by and God is opening up many opportunities in our community for the Gospel to be spread all throughout the district of Soroti. Stay tuned for the upcoming news!

Thank you so much for your faithfulness in the financial and constant prayer support for me. God truly hears and answers your prayers so please don't stop.

Your missionary,

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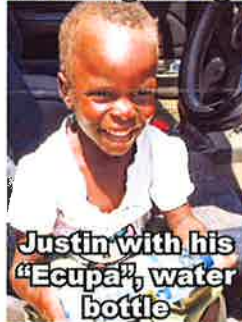
Florence got saved.



Our substitute guard got saved.



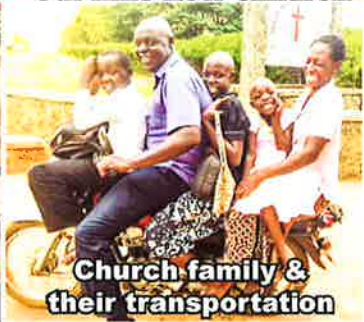
Our nine new children



Justin with his "Ecupa" water bottle



Julius



Church family & their transportation



Happy Valentine's Day to my neighborhood!



A Members of Parliament came for a visit.



Justin's Family



Reunited with Justin



I love to have my lap full with my children



Easter Sunday I taught in a church plant about four hours away



Isaac got saved.



Easter Sunday I taught in two rooms at one time.

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