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Contagious Joy! Deep Appreciation! Extravagant Love!

Because of your support, our vision — "to see orphans and other vulnerable children in Uganda achieve their full potential and impact their communities for Christ" – is being fulfilled! From October 14–30, six of the eight Living Hope for Children board members traveled to Uganda. Everywhere we went we experienced contagious joy, deep appreciation, and extravagant love from sponsored children, their guardians, staff, community members, and government officials. The welcome was overwhelming – children singing praise songs, performing traditional dances, and guardians greeting us with open arms.



Traveling with nearly 1,000 pounds of donated items in our luggage wasn't for the faint of heart — but what joy we felt in seeing those items received with gratitude! There is so much to share, but here are a few highlights:





becoming a Reverend, then visited our Joy Primary School.

University & Vocational Programs: We met many of our 85 university students and 31 vocational students (each eager to show us their work and projects). What a joy to see the fruit of years of sponsorship and care!



Partnership & Training: We convened with our partner board members from Hope Partners Africa, then shared a traditional Ugandan meal in one of their homes along with senior staff. Then we spent a day listening to senior staff, and leading short trainings on "Biblical Integration in the Classroom" and "Owning Our Belovedness" in order to encourage and equip them.

Hope Primary School (Mbarara): A wonderful visit, followed by a very special stop at **Tommy's Village**, our newest care center. The hugs, songs, and testimonies moved us deeply. I was so touched that I decided to sponsor a child — his mother literally jumped for joy! Sixteen children there are still awaiting sponsors — please share this opportunity with someone today. These families live in a

remote village without running water, sanitation, or electricity, yet their hope in education as the path to a brighter future is unwavering.









318.686.7491 P.O. Box 2384, Glen Ellyn, IL 60138 info@livinghopeforchildren.org livinghopeforchildren.org **Bishop Stuart University Graduation:** A five-hour celebration as six sponsored students graduated — including our first attorney! Even the Vice President of Uganda attended and spoke!

Hope High School (Rubanda): The trip's grand finale — touring the brand-new school and attending its grand opening, featuring government leaders and a member of Parliament. As our CEO, Dr. Herbert Ainamani, said so powerfully:

"The establishment of Hope High School is not just the fulfillment of a dream – it is the renewal of a promise that every child, no matter their background, deserves a place to belong, to learn, and to thrive. Together we are not just educating children; we are building the future of Africa, one hopeful heart at a time."

YOU, as a sponsor, are making a real difference — in the life of your sponsored child, their family, their community, and across Uganda. Please know how deeply you are appreciated.

One heartfelt request: consider writing to your sponsored child. The number one question we heard was, "Why doesn't my sponsor write to me?" Your letters mean more than you know — your child treasures your encouragement, prays for you, and thanks God for you daily.

Sincerely,

Tana Tatnall

Board Member

P.S. Would you like to give your sponsored child a Christmas gift? Please send your donation by November 24th at livinghopeforchildren.org by selecting "Christmas Gift for Child." A \$25 gift is suggested—extra funds help provide gifts for children without sponsors. Your generosity brings Christmas joy!

