

RAINING HOPE

"And he will send showers of rain so every field becomes a lush pasture." Zechariah 10:1

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Raining Hope Urban Night Evangelism Praise Reports

The Urban Night Evangelism on May 4, 2019 was attended by over 400 people at Jinja Town Hall. It involved music presentations by our Raining Hope team, various testimonies and gospel presentations by a panel. Godfrey hosted the panel with his wife, Irene, one church member and one guest pastor. There was a clear presentation of the gospel through this panel of speakers. About twenty people accepted Christ as Savior and fifteen requested special prayer.

In the middle of the panel discussion, one man came to the front and asked how he can stop drinking alcohol. The Word was shared with him and he finally gave his life to Christ! Some of the prominent doctors in Jinja and other businessmen who speak badly of the church showed up and requested special prayer.

Dr. Paul, who visits Raining Hope each week as part of the new government policies came to Urban Night. This is his testimony, "I just want to thank you for the Urban Night. It was a blast and incredible. We have been missing such learning in Jinja. My life was transformed and my trust in Jesus renewed. How I wish it grows even bigger and better. Next time I will come with quite many people." Dr. Paul had challenges in his life that slowed his growth and trust God. After the Urban Night Evangelism his life never will remain the same.

One man who owns a local radio station told Godfrey that since he has been in Jinja, he has not experienced a move of God like he saw at Urban Night Evangelism. Godfrey encouraged him with the truth of the gospel and the man accepted Christ.

There was a man named Ronnie who works as a marketing manager of another radio station in Jinja Town. Here is his testimony, "Pastor, I have spent time without going to church because I didn't believe so much in these church things. When you invited me to the Urban Night, my life took a different direction and I received a new heart to love God and the church. Thank you for organizing such a meaningful gospel night." Ronnie for the first time came to church the next Sunday after not going for a couple of years.

Other people kept calling Godfrey to appreciate the invite and share how much the night changed their lives. Godfrey sends his appreciation for all who prayed for the event. Many lives were touched and we continue to reach out to the lost!

Second Term School Fees & Supplies 2019

Pray for our students of Raining Hope as they begin their **second term for the 2019 school year**. The fees below are for the first term. We have three terms for the year. For Primary & Secondary school, the first term is always highest (new uniforms, new year supplies). There is a drop in fees the second and third terms. We had two promote to Secondary School and Two promote to Post-Secondary Education.

Secondary School

		Dreams and Goals
Joel	Senior 5	Musician
Ronald	Senior 4	Lawyer
Sharon	Senior 4	Singer
Zuluta	Senior 3	Accountant
Maria	Senior 3	Accountant
Sophia	Senior 3	Fashion & Design
Difasi	Senior 2	Soldier
Joanne	Senior 2	Nurse
Tamarah	Senior 2	Accountant



Vivian

Total School fees and supplies for 9 students : \$1,182
(Average second term **\$131 per student** or **\$44 a month**)

Primary School

		Dreams and goals
Dan	Primary 5	Doctor
Jemimah	Primary 6	Fashion Designer
Jael	Primary 4	Doctor
Jireh	Primary 2	Engineer
Hope	Kindergarten (Baby Class)	

Total School fees & supplies for Primary Students : \$613
(Average first term **\$123 per student** or **\$41 a month**)

Post Secondary School/Trade School

Vivian	Hotel & Tourism	\$272
Hillary	Uganda Baptist Seminary - Pastoral Ministry - DUE IN JULY	\$208
Joan	Social Worker Courses includes internship for two months	\$696
Florence	Hotel & Tourism - DUE IN JULY	\$337

GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL 22 STUDENT SCHOOL FEES: \$3,308

DUE IN JULY: \$545

BALANCE OF \$2,763 DUE NOW

(Other children in the house not yet in school - Trust)

Doreen didn't do well in national exams for senior five. She is going to pursue a certificate in fashion next year. While she waits she will be taking computer courses. Henry & Esther continue to take computer courses which has been paid for last term.

Sylvia completed her internship with the Radio/TV station. She was offered a job but it conflicted with her faith so she decided to decline the offer and wait for the right opportunity. We are proud of her and her stand she took for Christ!

Praise!



Water Harvest Tank: Godfrey wrote a thank you note to the sponsor who made the generous donation to purchase the much needed water tank. Here is part of the letter that shares the importance of this gift:



“We have been praying for awhile to harvest the water at the house to prevent flooding. When it rains heavily, we had water flood the house because the roof had no gutters to harvest it. We’ve also been spending so much on fresh water even in rainy season....This gift will help us to have water in plenty for home use. The gutters are already fixed, the tank base is being built and the tank and all the fittings are in place.” Praise the Lord for answered prayer!

Pray for continued financial needs

Our monthly budget in Uganda is approximately \$1700. This is separate from school fees and renovation needs. This covers food, medical, salaries, transportation, clothing and other miscellaneous items. **We are trying to raise \$2,000** so we can get ahead one month to send the full amount at the start of the month. We currently have to send the money for the budget two separate times in the month which makes it more challenging for daily operations. The additional \$300 would be for an emergency fund they can keep there on hand for unexpected expenses. For the month of May we are still \$700 behind of what is needed for the month.

HEALTH - Continue to pray for Hillary. Hillary is struggling with his urinary track system. They have run some tests and the doctors provided some treatment but it's not responding. They were referred to Nile International Hospital to see the urologist. When we were referred to another urologist in Nsabya Hospital in Kampala to do certain tests which in Total will cost about \$150. We are praying they can determine what is wrong with him so they can treat it. Godfrey just reported today (5/18) that Hillary came down with malaria and typhoid. Hope is also ill with stomach problems. We appreciate your prayers for healing.

If you want to make a donation, mark your check noting school fees or general fund and send to our stateside office. You can also make credit card donations on our website - www.raininghope.org.

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If you would like to send a text to give to Raining Hope by credit card, just send a text to 844-544-7171 and text RAININGHOPE. Follow the prompts and you will receive a receipt! Text to Give has no additional charges.

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