

RAINING HOPE

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

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40 Days of Prayer

Thank you from Godfrey

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To the Raining Hope Supporters:

We give thanks to our Lord for all of you. Thank you for joining us in our 40 Days of Prayer journey. We are thankful for Saddleback Church for this amazing study and call to prayer. When I opened up my book provided by Saddleback Church, the inside cover said, “40 Days to a POWERFUL Prayer Life.” AMEN! That sums up the past six weeks - **POWERFUL PRAYER!** Our Wednesday night Bible study group has been walking through this study with daily lessons and weekly video sessions. It has been inspiring and life changing in our understanding of prayer. The completion of this series is just the beginning! The tools we have been given to PRAY will continue to impact us and inspire us to be in deeper relationship with our loving Father.

We pray the daily postings and prayer requests have helped you **get to know each one of the family members of Raining Hope.** Starting November 19th, I challenge you to take the 40 Days of Prayer calendar and restart it! Our children and staff would love knowing that you will continue in prayer for them individually and collectively as a family.

WE CELEBRATE AND THANK GOD for all that He has done and will continue to do. We thank you for joining us in our story. We love and appreciate each one of you for your prayers, love and support. I absolutely love to celebrate THANKSGIVING with family and friends. May we not pass an opportunity to be thankful for all that our Lord does on a DAILY basis. From the depths of my heart I say THANK YOU for loving our family. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Mama Eydie Kisakye

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To Raining Hope Sponsors:

Special greetings to you all. Thanks for all that you are doing for the Kingdom of God. We extend our comfort and prayer to those who are sick and struggling in any way.

When I look back since this year began and see how much God is working in our midst as Raining Hope Ministries, I become so thankful for how much God is using you in our lives. We have continued to grow spiritually and in our walk with God. Thank you all for loving us this much and caring for us. I am so thankful for how much you stand with our Mum Kisakye whom we love so dearly and who has never stopped passing on your love and support to us. Her faithfulness, kindness and care to us is amazing most especially that you are all there supporting what God is doing through her and encouraging her. Thanks for both your financial spiritual & moral support through prayer. Our children are in position to be in school without disturbance, there is medication, food, shelter only to mention but a few. The Joy, love and spiritual growth we are experiencing is because God is using you through Mum Kisakye to help us experience the goodness of God's love.

When God spoke to our Mum to pray through the forty days, it was encouraging to know that you are all praying. It showed how much you identify with us and have us at heart at the same time. Thank you so much for praying with us. One man said that the family that prays together stays together. As we have been praying together these forty days, we are closer to you in our prayers than never before. Through prayer and worship, we have continued to see God's faithfulness and provision in many aspect as He uses you in different ways. THANK YOU!

It is our prayer therefore, that the Lord continue to use you for His purpose and mission here on earth. May the good Lord protect you so you can live to see good days as He heals you and fills you with His goodness in every way. Again thank you so much for who you are to us.

Blessings and peace upon you all.
Your in Christ Jesus
Godfrey - Raining Hope Ministries

Note: saddleback.com is an additional resource with weekly sermons during this 40 Days of Prayer emphasis. You can go online and watch the whole series on prayer. I attended the Anaheim & Corona campus as much as possible during these last six weeks. But having the resource of watching it online was a blessing for those who could not physically be on their campuses. It is worth watching!



Raining Hope Annual Tamale

Christmas Fundraiser

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Saturday, December 2, 2017

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The location will be announced this week in a separate email. We have been working to find a location to have a time of worship this year as part of the fundraiser



THANK YOU for joining us in prayer these past 40 Days! The children and I would love to hear your story as to what the 40 Days of Prayer meant to you. Please email me at eydie@raininghope.org or signinghands49@yahoo.com.



Last year, a Sunday School class at Grace Fellowship provided funds to help Raining Hope reach out to families affected by the drought. If you or your small group are interested in helping **bless families in need of a Christmas meal in Uganda**, please contact me directly at eydie@raininghope.org.

Pray for continued financial needs



As we look back on 2017 we are so thankful for everything that the Lord has done. He has provided for all of our needs. We are thankful to each one of you who have prayed and supported our Raining Hope family. Each donation has been received with thanksgiving knowing how much your love our children.

We continue to pray specifically for our financial needs. The upcoming Tamale Fundraiser is used to help pay for the **first term school fees**. The first term is always the highest. Last year, due to those we now have in post secondary school, the fees for the first term were close to \$4,000 for the 26 children in school. This includes two in nursing school, one in broadcasting and one in computer.

Our monthly budget in Uganda is approximately \$1700. This is separate from school fees. This covers food, medical, salaries, transportation, clothing and other miscellaneous items. Our goal is to be able to send this budget money at the beginning of the month instead of in two wires throughout the month.

Renovation needs are still needed. We thank the Lord the rainy season has begun! Last year at this time we were dealing with drought. But, our roof has been leaking due to the heavy rains. Please be in prayer for these continued needs:

1. New Roof - \$4974
2. Electrical repairs \$366
3. Plumbing - \$1318
4. Rain Water Harvest Tank - \$1,068
5. Painting Boy's Quarters - \$1,026
6. Painting Main House - Waiting on estimate