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Beloved friends and brothers & sisters in the Lord!

**„Some people doubt their faith,
but believe their doubts.“**

Do you also belong to this group?
What does the Word of God tell us about this topic?

Mark 11:23

“Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, ‘Go, throw yourself into the sea,’ **and does not doubt in their heart but believes** that what they say will happen, it will be done for them.”

Hebr 11:6

„**And without faith it is impossible to please God**, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.“

We here in VFA also believe that we do not need great faith but faith in a great God.

Once we begin to get a glimpse of the greatness of God, His unmeasurable love and patience, His strength and authority, His forgiveness and His mercy, His provision and His protection, His purposes and His plans, which surpass by far all our imaginations, then it is not anymore hard for us to put all our trust in this almighty, all-knowing, all-present, heavenly father.

We are now living in highly explosive times full of suspense which test our trust in God and put His promises on a test.

I am so thankful that in those many years of my life I was allowed to find out that God never makes mistakes and never loses control and that He is never at His wit's end. He is one God in whom we can put all our trust at all times and we will not be disappointed because in Romans 8:28 He has promised us the following:

„And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.“

Beloved brothers and sisters in the Lord, let us hold unto God's borderless love and his word in Romans 8:31:

„What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?“

With love and gratefulness we send you and your dear ones greetings from our hearts out of the deep south of Uganda!

Maria with Family and Team

We love to let you know what progress is happening in Vision for Africa:

KARAMOJA

1. Kindergarten

We have now taken 100 more poor children into our Nursery School program for 2019. Almost 200 children are already in the Kindergarten and enjoy getting good meals, good messages, a good and clean surrounding and friendly teachers around them. They are blossoming wonderfully and we are very delighted with these clever and lively children.

Unfortunately we had to send them back to their miserable home stages every evening because we did not have any accomodations. At their homes they sleep on the mere soily ground without a blanket. They are coming every morning in their dirty clothes to our Nursery school and first of all they get showered, dried and smered.

They also have beautiful school uniforms which they get but every evening they have to take them off again, otherwise the uniforms would only be good for the garbage after one week. We send them home with the same clothes they came with.

With great joy we can inform you that we are in the process of building dormitories and a dining hall for 300 children and that in February 2019 we can start moving in with the new school year children. Then the children can stay 3 times 3 months with us and learn a culture of hygiene and order. All the children are already looking forward to this time!!!





2. Senager Village (Senior Teenager Village!)

The round houses for the poor and old, blind and lame people are finished with solar power and flowing water, also the toilets and showers are ready and the small community building with a kitchen.



Now we will build an administration building with an office and rooms for a nurse but also a small doctor's room.



In the next days a team of agricultural designers and gardeners will beautify the whole compound with trees, bushes, flowers and vegetable gardens.

3. „Klinic in Karamoja“

For these poor people in Rupa, south of Moroto, where we have our Headquarters, there is no medical center far and wide for sick people or women in labor. Once it rains the roads are flooded and become rivers that usually cannot be passed for days.

The Lord has put it on our heart to build a beautiful hospital with a good maternity ward there, with a dentist, eye doctor and surgeons who can operate as well as practical doctors. We therefore need a well equipped operating room, a labor room with good care for premature babies, a dentist room with laboratory and a good diagnosis center. We already found a few good doctors who will work with us.

So the plan is to build a clinic for these people in the coming year, who once were nomades.



SECONDARY SCHOOL IN NAKIFUMA

The secondary school for 2000 young people is the biggest challenge the Lord has given us so far. All these 2000 young people are already in our program but distributed all over the whole country in more than 100 different schools. With this new Secondary school we will gather them all and this will make it easier for us to influence them positively. Our sponsorship team used to drive thousands of kilometers every year with the car through the whole country to visit these teenagers at least twice a year and check on their well being. This can then be completely skipped.

Besides, these students will also get good education in agriculture to be licensed farmers, such as livestock farming (cows, goats, sheep, chicken and fish) as well as bee-keeping and honey extraction, in cultivation of land and growing vegetables, in growing fruits and healing herbs. It will be a quite comprehensive syllabus with A-level degree and a diploma in agriculture.

God has already blessed us with a wonderful and hard-working directors couple.

Here you can see some pictures of the temporary state. Until February the first part of the school, 30 teachers quarters, a mainkitchen, a four cornered compound for the dormitories of 1000 young „ladies“ and a Community Hall will be finished.





PRAYER MOUNTAIN

1. Vocational School

With great joy and thankfulness we can report that this new Vocational school „Learning by doing“ is a great success. We have already more than 50 young women and men in the following school departments: Beauty school, Tailory, Carpentry, Welding and Building.

They are very hard-working and interested and want to learn as much as possible in the short time. Some of the students have also found to Christ and got baptized in the Lake Victoria. It is a great joy to see these young people who have hardly attended a school, how they are blossoming now and got hope for their future.



2. Prayer Mountain – Mt. Galilee



This picture was recently taken on the Prayer Mountain by a visitor from Europe. The cross and the rainbow - both are strong symbols, one stands for God's boundless love, the other one for his boundless faithfulness.

One year ago we were able to renew the cross completely, thanks to a generous donation. It is a lot bigger than the old one and shines bright the whole night through far into the land. Visitors come from afar who got touched by seeing the shining cross and want to know where it stands. It stands for the victory of Jesus and the defeat of the devil.

We are thankful for many guests from Uganda, but also more and more from Europe, those who want to take a break at this amazingly beautiful place and a rest for body, soul and spirit. You should think if this wouldn't also be an opportunity for you. From here you can make many trips, also to Karamoja or to the main base of Vision for Africa the „Land of Hope“ among them.

Water is life! For the enormously growing number of people on the Prayer Mountain and Mt. Galilee we urgently need a water tower (around € 26.000) and a solar pump (around € 23.000) incl. installation. These are big amounts but we trust our great God who will give us AT HIS TIME what we need.

Till the race is done (Phil. 3:14)

Hans-Dieter Sturz (Leadership Prayer Mountain)



HOUSES FOR LONGTIME VISITORS

Along the football field we are building 3 houses with 4 apartments each (bedroom, living-dining room, kitchen, toilet and shower and balcony) for people of the cold Europe who would prefer spending winter here with us. All the 3 houses will be ready to move in in the beginning of December and we are looking forward to welcome the „time capitalists“ who want to enjoy the wonderful all-year-around summer time!

You can already book it, because the demand will be great!!!

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THE "FAMILY AFRICA BAND" IS HERE!

My dear son Patrick Bruni is again touring in Europe for two months with the worshipping Family Africa Band of 9 people.

If you want to spend a blessed time in the presence of God you should come to a concert! You will not regret it!!!

TOUR CALENDER:

1. Region: 6.-10. October: Salzburg (AUS)
2. Region: 12.-20. October: Switzerland (SWI)
3. Region: 21.-25. October: Ravensburg (GER)
4. Region: 25.-28. October: Nastätten (G)
5. Region: 29. October- 2. November: Siegen (G)
6. Region: 3.-7. November: Visselhövede (G)
7. Region: 8.-13. November: Fulda (G)
8. Region: 14. November: Saalburg-Ebersdorf (G)
9. Region: 15.-xx November: Noch in Klärung
10. Region: xx.-26. November: Noch in Klärung

The exact tour schedule and more you can find on:
www.de.visionforafrica-intl.org/fab-tour-europa-2018



"COME & SEE!" TOURS 2019

That you can plan such a tour to Uganda early enough, we send you the dates for 2019.

If you would like to read reports from visitors who were already here (to your encouragement) to be able to make a decision soon, please get informed on our website:

www.de.visionforafrica-intl.org/come-see-tour

"COME & SEE!" TOURS 2019

5th January - 19th January
Extend until 26th January

9th February – 23rd February
Extend until 2nd March

9th March – 23rd March
Extend until 30th March

13th April – 27 April
Extend until 4th May

8th June – 2nd June
Extend until 29th June

13th July – 3rd August C&S Sepcial

10th August - 24th August
Extend until 31st August

7th February – 21st September
Extend until 28th September

5th October – 19th October
Extend until 26th October

2nd November – 16th November
Extend until 23rd November

23rd November – 7th December
Extend until 14th December

CHRISTMAS IS GETTING CLOSER

The remembrance of our Lord Jesus Christ becoming a human being!
Did you already think about a Christmas gift for Him?

The Word of God tells us, what we give to the poor we borrow God!

May we give you suggestions of what would give the Lord great joy?

At the moment we are extremely challenged with many new projects that the Lord has given us as a task.

Our new Secondary School in Nakifuma for 2.000 young people shall soon be opened with 12 classes.

The school building will be finished by the end of the year. But we still need urgently the furniture and equipment:

Christmas gift list for Jesus to Vision for Africa

NAKIFUMA SECONDARY SCHOOL:

- School desks 300 pieces à 40 €
- Classroom chairs 600 pieces à 10 €
- Shelves f. library 60 pieces à 50 €
- Big clocks f. classrooms, library, dormitories 30 pieces à 10 €
- Tables and benches f. dining area 80 pieces à 100 €
- Beds with Matraces à 70 €
- Curtains with curtain rods 200 pieces à 30 €
- Library equipment:
 - 500 Educating books à 10 - 30 €
 - 1800 School books à 5 - 20 €
- Equipment Chemical laboratory 1000 €
- Equipment Physics classroom 1000 €
- Computer 100 pieces à 250 - 300 €
- Sponsorship for 1 student 50 €

These are now all single-time expenditures and each and every Euro or Dollar is an enormous gift for us and these students.

We also pray for 800 sponsorships for 50 Euro per month.

This would help us enormously with the amount of new students coming every new school year.

If you have questions about it or need further information please contact our main base in Austria: 0043 5412 65684.

Frau Birgit Mair, unsere Büroleiterin oder Herr Roland Schüle geben Dir gerne Auskunft.

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If you would like to take part with the single-time donations named above, then please use one of the down stated accounts and tell us for what exactly your donation should be used for.

For sponsorships you can fill out the required form on our website www.visionforafrica-intl.org
However, we pray for you and that the Lord fulfills ALL your needs according to His riches in Glory!

10 things God wants to remind you about:

I AM GIVING YOU REST
I AM GIVING YOU PEACE
I AM STRENGTHENING YOU
I AM ANSWERING YOU
I BELIEVE IN YOU
I BLESS YOU
I AM FOR YOU
I DO NOT LET YOU FAIL
I AM ALWAYS WITH YOU
I LOVE YOU

And all of us from Vision for Africa we bless you and love you and thank God for you and your love for us and the needy in Uganda.

Maria L. Peau

Maria with Family and Team



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