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Just recently I received your lovely Christmas mail and also the dear birthday greetings from Imst.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your love and friendship and your thinking of me and us.

As you have surely already recognized, we are most likely living at the end of the end times.

Such a time as now with all the improbable events there has never been before.

We only need to read the Word of God, which is currently as red-hot as never before and even the Revelation, which I never liked to read, is now like the "daily newspaper"! What we read in it is fulfilled before our eyes.

Here I send you a good description of where we are right now, which I received today from a dear pastor.

\*Therefore you also, be ready! For in an hour when you do not mean it, the Son of Man is coming. "\* Matthew 24:44

\*It's too late!\*

Nico is playing in his grandmother's house. In the corner of the living room, an old grandfather clock ticks. It is shortly before noon. The boy knows exactly: when the two hands meet at the top, the chimes begin to ring.

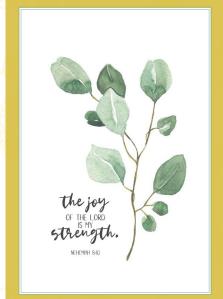
As he has done many times before, Nico counts the chimes. But this time, something seems to be wrong. Instead of stopping at 12, the clock continues to chime - 13, 14, 15, 16 times. The boy can't believe his ears. He jumps up and runs into the kitchen, "Grandma, Grandma, it's later than ever!"

The world clock is ticking. History is advancing inexorably. Countless people come and go. God's calendar indicates an imminent end. With each passing hour, James' words increase in significance, "The coming of the Lord is at hand" (James 5:8).

When He returns, the time of grace will have expired. For all those who







have postponed their conversion, it will then be too late. They will no longer have the opportunity to get their lives right with God. Only the terrible judgment awaits them then. That is why we would like to make another appeal to you today:

It is later than ever before. Maybe God is giving you the last chance today to turn back from your wrong way and believe in the Savior. Do not let this opportunity pass by! Accept the grace in the Lord Jesus so that you will be ready for His coming!

You probably also want to know how we are doing here in Uganda.

We are like in a bubble of grace and security and praise the Lord that all is well and that we are continuously allowed to lead and baptize many people to Jesus, including former prostitutes, thieves and murderers, all rebels from Kampala, who are now walking with Jesus and have been baptized. We were also able to baptize 80 children from our elementary school who have decided for Jesus!





Vision for Africa is also busy working and building in the different mission branches.

There are currently two videos that give insight into two of our large projects, Karamoja and the High School Nakifuma; you can watch them on the internet on our YouTube channel!





Our outreach seems to be expanding non-stop.

We now have a strong work among the prostitutes in Kampala (hundreds come to Jesus, we take their children into our program and enable the mothers to get vocational training that will enable them to support themselves and their children).







There is also another completely new extension. We are starting this week to build a school for the poorest street children who are especially gifted in sports, music and art.

When the school is finished, 1300 of these boys and girls will be nurtured there in their special talents in elementary and middle school.





The hand and blessing of God is tremendously upon this new task. I can only ever marvel at the heart-stopping potential that lies dormant in these African children, and awakening and nurturing that is the goal of us all. If you have it in your heart to support one of these children, please get in touch!

Also in Karamoja, the highest north of Uganda, wonderful, almost unexpected developments are taking place. Some families from Europe have it in their hearts to build water dams and huge catchment lakes there, so that the rainwater, which comes in huge quantities a few times a year, will no longer run away, but will be collected in enormous water reservoirs, and we can thus begin with agriculture in the whole north.

Our President Museveni has had the vision for years that Karamoja, which until now has only been home to nomadic cattle herders, has the potential to become the breadbasket of East Africa.

We are also building an elementary school there for 700 children, which will be completed in 4 weeks.

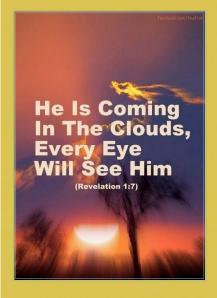








On Prayer Mountain we are also building a beautiful, very modern and well equipped hospital with operating rooms, birthing clinic and incu-







bators.

We are now already delivering hundreds of children in our small medical ward, whose mothers might otherwise not have survived the long journey to the nearest hospital because the transport facility was not available. Now they have the best maternity hospital practically on their doorstep! God is so good. This clinic should also be in full operation in 2 months.

Now we are just building another big residential building with many apartments for all the staff of this clinic.

We are so thankful that the Lord is blessing this work of Vision for Africa so much and "hiding it under His permanent protection!"

We are all healthy and working like bees so that the Lord may rejoice in what He finds when He comes to build His Kingdom on this earth as it is in heaven.

We are now also about to publish a series of 48 messages on our You-Tube channel in different languages about "true discipleship"! For it is now very urgent that we all keep to what is most important to the Lord, and that is our permanent change so that we may become more and more like our Master who is soon to return, the Lord Jesus Christ. Every disciple's ultimate goal is to become like the Master. And for us, Jesus Christ is the only Master.

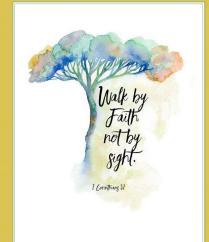
We thank you again as a family for your love, your prayers, your giving and your standing with us.

You are welcome to participate, as the Holy Spirit guides you, in the various intentions in prayer, but also in practical giving.

The Lord will reward you 100-fold, because what we give to the poor, we lend to God.

And I guarantee you, our heavenly Father will pay back his debts to us very quickly and with interest that no bank in the world can afford!

Lastly, I must also inform you that the Ugandan government has declared another lockdown for 42 days, and thus our children are all homeschooling again! During this lockdown period, as with the first one, we are providing our children sponsored by you with the necessary school supplies, food for themselves and their families, and medical care and transportation if needed. We pray that the lockdown will not be a danger for our "protégés" and especially for the poor population (many lose their jobs due to the lockdown and have no money to support







themselves and their families)!
In the love of Jesus and in prayer with you.

Maria with family and team

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