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The Gift of New Life

By: Shari Bacon

John 11:25 Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life, whoever believes in me, though he dies, yet shall he live."

Does the smell of a fresh spring rain awaken your soul with the promise of hope and renewal? It does mine!

Seasons arrive without fail at their appointed times year after year. The emergence of new life seen in the living murals across the artistic landscapes that showcase His creative power in living color, energy, and life.

Streams once frozen in silence now flow freely with water. Nourished with rain, a surge of beauty that renders a person breathless as we see the attributes of God's faithfulness.

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Blue skies, green grasses, tree buds and flower blooms, sing in living color, calling for the dazzling return of new life pollinators that arrive on time bringing restoration, renewal, and revival.

HOPE restored! The earth's canvas coming alive proclaiming His artistry and glory. Awakened by the fragile gift of new life, displayed on the wings of a bird in flight! From the dead of winter to warmth and wonder. The power, HIS power of transformation!

The Bible says in I Peter 1:3 "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."

The promise of resurrection is upon every leaf at springtime; as the renewal of life is from the Spiritual winter of Calvary. When Jesus died on the cross in our place, the veil that separated us from God was torn allowing us in to His presence once and for all.

Some of the most sacred places on earth are protected and permission is needed to allow us inside and most often there is a price that must be paid. Jesus paid our price!

The Bible says in II Cor. 5:17 "Therefore if any man is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come."

Anyone who places their trust in Christ Jesus alone can sit in the sacred presence of God the Father and receive His gift of the Holy Spirit. The Bible says in John 14:6 "Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth and the life; no one comes to the Father but through Me.'"

Dear friend, if you don't know Jesus as your Lord and Savior I encourage you to seek to find the only One who can give you a new life! HE's waiting to restore, renew and revive you to Himself for all eternity.

In closing, as we celebrate what Christ has done on our behalf, we also celebrate YOU! Thank you for restoring HOPE! Thank you for reflecting the SACRIFICIAL LOVE of JESUS! Your faithfulness in prayer and financial support is changing lives in Rwakobo Village, at Wells of Hope School and all over Africa. We couldn't do any of this without YOU!

To God Be The Glory,
Shari

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Ministry Update

By: Emmanuel Ruheza

"For God so loved the world that he gave His one and only Son, that whosoever believes in Him, shall not perish, but have everlasting life" John 3:16

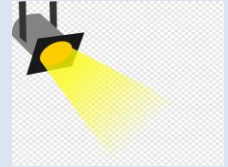
Greetings in Christ from all the saints who are in the service of our Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ.

We are grateful to be working with you and for your partnership in our work of our Savior and King to spread the word of God in Africa, specifically Rwanda, Uganda, and the neighboring countries. Through your support, God has brought so many new believers who come to the saving grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Area pastors launch follow-up and discipleship groups.

In one of our crusades, we visited a place formerly known for traditional mythical belief. Many people had their faith in mountains, animals, and fellow human beings. The witchcraft and human sacrifice practiced in this area is quite scary. The crusade and revival gatherings that took place helped a great deal as we watched God work through healing, deliverance, and most of all, the Salvation of new believers.



Board Member Spotlight



Vice President



Penny lives in Tennessee where she works as a nursing faculty. Her professional and personal passion is the specialized care for women and children, including pregnancy care, labor and delivery, care for mothers and babies, neo-natal intensive care, pediatric care, and women's health services. She is excited to witness the ways in which the Lord answers prayer as we partner with you to care for others through Soul Care Global Ministries.

Attendance at our crusades grow in number as we approach evening hours. We shared the Gospel message to almost 10,000 people. My hope is that God will provide a radio program for us to keep sharing the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ to the entire continent as a form of follow-up and continued discipleship.



People rode bicycles and motorcycles to attend while others walked on foot for miles from all corners of the village to come and hear the Good News message. It's so humbling to watch God working in this great way. You can see in the photos how people responded. Watching lives changed and Christ's name lifted up is worth the efforts. Depopulating hell and populating heaven for His glory!



So many testimonies of Salvation and healing. Strongholds removed in Jesus' name such as: unforgiveness, deliverance from demonic oppression and evil spirits, healed from a brain tumor, healed from back pain, healed from unstoppable bleeding and so much more! Lives changed in Jesus' name!





It's one thing to share the gospel message, but serving in very poor communities where people can't even afford a Bible is painful. It's always a great joy to give Bibles to new believers as they begin their discipleship journey. We've started new Bible reading groups and discipleship is taking place in these villages. We praise the Lord!

It fills me with great gratitude to inform you that Wells of Hope School is still vibrant and growing. By God's grace we're serving approximately 500 kids.



We are all so grateful for the water that was recently brought to the school and to the kids...it is a miracle. Some of them have never seen running water. God has been so faithful to us and we are so grateful for all your support. We are trusting God for the water filter and regular meals for the kids. As our student numbers keep growing we are required by law to hire more teachers. Please pray for their provision.

Our next crusade will begin April 4th. We covet your prayers for safety and provision more than you know but mostly for a Spiritual Harvest of new believers who come to know Jesus as Lord and Savior.



Prayer Requests - Please join Emmanuel in praying for:

- ❖ Provisions for school furniture for the kids.
- ❖ Provisions for Bibles in local dialects so new believers can read God's unchanging Word.
- ❖ Provisions to upgrade our transportation to a used SUV to reach remote villages.
- ❖ My wedding was scheduled for March 15th. It couldn't take place due to shortage of funding. Please pray for financial breakthrough.



From Wells of Hope School



By: Winnie Tumukunde

Dear friends and ministry partners,

Shalom and Calvary greetings! We bring you greetings from the children, teachers, parents and guardians of Wells of Hope School and community.

We appreciate your continued prayers and support that has enabled us to come this far as far as this new term is concerned. We would not have managed to serve and minister to these hundreds of impoverished children and orphans in this community without your support.

We face many challenges with great uncertainty as we struggle to meet the food supply necessary to feed so many kids and pay the expected and most deserved salaries of our dedicated teachers.

Children show up at school with no means to support their education. Our hardest decision has always been sending kids back to their harsh environment knowing there are no resources to care for them. Hungry guardians in the village who force them into marriages to get money from the intending husbands to get food. It's real and unfortunate that kids are still seen as commodities which is a source of income!

We therefore not only exist in this community as teachers but also children activists who are fighting for their rights!

Our teachers continue to do a commendable job. They are truly an example of servanthood and leadership even amidst poor pay or no pay at some points.

Classroom studies



Our youngest Souls



500 kids!!



Prayer requests for the school:

We are in need of more desks and chairs/benches.

We are under great pressure from the ministry of health to construct and install more toilets due to the number of students attending.

For the children's safety, we would like to construct a brick wall or install fencing along the side of the school that borders the road.

Monthly support to afford teachers' salaries and laborers who can help us in this great ministry!

We are so grateful for your continued partnership in prayer and support. Together, in the blessed name of Jesus we are helping to change lives one child at a time.

Many blessings,

Winnie

School Administrator



