



# Welcome Home Ministries – Africa December 2023

To Love, Care, and Pray Destitute Babies Back to Health; or into Jesus Loving Arms

2023



Good Samaritans rescues newborn baby Mark.



*Dear Welcome Home Friends and Family,*

This year has flown by so quickly and we are already into December. We want to wish you a Christ filled Christmas and a Blessed New Year. As we end out the year we ask if you can remember us in your end of year giving to help us into the New Year where we have to pay big bills for Insurance and Taxes. Remember none of us from the west are paid for our work with Welcome Home. We are all volunteers. Over 95% of the donations go directly to Uganda

We have the high number of 80 children at this time so we are working towards their futures. Since school semester is ending some will be restored to their families, and others will move to an older children's home where they will grow up through high school, trade school, maybe university depending on grades.

Young Maria (pictured top right) is a very sensitive gentle little girl who is often comforted by her young friends when she is struggling. Maria's mother (pictured right) is now recovered from the October injuries to her right arm. We are working with her so that she has a chance to pull her life together and have the means and stability to take Maria home. Please pray that the mum does well with her charcoal business so that we can add vegetables and fish to it to help her expand. She was gifted village eggs.

Our new born baby Mark (pictured top left, rescued by Good Samaritans) has a mentally ill mother and no known father. We begin the journey of finding out what his best future will be. Will his mother respond to medical treatment? We pray she does so he can be restored to her. The children long for their family.

Thank you to all our staff for all your work and the love you extend to the needy children in Uganda.

Thank you to our sponsors for enabling us be your hands of love extended to the children in the home and also the villages via the clinic and the churches.

**Blessings from Mandy,  
and Your Welcome Home Family.**



Maria - when her mother struggles so does she.



Mumma Rose with twins Daphine and Deborah



Leah - a busy girl checking on a smaller friend



Do you wonder about their future? Please pray!!



Mum of Maria gets help start charcoal business.



Resting after chasing kids all over the place.

**SMALL or SICK 16** David, Doreen, Ethan, Favor, Joseph, Josephine, Joshua, Leah, Mark, Michael, Mirabu, Mona, Nicolas, Peace, Rihana, Titus. **BABIES 19** Agnes, Alice, Angela, Asina, Brandon, Elijah, Emmanuel M, Faith, Fred, Hellen, Henry, Hulia, Joan, Jovan, Kasim, Phiona, Sandra, Sharifa, Vivian. **TODDLERS 45** Alibert (back for a season), Arnold, Benedict, Brandon, Brighton, Daphine, Deborah, Dison, Elukamu, Emmanuel M, Emmanuel O, Esther, Innocent, Irene, Isaac, Ivan, James, Triplets Jasmine! Jasper! Jayson! Jeremiah, Jesse, John, Joseph, Joshua, Lydia, Maria, Mercy, Moses M, Moses O, Noreen, Patience, Peter, Precious, Rachael, Rebecca B, Rebecca W, Ruth, Ryan, Samuel L, Samuel, Sarah, Shamira, Sharif, Victoria. **New (Bold), MOVED(Underlined)**

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