



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



Above: In the hammock at KLTC (temporary home).



Above: We have really beautiful babies.



Above: In the hammock at KLTC (temporary home).



Above: Teenager (& dad) visiting her former home.



Above: Children also visiting their former home.



Above: No longer the little starving girl at risk

### Dear Welcome Home Friends and Family,

We are hoping to see all the children back together on the main property this month. The goal was to have all repairs on the buildings finished by mid September. We will be happy if the main house is finished by then so we can bring the babies from our Village Pastors School (KLTC) near the River Nile at where it is damp and cold at night. The work on the back house can continue with all the children in the main house.

We had a return visit from 2 young girls that I met just after their adoption from Welcome Home in 2003. It was a great experience for them to come and see their homeland and the orphanage that was home.

Please continue to pray with us as we work on the futures of many children. As you know we restore as many as we can home to a reasonable future. We seek to educate the families how to care for them well and stress the importance of nutrition, safe drinking water and also schooling.

We search for the family of our abandoned children with radio ads, newspaper ads, and ground search. Sometimes we do find a relative but it does not mean we have a safe family (for the return). We are adapting to a new stricter law of fostering to adopt.

The children we are working with the village for the most part are improving. Andrew and Sampson who had returned home to their families in the village had our Social Workers visit this week and both are doing well; missing the home but adjusting to village life.

Please help!! Do you have friends who you could ask to help in our work?? I find myself having to juggle finances and wondering "can I afford to help this child who is suffering". It is not easy to turn people away.

*Blessings from Mandy and Your Welcome Home Family*



Above: All part of one big family of healing.



Above: House repairs - making good progress!!



Above: The main house has new floors built well

**SMALL OR SICK 10** Catherine, Elijah, Jonathan, Joshua, Joshua, Kenneth, Patience, Paul. Peter, Ruth, **BIG BABIES 12** Alan, Arnold, Claire, George, Jane, Jemima, Jonathan, Maria, Melissa, Moses, Sarah, Shanita, **TODDLERS 35** Abigail, Alibert, Calvin, Edith, Elizabeth 1, Elizabeth 2, Emmanuel O, Erina, Ethan, Francis, Hope, Jairus, James, Jenny, Jeremy, Jess, John, Joseph, Joy, Loy, Lydia Freda, Mark, Michael, Moses, Naume, Noah, Pauline, Peter, Phillip O, Precious, Ruth, Sarah, Sharon, Simone, Steven.  
*[NEW (bold), MOVED(Underlined) Twins not Shown] 0 children just gone to forever families*

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