

Encouragement Inc.

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Encouragement Children's Home
Webuye, Kenya – Katlyn Pollock

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Dear Friends & Partners,

On behalf of our entire Board of Directors for Encouragement Inc. we want to thank you for your prayers and financial support of this multi-faceted ministry to needy children, homeless teens, and lost people in Kenya & Uganda. The Lord has blessed greatly in each of these ministries that He has led us to operate. The success of our programs does not happen without God nudging people along the way and their obedience to become involved in helping to meet the varied needs of these precious people.

At times there are disappointments along the way. Recently Rev. Dancun Omondi, who oversees our Jesus Film Teams and manages the Boys & Girls Street Shelters, communicated by video conference with me that they were traveling to show the Jesus Film and was hit by a large truck who had lost its brakes. He managed to narrowly avoid a head-on collision, but was knocked off the road in doing so. The vehicle he was driving with three of his Jesus Film Team volunteers rolled and they escaped with scrapes and bruises for the most part, but one long-time volunteer, Evan Juma, received a broken leg.

We thank God for His protective hand on them. It could have been so much worse. Though Dancun's vehicle was ruined along with much of the Jesus Film equipment they were carrying, we are really glad that nobody was more seriously injured. Your prayers for these men to recover without complications will be appreciated. We will be monitoring their progress and keep you informed. The driver of the truck had no insurance and Dancun said that he will not receive any compensation to replace his vehicle. He's trusting God to "nudge well-wishers" to help him to repair his vehicle. - **Vic Rader, Founder/President**

Jesus Film Team Escapes Near Fatal Crash!



ORPHAN SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM: When we began rescuing orphans in December of 2004, we formed the Orphan Care Program to provide for all the needs of the orphans. This plan included paying the Kenyan staff stipends as well as budgeting for utilities and the small annual school fees for the elementary age orphans in our care. Since then, of course the numbers of both orphans and staff needs along with all the other requirements and necessities for conducting such a ministry have continued to grow. Therefore, several years ago we implemented the "Multiple Sponsor Plan" to make it easier for people to continue to give \$30 monthly as a sponsor rather than asking for an increase from our sponsors. This last year it cost \$145 per month per orphan to provide as we do. Thanks to a couple of special donors, so far we have been able to pay for the older orphans who qualified to go through High Schools, Trade Schools, Colleges and Universities. Below are a few of the several who need \$30 monthly sponsors. Thanks for your much needed help!



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(Needs 2 Sponsors)



Eugene
(Needs 2 Sponsors)



Ruth
(Needs 1 Sponsor)



Faustine
(Needs 1 Sponsor)



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