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Serving the People of East Africa

## Remember your Creator... June 2023



**Fatuma was born into a Muslim family.**

(Read her inspiring story below)

**Ecclesiastes 12:1** advises, "Remember your Creator while you are young." Some of our costliest mistakes occur before we are 25. During our youth we tend to only think about ourselves and do not "remember our Creator."

### **One of the great joys of being a missionary is the opportunity**

to make a positive Christian impact on the children and youth of Kenya. This impact happens in a variety of ways:



SHARING JESUS IN JFM'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES



SHARING JESUS WITH YOUTH IN HIGH SCHOOL OUTREACHES



SHARING JESUS IN JFM'S PRESCHOOL/KINDERGARTEN



SHARING JESUS IN CHURCH YOUTH MEETINGS



ONE ON ONE ENCOURAGEMENT AND COUNSELING



GIVING THE PRECIOUS WORD OF GOD

### **Looking inside the BIG PICTURE.**

We thank the Lord that our **JFM Student Sponsorship program for vulnerable children has increased from 58 to now helping 73 needy Kenyan children!** By looking at the "big picture," it's easy to overlook a beautiful personal connection. Therefore, we want to introduce you to Fatuma, an up-and-coming young lady who

loves Jesus.

### Focusing in on Fatuma

Fatuma's father left when she was a very young child. Her mother became a Christian when Fatuma was 4 years old. On the day Fatuma's mom was baptized and her little sister, Vicky, was dedicated to the Lord, 9-year-old Fatuma gave her life to Jesus!



This is Fatuma (7), her mom, Amina, her sister, Vicky and Missionary Cheryl



This is the day Fatuma (9) gave her life to Jesus – February 2016



This is Fatuma (13) in her school uniform – Grade 7

Paying school fees in Kenya is a real struggle, especially for single moms or relatives caring for orphaned children. When Cheryl's daughter, Adelle, heard about Fatuma's school fee challenge, Adelle and her family, aka "**Team Danson,**" "**stepped up to the plate**" and started sending in monthly assistance for Fatuma. Team Danson receives letters and photos from Fatuma, and they send her gifts on special occasions.

### Fatuma's Sponsors – The Danson Family – Team Danson



Fatuma was baptized in 2020; she has been one of the top students at her school since pre-primary; Fatuma's score on her 8th-grade closing exam earned her admission at a prominent boarding high school. Fatuma is a leader in the Christian Club at her school. She was recently awarded a trophy for the category of the most-disciplined student; she also received a bronze medal at the science fair. This year

she was chosen along with 30 other girls from her high school to compete against girls from other high schools for the prize of meeting Kenyan President Ruto at the State House. After 3 rounds of competition, Fatuma is one of the 5 remaining girls from her school still in the running for the award.



**Fatuma's Baptism**  
February 2020



**Mike and Cheryl delivering a Christmas gift sent by Fatuma's sponsors - December 2022**



**2023-Fatuma and her sister Vicky holding Fatuma's trophies for science and most disciplined student**

**Without the assistance of her JFM American sponsors, the Danson family, Fatuma would not have had this wonderful educational opportunity. Fatuma is remembering her Creator while she is young, and she is determined to be counted as a faithful ambassador for Jesus Christ!**




When Fatuma's sister, Vicky, was ready to go to school, other friends of JFM began helping her. Vicky is following in her big sister's footsteps. Although Vicky is only 7 years old, she excels at school and loves Jesus. **Fatuma and Vicky are great examples of JFM's impact on Kenya's children and youth.**

**Kenyan families are struggling as their economy suffers from increased fuel prices and the global inflation rate rises.**

With highly inflated food prices and increased school fees, the need is great. Below you will find seven Kenyan students in need of assistance. If you would like to make a difference in the life of a Kenyan child, click on the red link below:

**[I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ON HOW TO HELP ONE OF THESE CHILDREN](#)**

 <p><b>Stella Kiloku</b> JFM Oloruko Church 10<sup>th</sup> Grade School Fees &amp; Boarding \$40/Month</p> 	 <p><b>Jacob Minyarit</b> JFM Oloruko Church Preparing for High School School Fees &amp; Boarding \$50/Month</p> 
 <p><b>Sanapei Kailungush</b> 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Assistance with School Fees \$30/Month</p> 	 <p><b>Josephine Moiware</b> JFM Nadung'oro Church 9<sup>th</sup> Grade School Fees &amp; Boarding \$40/Month</p> 

	 <p><b>TWINS FROM THE JFM OLORUKO CHURCH IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>The burden of school fees is difficult and when one has twins, the burden is doubled. These twins are in 9<sup>th</sup> grade.</p> </div>	
<p><b>Purity Wangui</b> \$30/Month</p>		<p><b>Mary Njeri</b> \$30/Month</p>

## Let's Praise the Lord for the Great Things He Has Done

### Praise Report from Cheryl Freese

Last month, May 2023, I was asked to hold a woman's seminar for the JFM Chumvi "Wa-mama." Many of these women didn't have the opportunity to attend school, so they appreciated being able to ask questions and learn about the Bible. The Holy Spirit impressed upon me to teach from 2nd Peter, chapter 1.

## CHUMVI WOMEN'S CONFERENCE – SHINE LIKE A PRECIOUS DIAMOND FOR JESUS



Tea bag demonstration



JFM Chumvi Women's Group – "Wa-Mama"



1. One can BELIEVE anything-even if it's not true
2. One doesn't have to believe TRUTH
3. However, the more one BELIEVES the TRUTH, the more KNOWLEDGE is gained!
4. Therefore, believing the truth equals =

**KNOWLEDGE**

### 2 Peter 1 - GROWING IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

Using a recipe is a great way to explain the teaching from this scripture. If we follow the Bible's instructions the outcome is DELICIOUS!!!



## CONSTRUCTION

Praise God for the current work on the JFM Headquarters' Mission Center project and the first bungalow! When we thought it necessary to put a hold on the construction, the Lord provided funds that have allowed the building to continue, thus providing income for local families!

This center will be used to house mission teams. It will also be used to train our JFM leadership and hold discipleship conferences. The bungalows will accommodate long-term missionaries and conference attendees. The next step is the roofing, doors, and windows. We are praying for God to supply these next steps.

If you would like information on the above, contact Mike by clicking on the red link below.

**MISSION CENTER PROJECT**



MISSION CENTER CONSTRUCTION IN FEBRUARY 2023



MISSION CENTER CONSTRUCTION IN JUNE 2023



MISSION BUNGALOW CONSTRUCTION IN FEBRUARY 2023



MISSION BUNGALOW CONSTRUCTION IN JUNE 2023



PROGRESS ON THE JFM RIAT CHURCH



*JFM Riat Church - Western Kenya - June 2023*

**We are rejoicing with the JFM Riat Church for the progress on their new church structure!**

**The JFM Riat church constructed the church framework and roofed the building with iron sheets. The next step is installing iron sheet siding, doors, and windows.**



## **RAIN**

**Praising the Lord for continuing to send the rain, causing the crops to flourish!**

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## LET'S PRAY TOGETHER...

### **Please join us in praying for these Kenyan needs:**

Please pray for people around the world to turn to Christ for help, hope, truth, and most importantly, salvation.

Please pray for Fatuma's Uncle Hassan. This month Hassan's wife died from childbirth complications, leaving him with a one-year-old son and a newborn daughter. May he find the peace that only Christ Jesus can give.

There is a conflict in the Maasai Tribe. This month we and two of our JFM Maasai pastors traveled to a remote village to intervene and pray. God gave us some powerful scriptures to share. God is working. Please pray for a peaceful resolution.



Please pray for Dennis Tuti, a JFM sponsored student who is being treated for a complicated skin disorder and removal of a growth under his eye.

### **Please join us in remembering these friends of JFM in prayer:**

Cheryl's uncle, Rudy Pesl, passed away this month. Please remember Cheryl's Aunt Sylvia and the rest of the family.

JFM Vice President, Pastor Thomas Lowery, who is suffering from complications of SCA-6. Continue to pray for the Lord to give him restful sleep.

Complete healing and pain relief for Susan Turner who is continuing her battle against a serious form of cancer. We know that there is nothing too difficult for our mighty God.

Complete healing for Norma Rivera who has just been diagnosed with advanced breast cancer.

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**May the Holy Spirit guide you, may the grace of Yeshua help you in every**

situation, and may the love of the Father flow through you!

If the Holy Spirit is speaking to you about contributing to His work in Kenya, you can use the donate button below to use a credit card and access PayPal or you can use the mailing address (please note the change of address):

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