

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES



SARAH ETTER WITH KINDRI

I HAVE COME THAT YOU MIGHT
HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT
ABUNDANTLY. JOHN 10:10

Camp AllStars 2012: A hope and a future

“For I know the plans I have for you” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future.” Jeremiah 29:11. This year was a great success! God met with us and the students in awesome ways. Our greatest challenge in working with students in Uganda is getting the kids to process the information we are giving them instead of just regurgitating information. By the end of

the week, the questions being asked showed that the kids were actually thinking about the things we were teaching and applying it to their lives. So sweet!!

We spent a whole day focused on decision making skills and future planning. We had the kids share their stories, their role models and set goals, both short and long term. It is amazing that these things, that are

so basic in the American culture, are so foreign to these kids. One ugandan staffer, in a moment where I was asked to make a quick decision, commented that I was so good at that. I explained, “I’ve been practicing for a long time. Someday you too will be good at it.” Practice makes perfect, right?!?! This is our hope, that these kids will have a better future because of what they’ve learned here. Amen!



POOL DAY FUN...CAN'T BEAT IT!!



DANCE COMPETITION



FUTBAL TOURNAMENT!!!

Growth... what does the future for Abundant Life Ministries hold??

Every year that I have the privilege of doing camp, makes me want to do it all the more. This year, we changed up our schedule and curriculum a bit and were so blessed. Every year we are getting better and better at doing camp in Uganda.

Last year, I thought the first step in the process of starting ALMU's ministry in Uganda would be in a piece of land. I found one and fell in love. When I found out in October that the land had been sold, I was crushed and a bit confused. What's next then??

I know that God is at work and His plan is perfect. He will use whatever it takes to bring about His purpose in our lives. The land served a purpose, but now God is showing me His desire for our next steps in Uganda.

God is all about community, I mean He is a Triune God. That is where we will start; building relationships, networking

and creating a community invested in camp. I have been blessed to work with Children of Grace and hope to do more. What good is a piece of land, if you have no one to fill it!?!?

I was able to meet and connect with several government officials and other missionaries about camp. I have at least one other organization that is interested in doing camp this year. This is how we will grow. This year, I hope to add on facilitating camp for His Hope Uganda, another sponsorship organization. I spent a day with Kimi, their director, and some of her kids while I was in Jinja. I'm excited about the possibilities!!

I was also able to get the paperwork started to be recognized by the Ugandan government as a CBO, community based organization. We'll be legit when I return!! Yay!! Thank you Jesus!!!

Thank you too for your continued prayer, love and support!!

MY UGANDA FAMILY



MOHAMMED & JOEL



VICKY: MY BFF



TEO



JOSEPH & BONNIE



KINDRI, ALLEN, BRIAN & KATHY

PHOTOS FROM THIS YEAR



PRAYER REQUESTS

1. CLARITY IN GOD'S VISION FOR ABUNDANT LIFE
2. RELATIONSHIPS WOULD BE STRENGTHENED
3. LEADERSHIP/BOARD POSITIONS DECIDED
4. FUNDRAISING

PLEASE PRAY FOR US AS PAUL AND TIMOTHY DID FOR THE THESSALONIAN CHURCH IN 2THESSALONIANS 1:11-12

An opportunity to get involved...

The greatest way you can serve us, is to talk about us to your friends and family. I'd love to share our vision, if you would like to **host a gathering**.

Fundraising will always be a need and it is generally my least favorite thing. If you are gifted at fundraising, I'd love your help. You can host a bead and bag party, organize an event, get creative.

Interested in seeing what we're doing in Uganda, join us on a **Vision Trip**. I am hoping to take the first official Abundant Life Ministries Team to Uganda this spring, depending on the interest. It will likely be the beginning of May for approximately 10 days.

Become a part of our team!! If you are interested you can email me or call any time: campforuganda@gmail.com or 925-250-9905

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KINDRI WITH SHARIFAH



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A ministry dedicated to bringing the love and hope of Jesus Christ to the youth of Uganda to positively impact the community through building up students who will live changed lives for Christ. By the power of God, we will affect change in the lives of students through *education, team building, leadership training and spiritual enrichment.*



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