

Back to School for All the Kids – New School Year Begins



Rebecca with kids at Joyland high school.



Kevin and Collins at Kibos School for the Blind, enjoying gifts from well wishers.

In early January, schools began to open around the area for the new school year. Our supported children attend four different schools for the physically challenged, and many of them are full or partial orphans as well.

Visitors Jim (American in Germany) and Caroline (Kenyan) came with a few gifts for the new Sargy School for 3, 4, and 5 year olds.



David shakes hands with students at new school.



Caroline and Rebecca sending girls off to Joyland at the ferry. Jim is cameraman.

There is HOPE for Seth!



Seth (left) is happy at last! He is deaf, a full orphan, and was found wandering in search of food in 2012 when we lived nearby. He has suffered terrible physical and emotional abuse in recent years.

After 3 years at a school for the deaf, which was not working, we have found **Hope School** for the Mentally Challenged, where Seth is already making friends (boy on right) and feeling more secure. He is nearby where we can visit him often.

New Kibos Feeding Program – where there is a need, there is a solution



Beatrice at Lambwe School for the Deaf. Day students -- some happy and fed, others not.

At Lambwe School for the Deaf, no smiles when I greeted our three girls. I brought gifts of clothing and school materials, school fees, but no FOOD. What was I thinking?! On the right, Fancy is all smiles because she is not sick today, as she so often is. Others are on their way home from school for their lunch break, but they will get no food. This was late January, and we were awakened to a desperate need.

On February 8 the new Year-Round Kibos Feeding Program was begun. We will start small with children we know well, and will add as we are able. More to come in our February newsletter.

Thank you so much for all you do for these children! Blessings in 2016!



Rebecca and Dave

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