



TAKE A LOOK INSIDE...



The New Preschool is Finished!
Enrollment has Already Begun



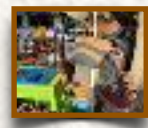
Four New Children Arrive
One Child is Adopted!



Hear About the **Christmas** Safaris
and the **Christmas** Day Celebration



New and Easier Ways to Give
How to Donate By **Rounding Up!**



Volunteer at the Yuba City Farmer's
Market this Summer

WHO WE ARE...

Our Mission: Samaritan Village exists for the purpose of implementing the Great Commission of Jesus Christ to go into all the world and preach the gospel, by providing physical, mental and spiritual care for orphaned children in Tanzania, Africa.

Our Vision: Samaritan Village is a private, non-profit organization established and run by volunteers to develop, expand and maintain a Christian orphanage to care for abandoned and orphaned children.

Our Goal: We work to reduce the number of abandoned children and the deaths of children in Tanzania by providing care for those whose parents have either died or abandoned them and who have no relatives responsible for their care. This is accomplished by providing a safe and stable Christian home environment where children are provided food, shelter, clothing, education and medical care.

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Rescuing and Providing a Home for Orphaned, Abandoned and Trafficked Children

Another season of Amazing News!

Preschool Completed

We're excited to announce the new Preschool/Nursery School is now finished! The classrooms are in and the building looks amazing! The staff is already enrolling students for the new school year.



NEW Preschool Building

Our preschool age children will join other children from the local community to receive a first class Bible-based education. They'll not only learn the basic skills taught in preschool but they'll do it all with teachers who will demonstrate to them the Love and Goodness of God.

Once again we owe all this to the goodness of God and the generosity of the NGO WATOYA Tanzania e.V. for their work to both fund the project and fully support the staff and students.



Children and Volunteers

New Future Plans!

We've been communicating back and forth with the Board here in Yuba City and Josephat and the Board in Arusha. As you may know, we decided last Spring to separate the medical clinic and dorm into two locations. In doing so, we came up with a plan to build a new two

story dorm and convert the clinic into a three story hospital.

However, we were told by the city we can't build a new dorm (or any building) on the land we planned to use, so we needed a new plan. We considered purchasing a new lot, but decided against it due to exorbitant cost.

Instead we've decided to use the entire three story building solely as a dorm that can be home to as many as 100 children. *This also gives us the option of someday having a Boarding School!*

We already have plans drawn up to build the new hospital on land currently being used for growing crops. (We'll be seeking new separate funding sources from both here in our area as well as through donors from all over the world.) We'll move the crops to the other parcel of land.

The detailed plans for the 50 bed hospital will include an emergency room, both in-patient and out-patient rooms, an operating room, a radiology department, a pharmacy and more.

If you'd like to see the plans, they are now posted on the website.



RESCUING AND PROVIDING A HOME FOR ORPHANED, ABANDONED AND TRAFFICKED CHILDREN



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FOUR NEW CHILDREN ARRIVE

It's always bittersweet when we receive new children at the orphanage. Just as everyone in a family gets excited when a new baby arrives, the Samaritan Village family rejoices when a new child is brought to their home. The baby is given a name and he or she is welcomed into the family.

At the same time, everyone realizes the child is there because their mother abandoned them. They may have been left on a park bench, on a bus, in a garbage can, behind a building, or "dumped" at any number of different places

But as horrible of a start as this child has had in life, once they arrive at Samaritan Village, everything changes. They're now in a place where they are unconditionally loved and cared for. They are surrounded by brothers and sisters. They have a new father (Josephat) and lots of mamas who will never leave them or forsake them.

And, best of all, they will now be raised to know and love the God of the Universe and His Son Jesus Christ.

Since our last newsletter we have received four new children. And, if you've never sponsored a child, this is your chance! Simply go to the **SPONSOR** page on the website and click the button to go directly to the child's page. **Sponsorships start at just \$20/month!**

There is often very little information given simply because there is usually nothing known except when and where the child was found and who found them.

Preasures arrived on March 28th. **Ezra** was brought on March 15th. **Calvin** came to us on February 26th and **Hossiana** arrived on February 20th.

GOING TO SCHOOL IN TANZANIA

All of our children attend private Christian Schools thanks to the generous donations of their sponsors.

Children in Tanzania begin school at the age of three and continue on in Nursery School through kindergarten. Next, they enter primary school which goes through seventh grade.

Secondary school goes through 11th grade (Form 4) and may be continued for two more years (Form 5 & 6). Children live at boarding school when attending secondary school.

Depending on their scores on the national exams, they may attend college or university after form 4 or form 6. We also make sure their tuition and expenses are paid through college and until they are able to live on their own.

Here are the children and their reports from Josepaht.



Preasures

Dear Samaritan Friends Attachment is a baby girl founded today at Mbauda Arusha. She was approximately one year old. The baby admitted at Samaritan today with social welfare officer and police report for the investigation we will receive it Tuesday after Easter. I named **Preasures**.

The baby boy was found last week and rescued by the one family for a few days. Today he was brought to Samaritan Village. He is approximately 2 years old. I am named **Ezra**.

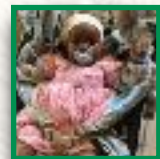


Precious



Calvin

I would like to inform you that last night we admitted a baby boy found at Loliondo. The baby was found abandoned and rescued by people across the area and reported to police. He has malnutrition. I named **Calvin**



A baby girl approximately one year and a half was founded and admitted to

Samaritan by Social welfare officers. She is very weak so our doctors are trying to help. I hope she will be comfortable. I am named Hossiana. **She continued to improve under our doctors' care and is now completely well!**



Beatrice Betty ADOPTED!

We're excited to announce another little one has been adopted! Beatrice Betty arrived in the Spring of 2022 and was adopted just before Christmas.

FARMER'S MARKET VOLUNTEERS

Each year we raise thousands of dollars at the Yuba City Farmer's Market thanks to a handful of volunteers. If you're in the Yuba City area, we'd love to have you join us any Saturday morning from May - September. The money raised goes to cover expenses such as this newsletter. This way, 100% of donations go directly to the orphanage. The extra money received also goes to the orphanage. Contact us to volunteer! **We guarantee you'll be blessed!**



NEW WAYS TO GIVE



We've decided to make it easier to sponsor children and to make donations to support the work of rescuing and providing a home for orphaned, abandoned and trafficked children. You can still mail a check and donate online and now you can

Text SVO to 26989



Here's a way to give that everyone can do! We've all been asked if we'd like to **ROUND UP** to help a cause when we go to pay at a growing number of restaurants and stores. Well, now you can do this for **Samaritan Village** every time you use your **debit** or **credit card**. And it's also tax deductible! It's simple...

1. Go to the website and click on the **ROUND UP** button.
2. Choose a **debit** or **credit card** you use often.
3. Choose a **dollar limit** indicating when to stop rounding up each month.
4. **You're now helping save the lives of children!**

Christmas Safaris, Service and Celebration



The children had a fantastic Christmas Break. The children went on a field trip (SAFARI) to Mtwara Shores and the National Museum of Tanzania. They visited some historical sights and rode camels. They also visited a snake farm.

After returning home, they did work at the orphanage and in the community. They even hosted a special time for widows

Finally, on Christmas Day Samaritan Village hosted the Annual Community Christmas Celebration. Over nine hundred children attended from local orphanages as well as children from the community. They played, swam and celebrated the birth of Jesus!

Thanks to everyone who donated to make this time so special for so many!



James 1:27 Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.