March - April 2025

The Gardner Family

Ambassadors of Christ to the Ugandan People

Prayer Requests at a Glance

1 - For Jedidiah and Mason to accept Christ as their Savior at an early age

2 - For us to have safe traveling on our furlough

Dear Pastors and Friends,

Thank you so much for all of your prayers! Since we started reporting to churches a few months ago in January, we have visited 28 different churches. We would like to thank God for keeping us safe through the thousands of miles that we have driven. We have a very full schedule in the months to come. It has been such a joy getting to visit the churches that have so faithfully partnered with us to reach Uganda. Seeing old friends and making new ones has been an encouragment to us.

Over the past two months, 19 people have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior! 18 of those were also baptized in one of the village churches in Uganda where we serve. I would like to tell you the story of the 19th person that wanted to accept Christ. I was visiting a supporting church, and the pastor asked me if I wanted to join them in a nursing home outreach. Easter had just been celebrated the week before, and the church was going to sing some Easter songs at this nursing home. The pastor had already prepared a short challenge, but told me I could speak in his place if I wanted to. I decided to preach from 1 Corinthians 15 about the meaning of Easter. I gave the gospel and afterward, a man named Dick asked if he could know more about my message. I explained the gospel to Dick for the next half hour, and after that he bowed his head and prayed for Jesus to save him from the Hell that he deserved. The gospel works no matter where you are in the world!

We have already purchased our plane tickets to return to Uganda. Please be in prayer that the final steps of Mason getting his visa will go through without any issues. Please also be in prayer for the many more mile that we will be driving as we seek to get to as many of our supporting churches as we possibly can.

For the furtherance of the Gospel,
Matthew, Savannah, and Jedidiah Gardner

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Photo of the Month

THIS IS A WATER BUFFALO. THEY ARE IN THE NORTH PART OF UGANDA IN A NATIONAL PARK.