



Welcome Home Ministries – Africa July 2008

“To Love, Care, and Pray Destitute Babies Back to Health; or into Jesus Loving Arms.”



Annemie above, Alibert below



Zachariah and Joshua



William and Melissa

Dear Welcome Home Friends & Family,

It has been another activity filled month for Welcome Home. Heather from Westmont College is back for another month of volunteering. **Thank you Heather!!**

A much awaited shipment of goods has just arrived from The Netherlands, containing 2 Dutch Bicycles with the wooden carrier box at the front (to transport the children to and from the medical clinic, and also some fun rides). Our mechanic Tony is going to have the pleasure of assembling these for us. There are also 5 rotary clothes lines which will give us a greater drying capacity for the children's clothes and save on electricity. We really appreciate the companies from Holland who have donated free shipping to us.

Annemie pictured left with Nino Paul and **Alibert** pictured left with Daniel are both from different towns in Holland. They have adopted the children of Welcome Home to love and to help raise funds for their care. We really appreciate all their effort. Check out the Dutch web site welcomehomeafrica.nl It is really well done as they have a lot of wonderful computer skills. **We really appreciate the love and support coming from Annemie and Alibert and so many in Holland.**

We have another **new baby** named **Byangu Musa** (born Jan. 5th 2008, HIV negative. Both parents are deceased and grandma has been unable to adequately care for the child. He is settling well into the loving care in the preemie department.

Susan whose picture we will show again is really making great strides in her recovery. She is going to be a really beautiful young girl. **Thank you for your prayers for her and also how you continue to support the ministry so these needy children can be helped.** She is now becoming a lot more active and is starting to enjoy the life of a child. She has been with us for 2 months now and is a wonderful picture of what love and nutrition can do in a very short time.

We say goodbye to some more of our children who now have forever families in America. **Zachariah and Joshua** are going to Oregon and **Melissa and William** are going to Texas. These children have been so blest to have the family that they have longed for. Melissa got to celebrate her 3rd birthday on the 22nd June for the first time with a Dad and Mum. **Thank you** to the families who make the big sacrifice to come to Uganda for the children. We know you will be blest.

Levi Timothy who had the two open heart surgeries in February now has normal blood pressure in his lungs. Thanks for your prayers for him.

We are exploring the possibility of a ministry home for handicapped children. This would most likely be a day care and some respite care. There are many handicapped children left alone locked in a room while the parents go to work. We would need to see a substantial amount of extra support come in to enable us to do this venture. We ask for your response.

Your Welcome Home Family



Susan on arrival



Susan after a months care



Susan after two months care



New baby Byangu Musa



Levi Timothy on the right with his Ugandan siblings & Mum and Dad

PREEMIES (7) Joel, Kisakye, Moses Emmanuel (3), **Musa**, Resty Kako, Spencer, Susan, **BABIES (18)** Amanda Rose, Benjamin, Charles, Edwin, Elizabeth, Gloria (Glory), Immaculate, James, James Waiswa (twin), Luke, Mark & Matthew (twins), Rebecca, Resty, Seth, Sheba & Joaner (twins) Wilson
TODDLERS (34) Allan(1), Allan(2), Andrew Okirio, Andrew Otto, Becky, Ben, Brenda, Billy, Brian, Daniel, Emmanuel, Grace, Jaqueline (Jackie), Jeremiah Moses, Jeremiah, Jonah, Jonathan, Joshua Menya, Joyce, Lukas, Margaret, Mercy, Nathan, Noah, Paul (Nino), Peter (Kaita), Pius, Rachel Mukisa, Richard, Shammah, Steven (village), Veronica Rose, Victor,
 [NAME GUIDE: **NEW (bold)**, MOVED (Underlined)]

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