NEWS FROM JOY JOHNSON NEW ZEALAND

A new year has begun, bringing with it a hope and an expectation of all that God would want to fulfil through each of our lives. Knowing God, listening to Him and following His leading makes for an exciting life! Good things have been happening in the Bible Schools as a result of the training the student's have received and the work of the Holy Spirit. There has been a conviction of sin which had led to a desire to be baptised.

Geoffrey has been receiving many calls from Pastors requesting our Bible School to be placed in their areas. Some ring every day, such is the hunger for good teaching.

We are opening two new schools in Kenya this year in February, one in Lodwar, North Kenya and one in the South at Machakos. Geoffrey says "Step Out in Faith Bible School is running like a burning bush."

In regards to the orphan work we do, the building of a three classroom school block at Kibaale, Uganda, began on 26th December 2016 and should be finished soon. A great start to the year!

Following is an update from our Director in East Africa, Geoffrey Auma, which I'm sure you will enjoy. God's blessings

Joy Johnson

Step Out in Faith Bible School - Geoffrey Auma

2016 was a year of great experience. We were busy formatting the effective running of the school agenda and operational logistics. At the same time there was good achievement; for we had a big number of people registering to be students, beyond our expectation. Our teachers were ready and well equipped to take up their calling of teaching.

We ended the year with a recommendable work done. We give glory to God, and acknowledge all who stood up to support this work with their financial and material support. May the good God brighten your future and reward you abundantly.

We are looking forward for even higher achievements in this year 2017. Many new Pastors are requesting that they be considered and given the opportunity of study. This came as a result after they heard testimonies from the students whose lives were impacted with this program.

The schools have been a turning point for the many people who were already doing ministry work but without adequate knowledge (Proverbs 19:2). People are now able to see their points of failure, and are busy working through the corrections. We are sincerely willing to continue with this impartation programme, and are ready to reach the voices requesting for the school (Matthew 28:19-20).

We closed the year with 1,400 students from both our centres in Kenya and Uganda. The pending students to be registered by February are already at 1,650 from both countries. Please pray together with us to make a difference

in the lives of these dear willing brothers and sisters.

Your sincere Brother in Christ, Geoffrey Auma, Director For East Africa

DATES TO REMEMBER

22nd February to 15th March Suzanne in Australia 15th March to 4th April, Suzanne in New Zealand. 18th April, 10.30 Suzanne speaks on Premier Radio. 28th to 30th April, Healing Weekend at Standlake Ranch. Please email suzannesministries@gmail.com for itineraries.

GOD BLESS YOU ALL



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A Bedroom at Standlake Ranch



Outside at Standlake Ranch.