

Mbale Adventures #19

November 17, 2025



Dear Family and Friends,

These are pictures of two of the three classes we are teaching in the villages! One is under a mango tree and the other under a hastily erected tarp for shade! (The third picture is at the bottom of the letter.) It's actually in a church! Most of our students are so thrilled to be learning to understand the Bible more in-depth than they ever have before. I say "most" because the group in the picture on the left above has had a pastor each week who asked for clarification. The first week others in the group were intent on making sure he understood. It seems he was embarrassed, and he did not ask any more questions. The next week a pastor asked if it is OK for a pastor to have more than 1 wife like Abraham, David and Solomon. Their questions seem logical, and when other pastors in the group set them straight, they seem to understand better. It's good to see the students learning and answering their own questions.

We are also making plans to return to western Uganda near the Congo border in the spring. A pastor and an elder visited our home to make plans for moving forward to help in the refugee camp near Kyenjojo (picture at the bottom right). The tall man is a pastor from Kampala; the shorter man is an elder in his church—they are great friends! And men of great integrity.

You can see from the pictures that we stay pretty busy. We continue to mentor students from CBIT. We are helping two students plan projects to earn a living when they graduate. We often teach in churches on Sunday mornings and have bible classes in the afternoon. We are teaching a third class on Fridays. Many pastors came to our class in Karamajong and we are making plans to return to the Karamajong region in the north near S. Sudan for a second class in the spring. A pastor in our class knows of an unreached tribe in the mountains near where we teach!! We would love to introduce them to Jesus Christ.

Without your prayer support and all the many other ways you support us, this would not be possible. We are sincerely and eternally grateful for you! Thank you for your thoughts and prayers!

We are preparing to return to the U.S. for a short Christmas visit in December, and we look forward to chatting with you and finding out all the things that are happening in your worlds! Happy Thanksgiving!!



Abundant blessings,

Sherrie and Gregg