



MISSION LINK'S NEWSLETTER

## Faith Over Fear

**M**any people travel by plane for work and leisure. However, there are probably still more people who would never chance it, by placing their faith in complete strangers, ie, the pilots or airline staff they have never met, to ensure their wellbeing and safety in reaching their final destination. There is nothing wrong with having a "healthy" fear, which keeps us from making bad decisions. We have all become familiar with knowing that something dangerous is about to happen when someone says, "Hey, watch this!" Those words are usually a warning for loved ones to make sure their health insurance is still in force because a trip to the emergency room may be needed soon.



The picture above (right) is of a mountain goat that has committed to taking a leap across a deep canyon, hoping to land within the safety of that flattened crevice. Some may label this as a leap of faith, but is it? The mountain goats were created with the ability and skills to do what we think is almost impossible. However, this is precisely how our Creator God designed and equipped them. Even the Lord mentions them in His word: Psalms 104:18a (ESV) "**The high mountains are for the wild goats;**" Our God can also cause our faith to allow us to walk on the mountain tops of life, in comparison to the mountain goats and other animals alike. Habakkuk 3:19 (ESV) "**GOD, the Lord, is my strength; he makes my feet like the deer's; he makes me tread on my high places**"

Our Lord created us for so much more than merely pleasing ourselves, or working for 20+ years and then retiring to what is often referred to as the "E-Z chair." In fact, unless we have lived (and continue to live) by faith, we cannot please God. Those are His words, not mine. Hebrews 11:6 (NKJV) "**But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.**" Those persons listed in Hebrews chapter 11 walked by faith and are mentioned for having placed their faith in the One who is forever faithful. Sometimes our faith enables us to have mountaintop experiences, enjoying all the beauty and glory of the Lord. While at other times our faith may lead us to dark places, so that the Light of Christ may shine for others to find their way to salvation in the Lord's arms. When we truly submit to His will over ours, we are then in the position to truly know what His will is. However, we tend to get this backwards and attempt to bargain with God, asking Him to reveal His will for us so we can know if it is something we "want" for our lives before committing. Our teaching staff in Uganda has committed to doing the Lord's will, no matter the cost. Not many people would volunteer for such extreme conditions our teachers experience during the course of traveling to distant villages, away from their church and families, sometimes sleeping under the stars at night. Yet, they know the outcome will be far greater for the Lord's kingdom from pouring the Word of Life into the hearts and minds of those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. The same future benefit applies to all volunteers who "GO" on mission trips. We choose faith over fear, not seeking vain recognition or another feather in our cap, but for the Lord to be magnified in a way that draws souls to Him forever. Supporting the Lord's work is no different. Giving is an act of faith with Love as the source, "**for God loves a cheerful giver**" (2 Cor. 9:7). We are seeking partners that will help support our efforts in making disciples that will multiply laborers to be sent out to work in our Lord's harvest (Mat. 9:38). May we all seek to Live by faith and not by sight, which often leads to fear.

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Todd Childers, CEO

**ADOPT A WIDOW**

Just \$40 a month gives hope and lifts a widow and dependents from poverty.

**NAMUSOKE FRANCIS**

Personal: 72 yrs old with one grandchild.  
 Testimony: Praises God for life and thankful for family of widows through Mission Link.  
 Challenges: Paralyzing body pains.

Learn about this princess and others at:  
[www.missionlink.org/widows](http://www.missionlink.org/widows)  
*James 1:27*



Jackie Carver

Todd Childers

Philip Tenywa

Our May-June Uganda trip was a success. Thank you for the prayers. We visited many homes, children schools, churches, officiated one MLI Study Center graduation, and launched 2 new classes in Eastern Uganda.

**UPCOMING TEAM TRIP**

**UGANDA:** Feb 6 - 18, 2026

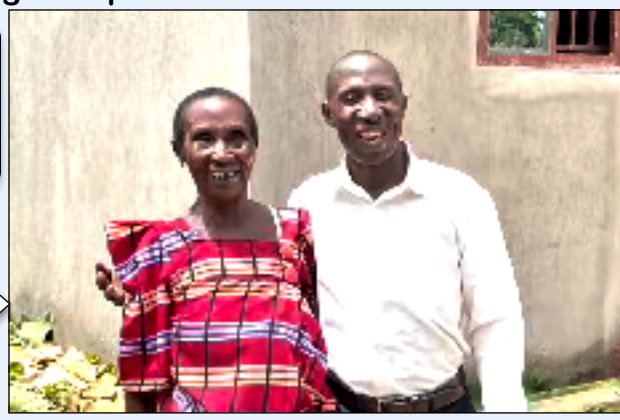
Focus: *Sharing the Gospel of Christ* through Medical Clinics, Bible Conferences, Youth Activities, and Evangelism in the Jinja area and an island visit. All are welcome to sign-up prior to 9/1/25 to receive a \$200 trip scholarship for the \$3,400 cost.

Visit website for  
[www.missionlink.org/mission-trips](http://www.missionlink.org/mission-trips)

**Hallelujah Corner - Making Disciples**

We currently have 6 Bible Study Classes ongoing in Uganda as we installed 2 new teachers in June to help

Pastor Emma loves caring for the widows. He is a graduate of our MLI Study classes and staff of Mission Link.

**ATTENTION: CHURCHES, PASTORS, YOUTH GROUPS**

**EXPERIENCE MISSION** work in Africa and benefit from 26 years of leading conferences, evangelism, and medical teams. *Contact our office* to begin planning a **SPECIAL TRIP** for your church or group. Our Mission Link directors are willing to come and share with your church or group.

 **UGANDA - BUDGET NEEDS**

**MLU CHRISTIAN STUDY CENTERS:** Our **#1 objective** is to **make disciples that make disciples**. Donations help us to continue this work. We now have multiple schools with students enrolled across Uganda for the purpose of training new pastors/church leaders to help multiply the Kingdom of God in their villages, nation, and world. (see insert)

**MEDICAL FUND:** Gifts to this fund helps us care for the sick that lack the means to seek medical attention.

**WIDOW SUPPORT FUND:** This fund helps us care for unsponsored widows, along with unplanned expenses, ie. bedding needs, emergency transport, burials, etc. Any **SUPPORT** you give will be a tremendous blessing.

**DEAF SCHOOL:** Administrative expenses, supplies, feeding the students, etc. This school enables deaf students to learn skills that gives them purpose as "Children of God." ❤️

**GENERAL FUND** APPRECIATES GIFTS of **ANY SIZE**, which helps us meet the many needs of ministry work in East Africa. *For example*, MLI helps numerous churches, pastors, missionaries in Uganda and Kenya to "SHINE" the Light of Christ in their communities through acts of love.

**KENYA - BUDGET NEEDS**

**SOUTHVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL:** This Primary school located in Eldoret has just over 100 children and focuses on educating with a biblical worldview. This school needs monthly support for teaching staff and help feeding +100 children.

**PASTOR EUTICAULS WAMBUA:** Pastor Euticauls oversees several schools, has planted numerous churches, and pastors Baptist Chapel church in Nairobi. Our brother is on very expensive heart medications and any support is appreciated.

**PERRY JAYNE GIRLS CENTRE:** This High School was established in Euticauls' home district of Kithyoko, Kenya in 2019 and is rated among the top 3 in academics. Pastor is seeking support for *irrigation project* to help the school's farm land in producing food for students.

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