

The way of **THE SPIRIT**



God is doing a great thing in Wabiyinja, Uganda!

Whenever we go to Uganda it seems God takes things to another level. I've just returned from leading the first two weeks of the current mission and I am once again taken aback by what He did. Each school brings new powerful testimonies and visible transformation, not just in the students but in the UK team too. We have amazing times with the students, meeting God together in the worship, ministry, teaching and fellowship.

A core group of students from various African countries have attended regularly since the buildings became functional, often travelling for many hours or even days, at considerable personal cost, to get to the school. Their sacrifice is always rewarded and the cumulative effect of six months of training is profound. New students join in too, as they are able. We had about 35 at this school.

Stories of Faith and Breakthrough

Betty, from Kenya, once boarded a bus to the school without any money—trusting that God had told her to go. As she stepped on board, someone sent to her phone the exact amount she needed.

Solange, from Goma, in eastern Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), told us how God had miraculously provided \$75 for her visa and travel every time she came. Often it came at the last minute, and from unexpected sources. Once, just a day before she was due to travel, her husband told her he had no money and asked why she was packing. Later that same day, someone unexpectedly gave her the full amount.

Solange has now been a faithful student for over two years. When rebel group M23 violently overtook her city earlier this year, she considered fleeing like many others. But remembering what she had learned from the lives of Elijah and Elisha at the last school, she chose to stay to encourage the church. She and other Congolese students have become a powerful source of strength and hope to believers in Goma, where atrocities continue.



Above: Solange and the Congolese contingent

Caroline's Journey

When Caroline, a member of a Kenyan church, began attending the college she wasn't knowingly baptised in the Holy Spirit and had never spoken in tongues. Through encountering God at the schools, everything changed. She started bringing others from her hometown of Kericho, grew in spiritual authority, and is now in church leadership. Her bishop has recognised the anointing she carries and has now appointed her to oversee six churches.

A Quiet Transformation: Fernand's Story

Fernand, who had already received an African theological training, has faithfully attended the school for over two years—quietly taking everything in. This year his wife joined him. At the commencement of this four week mission students were invited to share how the school had impacted their ministries. She jumped up and, pulling him to the front, testified, “He has changed! The teaching about the Holy Spirit he has brought back has transformed our church. I've seen such a change that I had to come myself!”

Jesus, Not Just Theology

A new student from Burundi, also theologically qualified, said to me excitedly on just his second day:

“You don’t teach theology here—you teach Jesus!”



Above: the new completed dormitory, will sleep up to 50

Transformed Churches

We often hear from the students, many of whom are pastors, how their churches are changing. Local leaders have been asking them why they are different and want to know where they were trained. Their traditional church culture is being replaced by a biblical revival dynamic where Jesus is at the centre, and the Word and the Spirit become the ‘hands of God’.

Freedom, Joy, and Encountering the Spirit

There are countless more testimonies—many centred on discovering the freedom and joy of the Holy Spirit for the first time. Students testify to finally understanding the Bible as alive and full of power, replacing routine, legalistic (and frankly boring) Christianity with the vibrant life and light of Jesus.

‘Going’ Is a Core of Kingdom Life

As I write, Men Gei Li is en route home with the team who have completed the final two weeks there. In the fourth week they were breaking new ground by sending multi-national mission teams out from the college. “Going” is fundamental to Kingdom life, and this week, students are stepping out with what God has deposited in them. The African leaders there were thrilled with what they saw, teams working together and bringing life.

This directly fulfils the prophetic word we received when we bought the land five years ago, that He would pour out His Spirit and glory into people's lives at the college, and rivers would flow out from it into Africa and beyond.

This is just the beginning.



(Above: the grand opening of the new dormitory; the second week students

UK Teams: Changed Forever

No two UK teams comprise the same individuals, so many get the chance to go, making the schools an effective training ground for The Way of the Spirit back home in the UK. Each team brings a fresh mix of creativity, joy, and Word-and-Spirit life. Often they are impacted alongside the African students. 'Come on mission—and be changed forever!' In God's economy, nothing is wasted, and everyone grows. Other significant by-products of our 'going' to Africa include:

- A now strong and growing national prayer team backing every mission with sacrificial early-morning prayer,
- The development of stronger teachers and team members, built up and released, and
- Increased unity and shared purpose across the The Way of the Spirit.

Building Update: Dormitory, Vision, and Faith

The dormitory building (above) is now complete and it is excellent—it can sleep 50 at a stretch. A second dormitory is planned, which will increase capacity to 100. We have seen pastors queuing, desperate to come and be equipped, and we've seen rivers of life flowing from the college, impacting churches and nations. We have seen what God is going to do with this place.

We await funds to complete:

- kitchen/dining area,
- admin block,
- other outbuildings, including a second dormitory, and
- landscaping the site

Financing the Vision

We don't know where the funds will come from—monthly giving, one-off gifts, large donations...but we know it is coming and we already 'see' the completed work. Meanwhile, we continue to send teams, feed the students, and pour our hearts into the place God has given us.

We trust God to provide the money rather than invest much energy into fund raising, and we have seen his faithfulness over many years providing for the ministry. We are now believing for big gifts so we can get on and finish the site!

(If you would like to give to this project you can go to the donate page on our web site by clicking on this link.)

The Holy Spirit is moving and the Kingdom is advancing—let's keep believing—and moving forward together.

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