

# RAFIKI REPORT

God's Word at Work  
Spring 2022

## In this Report

Hear from Executive Director Karen Elliott about the new things God is doing.

Hear from Founder and President Rosemary Jensen.

Read compelling stories about our work in Africa.

Learn about our faster and more efficient process of getting supplies to Africa.



SEE PAGE 3 FOR MORE INFORMATION ON  
WHAT IS HAPPENING IN UGANDA WITH THESE  
ENTHUSIASTIC LEARNERS.



## WHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS?

*“A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher”*  
(Luke 6:40).

On the cover of this report is a colorful picture of some very happy students.

It is a photo of Divine Hearts Academy run by one of our RICE graduates in Uganda. This school developed through great sacrifice by one woman with a calling, vision, and grit. We were privileged to visit her school during our trip in February. Driving down a red, dirt road on the outskirts of Kampala, Uganda, we arrived at this brightly painted, pre-k through grade 1 school, brimming with eager little minds. Catherine’s story is amazing in that she sold personal property to start this school. She uses our Rafiki Bible Study and classical Christian curriculum, and we are continuing our support with training and the help of our current RICE students. Pray for her school to succeed and for thousands more schools like this to develop within the church in Africa and in America. Read her story and be inspired.

Why would anyone sacrifice so much to start a classical Christian school? Several reasons:

Next to the family and the church, a classical Christian school is an excellent discipleship environment. When the Bible says to bring up a child in the discipline and instruction of the Lord (Ephesians 6:4), the word for discipline is *paideia* which means the training of our children should result in all of life coming under a biblical worldview. The Great Commission also urges us to make disciples and teach them everything the Lord has commanded. This is sufficient reason to consider Christian education because it is unlikely that children spending eight hours a day in a secular environment will exit high school with an all-encompassing biblical worldview.

The world knows that “he who controls the schools controls the world” (V. Baucham). In Africa and America, other ideologies have targeted the education of children for decades delivering an education that is counter, if not hostile, to Christianity. It would seem prudent for the church to re-engage and assist in the education of children of Christian parents. Now is the time for us as God’s people to ensure that the hearts and minds of children are taught by godly teachers, in a Christ-centered ethos, through daily Bible study, and using curriculum with a biblical worldview. Rafiki stands ready to assist churches in this task by providing the Rafiki Bible Study, Rafiki’s classical Christian curriculum, and training to start schools.

The difference is significant. Graduates of classical Christian schools were found to:

- Have a significantly higher belief in orthodox Christian teachings.
- Be much more likely to pray, read the Bible, attend church regularly, and tithe.
- Be less likely to switch religious affiliation or to turn from the faith of their childhood. (Cardus survey 2019)

Education has been a great concern of the church for centuries. As Martin Luther noted, “I am afraid that the schools will prove the very gates of hell, unless they diligently labor in explaining the Holy Scriptures and engraving them in the heart of the youth.”

The Lord Jesus said, “A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher.” Which “teacher” do we want “fully training” the next generation?

We have the joy and privilege at Rafiki to see the fruit of this type of education in our ten Rafiki Villages in Africa and beyond. Enjoy the many examples in this report and know that we are grateful to all of you who pray, give, and go in service to the Lord in this mission. Pray that the Lord raises up more partners in this work so that we can see thousands of churches and schools in Africa and the USA helping people know God and raise their standard of living through Bible study and classical Christian education.

*Karen J. Elliott*

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Executive Director Rafiki Foundation



Karen Elliott in front of Divine Hearts Academy



## LETTER FROM ROSEMARY

Dear friends,

How do we serve God? We serve him by serving others. In Matthew 25:40 Jesus says, *“Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.”*

Rafiki has been serving God by serving others for 37 years. You will read in this report the ways that Rafiki has served others with excellence and integrity. From board members to Home Office staff members, to missionaries, to all African staff and workers, to volunteers, to donors—all have been used to serve “the least of these” and thereby served God. All of us serve God through the enabling of his Holy Spirit, for without him we can do nothing worthwhile.

Sometimes we think that our efforts in serving God are not worth much. That is because we look at our work from our perspective rather than from God’s perspective. God says that what we do for even one “least” person, we do it for him. So, every board meeting we attend, every job we do at the Home Office, every day we serve in a Rafiki

Village, every product we tag, and every dime we give to Rafiki to support its programs, we do for Christ.

Take that perspective as you read all that so many have done for Christ through Rafiki. Then ask yourself if you might do more for him yourself.

My personal greetings and love to each of you as you serve Christ by serving others.

*Rosemary Jensen*

Rosemary Jensen  
 Founder and President  
 Rafiki Foundation

## SETTING A FEAST BEFORE STUDENTS

### TEACHER TRAINING GRADUATE STARTS HER OWN SCHOOL

Catherine is a single mother who was left with two young children by her husband. Seeking opportunities, she went to the Sudan, and there she saw the deep devotion of the Muslims in educating their children in Muslim schools (madrasas). She thought to herself, “Christians need to get serious in educating their children biblically!”

She returned to Uganda and seven years ago attended the Rafiki Institute of Classical Education (a teacher training college at the Rafiki Village outside of Kampala). She was captivated by a way of education that sets a feast before its students—a feast of God’s truth, beauty, and goodness as revealed in mathematics, literature, physics, history, and everything in between. Catherine saw how many students who receive this education are satisfied by the glory of Christ and thus transformed to follow him all their days and seek after his truth.

Catherine sold land to start her own school in her home. Every room is now a classroom, with only a very small room remaining as her living quarters. Her school uses the Rafiki curriculum, is supported by additional training, and sets this feast before others, modeling the potential we see in Africa for thousands of indigenously run classical Christian schools in the next 30 years.



Students in their classroom at Catherine’s school.

# HELPING PEOPLE KNOW GOD

## RAFIKI BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM

The Rafiki Bible Study (RBS) is offered in three different versions: Sunday school lessons, small group studies, and classroom/homeschool lessons. Each version caters to meet the needs of the group. Lead your own RBS group, acquire lessons for your Sunday school, or teach your children or grandchildren God's Word using the RBS! Lessons on all 66 books of the Bible are available.

## FIRST RBS SEMINAR HOSTED

In January we held our first seminar for RBS group leaders. At this two-day seminar, we were blessed to hear God's Word taught by some of the theologians who wrote the studies! People from across the USA joined us in studying the Scriptures. We look forward to hosting this event again in January 2023. Videos of presentations are available on Rafiki's YouTube channel.

## LAUNCHING RBS SUNDAY SCHOOL MATERIALS IN 200 CHURCHES IN UGANDA

Rafiki missionaries and national staff in Uganda trained teachers in the Anglican Church of Uganda on using Rafiki's Sunday school lessons. Two hundred people attended representing 67 parishes, each with two – three churches. Each participant received the 31-week lessons on the Book of Matthew. The set includes adult, junior high, primary, and pre-k through second-grade lessons. R.C. Sproul's commentary on Matthew is also included with each set to aid teachers.

Home Devotion Pages are sent home weekly with every day student at our Villages. The son of a Rafiki teacher in Tanzania uses it at his high school to lead Bible studies for the Christian students association. A Tanzanian pastor gives it to his church members to use as a Bible study guide.



RBS Seminar participants listen as Rev. Richard Phillips teaches from the Book of Hebrews.

# CARING FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL

## ORPHAN CARE PROGRAM

"You are good and all-powerful, caring for each one of us as though the only one in your care, and yet for all as for each individual"—Augustine's *Confessions*. In Rafiki, we see the truth in Augustine's praise of God for God's abundant care of individual children is revealed through you and all who serve at the Rafiki Villages.

## INDIVIDUAL DISCIPLESHIP

Specific events are too numerous to mention but here are a few. Tapiwa's sight dramatically improved through a surgery supported by her sponsor. Gritty graduated from secondary school and went to live with a wonderful church family that her Rafiki Mother encouraged to assume the role of her natural family. Through daily Bible study at the Rafiki Village, Adele received faith in Christ and was baptized by her pastor. Countless young men and women have been discipled by their Rafiki Parents, teachers, missionaries, and support staff. Each young person has truly been cared for as an individual—just like you would take care of your own child.

## LAUNCHING INTO THE COMMUNITY

Individual guidance to the best post-secondary path for their gifts and callings is essential. This year we have 168 young people enrolled in some type of tertiary study. These grads are studying auto mechanics, nursing, computers, catering, chemistry, geography, law, medicine and surgery, furniture craft, hospitality, economics, physiotherapy, and more. Thank you, sponsors, for your long-term support of our Rafiki Scholars, and we thank God for faithful and loving missionaries and national staff that continue to disciple them as they move on to independence.



In Zambia 21 young adults recently graduated. Many of these students are in college continuing their studies.

# CULTIVATING CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN TEACHERS

## TEACHERS COLLEGE

RICE (Rafiki Institute of Classical Education) students have resumed their studies and are eager to teach in our Rafiki Schools and local schools in the community. We welcomed our first new cohorts since COVID, and they brought with them fresh enthusiasm.

## ACCREDITATION PROGRESS

We have seen much progress this year towards the accreditation of several of our RICE Programs. Accreditation is achieved either through a Christian university or directly with the country's ministry of education.

**Liberia:** awarding associates degrees.

**Kenya:** awarding diplomas in early childhood and primary education.

**Uganda:** awarding certificates, diplomas, and degrees.

**Malawi:** soon to be accredited in 2022.

**Tanzania** trains degree holders through Rafiki's RICE post-graduate studies program. This is a one-year work-study program for already certified teachers. **Rwanda** and **Ethiopia** are planning to offer the same program in 2022. Pray these programs can start soon!

## "LIKE A THEOLOGIAN WITH A TEACHING DEGREE"

A RICE student expressed his thanks noting, "The priority here is the Word of God. We are becoming like a theologian on our way to becoming a teacher and learning to see with a biblical worldview."

All training is tuition free for students who now number in the hundreds. Join us by supporting the training of a teacher through the Where Most Needed fund.



This RICE student is presenting the story of his life through symbols on a Lukasa board, Rafiki Village Zambia.

# INCREASING ENROLLMENT

## RAFIKI SCHOOL PROGRAM

Over the past year, eight former cottages have been converted to use as classrooms and three new primary schools and one new senior secondary school have been constructed. With all this new space, we have been able to increase the number of students enrolled by over 500.

A cottage converted to a classroom makes a beautiful space for preschool and lower primary students and it is economical to transform. Formerly housing ten resident students, these cottages now provide learning space for 20 children. As three-year-old children enter these classrooms for the first time, they are welcomed by well-trained teachers (many are graduates from the Rafiki Institute of Classical Education). These teachers love their students and teach them so well that students do not realize they are learning. School is a joy to these young ones, and these new buildings give space for that joy to grow as they sing praises to God, explore learning centers, rest in the book corner, or number the days of school.

In Ethiopia, our primary school ranked second in our region in the last inspection. Our grade 11 students in Uganda achieved excellent scores on their recent national exams, ranking our school 85 out of over 6000 schools in the nation.

## A MASTER TEACHER

Ellen, a 16-year veteran second grade teacher at the Rafiki School is in demand when she attends government training events. She happily explained that teachers from other schools are always asking her to show them how she teaches children to read so well. In these countries in Africa, many children do not develop reading proficiency until they are teens. By God's grace, Rafiki students learn to read by kindergarten or grade one and Ellen is a master at teaching!



Young student learns to use a magnifying glass by RICE-trained teacher, Rafiki Village Nigeria.

# STORIES C

## FROM JOBLESSNESS TO JOYFUL PURPOSE

Nelson graduated from university in 2017 with a degree in education and an eagerness to teach.

Two years passed and still no job, but then Nelson heard about the RICE Program. In 2020, he applied, was accepted, and entered a whole new life! For the first time, Mr. Nelson was able to take theology courses. Before coming to Rafiki, he attended church and read the Bible, but had many questions. His RICE teacher helped him find answers and understand the truth, and Nelson's faith grew tremendously with daily Bible study and prayer.

Nelson completed the program and was immediately hired by Rafiki as a full-time science teacher. Teaching gives him great joy, moreover he loves helping children who were once helpless. Each day he is excited to work knowing he is part of a bigger work that God is doing.

Now in 2022, Nelson serves as the Academic Head of the secondary school. God continues to teach him as he holds this leadership position. Nelson went from being a jobless university graduate to a school leader promoting the purposes of Rafiki to help people know God and raise their standard of living with excellence and integrity.



## SERVING OTHERS

Recently, Nahom, a tenth-grade resident at the Rafiki Village Ethiopia, took it upon himself to conduct computer classes for some of the younger students. This not only supplements their weekly ICT classes but also better equips them to become future leaders in their country. We praise God for Nahom's leadership, care, and love for the younger students as well as his desire to help them become successful!

Not only is he skilled in computers but he also is a godly mentor to the other boys at the Village. God is at work in the lives of these children!



## CARING FOR OTHERS

A double orphan with no one to care for her, God brought Grace to the Rafiki Village Malawi in 2007. She flourished at the Village, actively taking part in church, and studying hard in school. Grace grew in her faith and loved teaching the younger children about God. God gave her a heart for others and a desire to care for them. As the years passed, this desire increased, and Grace is now studying nursing and midwifery at university. Her faith remains strong, and she is thankful for the opportunity to care for others in this way.



# OF IMPACT



## PURSUING HIGHER EDUCATION

Kasozi and Alice were four and three years old respectively when their parents died of AIDS. They were placed in the care of an elderly uncle who lived in a mud hut deep in the bush. When Rafiki first met the two in 2005, they were covered with sores and suffering from malaria and malnutrition.



Kasozi and Alice proved to be kind-hearted children and diligent students. The years passed quickly and, in 2021, the siblings graduated from the Rafiki School. When asked to remain at Rafiki and teach classes as the school got back on its feet after its two-year closure, they both happily agreed. They served until universities reopened and began accepting students. Currently, Kasozi and Alice are pursuing bachelor's degrees (computers and education respectively) at Makerere University in Uganda.



## SEEKING SPIRITUAL HEALTH FOR OTHERS

Shadreck came to the Rafiki Village Zambia in 2008 at the age of six. He had a small, weak frame but he soon grew strong and healthy in his new home. Shadreck showed great leadership qualities and proved to be a very bright and diligent child. By grade five, he understood much about the Scriptures and could clearly articulate the message of the gospel. His faith continued

to grow and by grade 10, he regularly served in church through teaching, singing, and ushering.

When he graduated from the Rafiki School, he expressed his dream to become the best doctor in Zambia's history. His heart is specifically set on becoming a neurosurgeon, and he believes that God is leading him to help those with mental disorders and complications. However, his goal is not just to heal people physically but to bring them spiritual healing. He believes "a relationship with Jesus is more important than recovering from a mental disorder." Shadreck is pursuing a bachelor of medicine and surgery at Cavendish University. He prays that he will continue loving and serving God and being a light in the world.

Help raise up more Kasozis, Alices, and Shadrecks through Rafiki's child sponsorship program.

With 500 additional day students and hundreds of orphans to still care for, we are asking for at least 1000 new sponsors this year. Refer to our website for more information, email us at [rafiki@rafikifoundation.org](mailto:rafiki@rafikifoundation.org), or scan this QR code with your phone.



# HELPING WIDOWS IN THEIR DISTRESS

## WIDOWS PROGRAM

Last year our online sales were the greatest they have ever been! Thank you to all those who shopped online and helped provide for widows and disadvantaged women in Africa! Many of these women live on less than \$2 a day and so an extra \$20 a month can make a huge difference in their lives. Read their stories on our website. Each purchase supports these women and their families and provides them with Bible study, a means of living for themselves and their children, and the dignity of work.

## NEW WIDOWS GROUPS AND PRODUCTS

We have partnered with a new group in Nigeria (helping over 40 widows) that specializes in sewing products such as dresses, bags, and other accessories. When we brought their sample products to the Mount Dora Exchange, they sold rapidly. We look forward to our first order arriving soon! Make sure to check out our website (<https://store.rafikifoundation.org>) for these new items.

Now that the conflict in Ethiopia has dissipated, our church partner, Mekane Yesus, is eager to restart the widows program. Pray this can resume this year. Due to the upheaval and deprivation caused by the war, the need is greater than ever.

## START A RAFIKI MINI EXCHANGE AT YOUR CHURCH

For the Christmas season last year, we partnered with two new churches in the United States who then coordinated mini Rafiki Exchange stores for their members to enjoy. Both churches plan to hold missions fairs this year and hope to include Rafiki in the events. Your church can also join in the festivities! Contact us for more information on the steps for this outreach.



Member of Threads and Light in Nigeria.

# SHIPPING BIBLES AND SUPPLYING SCHOOLS

## PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTION CENTER

The building was approved by late November 2021 and we were fully operational with printing and processing by January 2022. By April we had processed and sent eight containers to Africa. This new facility allows us to print up to 60 million pages and ship 40-50 containers a year. This creates the capacity to provide curriculum to 500 primary schools in Africa, distribute thousands of studies and children's Bibles to seminaries, pastors, and schools, print and ship thousands of sets of Sunday school materials, and supply the growing interest in the USA for the resources God has given us.

With the generosity of the Rosemary Jensen Bible Foundation and because we ship into 10 countries and work with 23 African denominations, publishers such as Crossway, Ligonier Ministries, The Gospel Coalition, and P&R Publishing are eager to provide sound theological materials through us to Africa in significant quantities. What a joy to consider that pastors and seminary students as well as teachers and children will have access to these materials like never before!

## FASTER AND MORE EFFICIENT PROCESSES

This facility is not just a warehouse but a distribution center. We collect printed curriculum, schoolbooks, Bibles, and needed supplies and then distribute them to our ten Villages. The plan is to take these materials and then pack, label, record, and place them on a pallet. Once we have a full container, we ship. This reduces the turn around time from months to weeks.

Our newest leased press is the Valezus T2100—a color inkjet press capable of printing 320 pages per minute.

Thank you to supporters who gave generously to this facility, making the expanded Africa outreach possible. Pray that all the materials shipped will bear much fruit for God's kingdom!



Our newest press is capable of printing 6 million pages of beautiful color curriculum each year.



# PROVIDING OPPORTUNITIES

## A TRANSFORMATION IN A DAY STUDENT

The following Day Student Sponsor Report was written by a sixth grade student at the Rafiki School in Nigeria. When Eve first came to Rafiki in pre-primary school, she was disruptive in class and rarely smiled. Through daily Bible study and support from caring teachers, Eve has blossomed into a friendly young woman with a quick smile. She is a good student with several A's on her report card each term.

Day student sponsors receive a report like Eve's quarterly, making it easy to see how God is working in their lives. Would you consider sponsoring a day student?



**Eve**

Nigeria  
VILLAGE

1/25/2006  
BIRTHDAY

Grade 6  
GRADE

SIBLINGS\*

RAFIKI CAREGIVER

**Q1, 2022**  
**Quarter 1 Spiritual Growth**

I have been studying the Book of Matthew. I have learned more about the birth and resurrection of Jesus Christ. It has really change my life both Physically and Spiritually.  
My favorite hymn is "What wondrous love is this," because Jesus' blood has cleansed my sins and now I'm free to worship and glorify God.  
I can help other people to know God by my actions.

**Prayer Requests**

Please Pray for the Insecurity in my Country.  
Please Pray for my Spiritual and Physical life.  
Please Pray for my family to be Godfearing  
And Please Pray for my Understanding of the Bible.

**Contact Eve**  
The Rafiki students love to receive mail from their sponsors. Please send letters to: PMB 2714 Anglo-Jos, Jos Plateau State, NIGERIA. You may send cards or any other item that fits in a standard size envelope. Please do not send packages, checks or cash to the Village address.

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Eve  
SNG2  
With Rafiki Since: 1/20/2016

\*BIOLOGICAL SIBLING LIVING IN THE VILLAGE  
\*<https://rafikifoundation.org/child-pages/child-summary>

Children like Eve attend Rafiki Schools from the community on a scholarship provided by sponsors or those who give to the scholarship fund. Sponsorship has been made simple online—consider sponsoring a day student for a minimum of \$25 a month and change a child's life forever.

For more information, go to our website, email us at [rafiki@rafikifoundation.org](mailto:rafiki@rafikifoundation.org), or use this QR code with your phone.



# GROWING INTEREST

## OUTREACH PROGRAM IN AFRICA

The interest in the Rafiki Educational System (Bible study and classical Christian curriculum) continues to grow. We print and ship all the curriculum from the Home Office to meet the needs of our church partners, private Christian schools, and homeschool parents in Africa. To date, we have shipped 455 Teacher Texts and 5054 Student Texts. That will supply material for over 250 classrooms to implement the Rafiki curriculum. Along with the curriculum, each school receives the Rafiki Bible Study (RBS) for every grade level, along with lessons for the staff, and Home Devotion pages for children to take to their families. Rafiki hymnals are provided for each classroom. Bibles, provided by the Rosemary Jensen Bible Foundation, are given to children who can read in those schools.

The mother of two children attending a Rafiki school is also the owner/operator of a pre-school in Kenya. So impressed with how her children are growing spiritually, academically, and socially, she chose to transition her preschool, Jabali Hekima, to a classical Christian school using our materials. The kindergarteners are learning to read using Rafiki's EC3 reading curriculum and are engaged in Rafiki's Deuteronomy study. Her growing school just moved to a larger space to accommodate the demand.

A preschool in Tanzania using Rafiki's curriculum, under the supervision of a RICE graduate, is bursting at the seams with over 50 four- and five-year-olds. The owner, impressed with the results, has since opened two more schools with hopes of using Rafiki's curriculum.

Since classical Christian education differs from what most are accustomed to, training the teachers using the Rafiki curriculum is vital. In Kenya, we recently held an eight-day training course for teachers. Twenty-five teachers from six different schools participated. These schools are in their first and second years using Rafiki's curriculum.



Training course participants in Kenya.

# RAFIKI 2021 STATISTICS

BELOW ARE JUST A FEW OF THE MANY THINGS FOR WHICH WE ARE THANKFUL!

- Children are responding to the gospel in our Villages with several baptized in Liberia and Uganda.
- Generous giving to the Africa Outreach campaign—thank you!
- In 2021, 112 Rafiki orphans were sent out to some form of post high school education. This number will grow to 168 this year.
- We added 500 more students to our schools from September to January, 2022.
- The Methodist Church in Ghana ordered 4000 sets of Rafiki's Sunday School material on Romans. They were shipped out in February, 2022.
- Four new school buildings were completed in 2021.
- Rafiki's classical Christian curriculum is now approved for church school use in Kenya and is close to approval in Uganda—completion of an 8-year process!
- The new Printing and Distribution center is complete and operational.
- We placed seven new missionaries in 2021.
- Widows Program sales were up almost 25% over last year leading to the highest sales ever.
- Over 1262 Rafiki Bible studies have been sent out since inception, supplying over 320 groups meeting weekly to study God's Word together.



Grade seven students receive Bibles from the Rosemary Jensen Bible Foundation, Rafiki Village Zambia.



A line of preschoolers after a day learning about their eyes, Rafiki Village Ghana.

## READING LIST

*Humble Heroes* by Rosemary Jensen

*Praying the Attributes of God* by Rosemary Jensen

*Recovering our Sanity: How the Fear of God Conquers the Fears that Divide Us* by Michael Horton

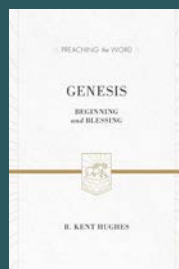
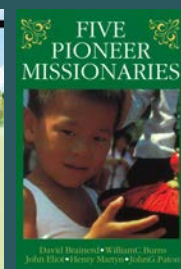
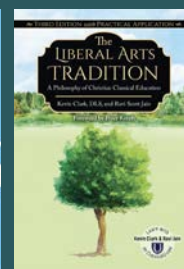
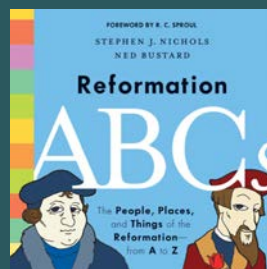
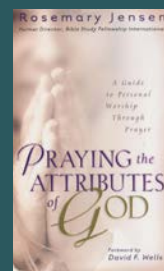
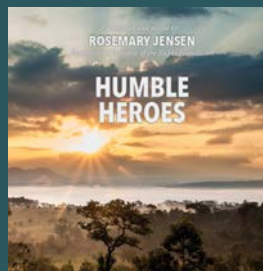
*A Method for Prayer: Freedom in the Face of God* by Matthew Henry

*Reformation ABCs: The People, Places, and Things of the Reformation—from A to Z* by Stephen J. Nichols

*The Liberal Arts Tradition: A Philosophy of Christian Classical Education* by Ravi Jain and Kevin Clark

*Five Pioneer Missionaries* by John Thornbury

*Genesis: Beginning and Blessing* by R. Kent Hughes



# TRANSFORM LIVES FOR YEARS TO COME

## ESTATE PLANNING CAN SECURE A BRIGHTER FUTURE FOR CHILDREN AND STUDENTS IN AFRICA

Rafiki is now able to accommodate planned or unique giving such as real estate or other non-cash items. This is a wonderful way to show your support and appreciation for God's Word at Work while accommodating your own personal, financial, estate-planning, and philanthropic goals. With wise planning, you may increase the size of your estate and/or reduce the tax burden on your heirs. Just as important, you will know that you have made a lasting contribution to Rafiki.

## WISE PLANNING MAY REDUCE TAXES AND INCREASE YOUR ESTATE

This may result in:

- gifts that reduce your taxes, such as stock, real estate, and other non-cash gifts.
- gifts that pay you income.
- gifts in your will.

Rafiki collaborates with the Barnabas Foundation to offer our supporters complimentary planning services and assistance with non-cash gifts.

To learn more about ways you can increase the impact of your generosity, call at 352-483-9131 or email Rafiki@RafikiFoundation.org

# OPPORTUNITIES TO PARTICIPATE

**Give Where Most Needed.** This allows us the flexibility to respond to opportunities as they arise.

**Sponsor a child from the community** to attend a Rafiki School. The cost to support a child for a year is \$1000 and provides a daily Bible study, two meals a day, and a classical Christian education. Participate for a minimum of \$25 a month.

**Supply curriculum to a classroom** for a partner school in Africa. For \$500 you can supply all the teacher texts and student materials plus cover printing, development, and shipping costs for a classroom of twenty children. Give to the Where Most Needed fund for this.

**Purchase products online.** Your purchase will help provide for widows and disadvantaged women in Africa!

**Start a Rafiki Prayer Group (RPG)** at your church or with your friends. An RPG meets monthly and prays through specific requests for the work of the ministry.

**Start a Rafiki Bible Study** for groups in your neighborhood. Studies range from 4 to thirty-two weeks, beginner to advanced, men's, women's, couples, or college age groups.

**Recommend Rafiki's Sunday school materials** to your church.

**Go to Africa** as a missionary with Rafiki.

**Find out more** by emailing rafiki@rafikifoundation.org, call: 352-483-9131, website: rafikifoundation.org.

# JOIN US IN PRAYING

## WE ARE ASKING THE LORD FOR:

- A doubling in the number of Rafiki Prayer Groups and Rafiki Bible Study groups in 2022.
- An additional 20 missionaries.
- Continued strong giving to the scholarship fund and full sponsorship of every orphan and day student.
- An increase in financial support in 2022 to support the growth in outreach in Africa and the USA.
- Thousands of churches in America and Africa to use the Sunday school materials.
- Fully accredited and full RICE Programs in seven Villages and the start up of RICE in Ethiopia, Rwanda, and Ghana.
- Two hundred African church schools and at least 20 USA church schools to adopt our Bible study and curriculum.



Rafiki Village Tanzania gathered to pray in January 2022.



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## RAFIKI BY THE NUMBERS

