

RAFIKI REPORT

God's Word at Work
Summer 2024

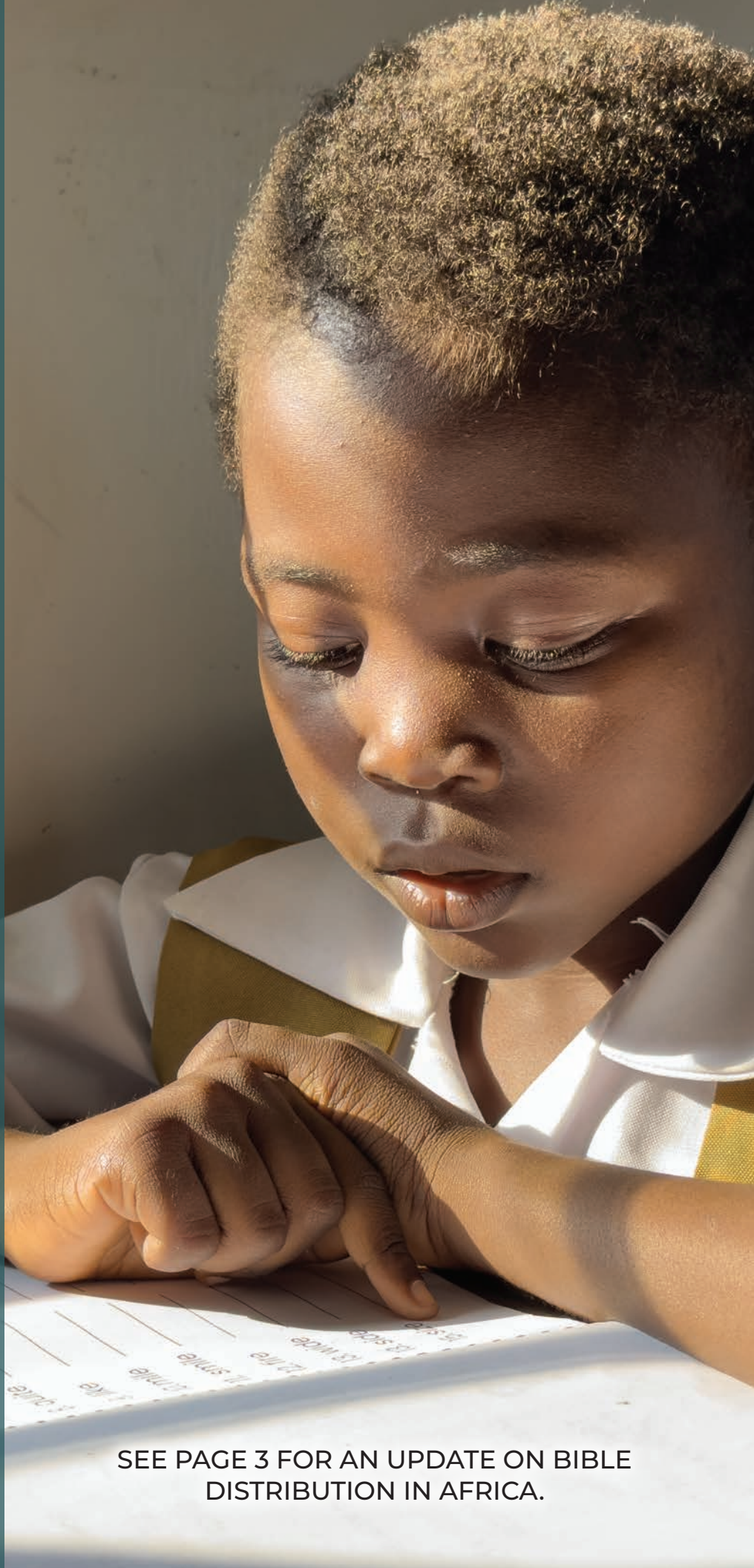
In this Report

Hear from Executive Director Karen Elliott on discipling the next generation of the world.

Hear from Founder Rosemary Jensen.

Read stories of impact about our work in Africa.

Scan the QR code to watch our recent ministry update given at Rafiki's annual Enrichment Meeting.



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DISTRIBUTION IN AFRICA.



“GO THEREFORE AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS. . .”

Matthew 28:19a

The Rafiki Foundation has the privilege of making disciples of the next generation of the world. Like the young community student at our school in Malawi pictured on the front.

The next generation of the world you say? Yes. Why? How?

Statistics show that half of the world's children will be born in Africa over the next 25 years, totaling 1.2 billion young people. At Rafiki, we believe God has equipped us with a strategy and resources to assist the church in nurturing the next generation of godly contributors across Africa and beyond.

Africa boasts some of the world's largest church denominations, with Rafiki privileged to partner with 25 of them. Through over 40 years of dedicated work, we've built strong relationships with denominations serving over 60 million Christians and 20,000 schools. Imagine the impact if Rafiki's curriculum, Bible studies, and resources flowed through our ten Rafiki Villages to these church partners to aid in disciple-making!

Many African church schools, while Christian in name, lack doctrinally sound materials and rely solely on secular government curricula. Through God's provision and partnerships, Rafiki enables these schools to adopt our classical Christian curriculum. Moreover, Bibles and Bible studies are often inaccessible to many Africans. Rafiki's resources aim to address this gap, helping the African church disciple the next generation effectively.

In 2023, Rafiki collaborated with Ligonier Ministries, Crossway, and the Rosemary Jensen Bible Foundation to distribute over 45,700 Bibles to our African partner denominations, totaling more than 100,000 since 2017. We also provided 4,500 sets of Sunday school materials to churches across Africa. This year, we aim to distribute an additional 100,000 Bibles.

Within our ten Rafiki Villages, we operate PreK-12 classical Christian schools where students receive daily Bible study, education from a biblical worldview, and two meals a day. These schools serve as vital environments for disciple-making alongside families and churches.



We are grateful for the high demand for our schools, with one country having a waiting list of 600 children. Through our Orphan Care Program, hundreds of orphans are now pursuing tertiary education and entering various professions, embodying a biblical worldview in fields such as architecture, finance, medicine, and more across ten countries.

Beyond our schools, Rafiki operates teacher training colleges. We anticipate accrediting six Rafiki Institute of Classical Education (RICE) Programs as degree-granting institutions in the coming year. RICE Programs not only produce skilled teachers who go to work in schools, but also disciples equipped in theology, church history, and core subjects.

We eagerly anticipate what God will accomplish through Rafiki in Africa and beyond in the years ahead. Thank you for joining us in celebrating God's ongoing work through the Rafiki Foundation.

What are our goals to disciple the next generation of the world?

Pray with us for:

- 1000 schools in Africa using Rafiki's Bible Study (RBS) and classical Christian curriculum by 2035
- 50,000 churches in Africa using the Rafiki Bible Study by 2026
- 100,000 more pastors and seminary students with Study Bibles
- 40 more missionaries in the next two years to serve at our Rafiki Villages
- God to provide more funds in 2024 than ever in Rafiki's history

Karen J. Elliott
Rafiki Foundation Executive Director



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THE RBS
WEBSITE



LETTER FROM ROSEMARY

Dear friends,

Being retired has some definite advantages. It has given me the time and the joy of being on the board of the Rafiki Classical Academy (RCA). This little school located on the grounds of the Rafiki Home Office has been going only one year but has already proved itself popular because it uses the Rafiki curriculum. For the coming school year we will have preschool through fifth grade. The school will be used for training teachers in Christian classical education. Some of these teachers will be sent to Africa as Rafiki missionaries and some will help schools in the USA become classical.

We all know that the best education that can be provided for children today is Christian classical education. Rafiki has produced the best curriculum in the world and we trust that the RCA will produce the best teachers along with giving the children a stellar education.

God has given me the privilege of being a part of RCA and I am extremely grateful.

In Christ's love,

Rosemary Jensen

Rosemary Jensen
Rafiki Foundation Founder



EQUIPPING THE AFRICAN CHURCH

BIBLE DISTRIBUTION TO OUR CHURCH PARTNERS

Excitement coursed through the pastors as they waited in eager anticipation to receive their gifts. Hundreds of empty boxes indicated the vast amount of resources they gathered to welcome and produced tremendous joy in their celebration.

The distribution of the gifts commenced, and soon 4000 pastors from the Church of Uganda held in their hands a most precious gift—the Bible.

Early in 2023, members of the Home Office loaded a 40-foot container with boxes containing 4000 *Reformation Study Bibles*. These Bibles, provided by Ligonier Ministries, crossed the seas and arrived in Uganda for a summer Bible distribution. Word spread throughout the Church of Uganda, and many traveled to join in the celebration. The distribution took place on a soccer pitch, the only available location that accommodated the 1700 attendees. Among this number stood Archbishop Stephen Kaziimba who joined three members of Rafiki in delivering Bibles into the hands of pastors.

For most of these individuals, this experience was new. To have access to, much less own, a study Bible is rare among African pastors. A study Bible in Africa can cost up to a month's salary for a pastor in rural Africa.

A similar distribution occurred in Nigeria earlier this year. The Lord provided 2000 study Bibles, a means to ship them, and individuals to deliver them to members of ECWA (Evangelical Churches Winning All). The recipients of these Bibles were indigenous missionaries from ECWA's mission organization, the Evangelical Missionary Society. They serve in 19 countries, reaching the unreached throughout West Africa and beyond. Upon receiving the Bibles, the missionaries broke out singing, "What shall we say unto the Lord? We can only say to him we're grateful."

These Bible distributions and others like them equip our African church partners to steward the Word of God and its right teaching to his people.



Archbishop Stephen Kaziimba handing out *Reformation Study Bibles* to Church of Uganda pastors.



Executive Director Karen Elliott handing out *Reformation Study Bibles* to Evangelical Missionary Society missionaries.



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RECEIVING BIBLES BY
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BIBLE STUDIES FOR THE HOME, SCHOOL, AND CHURCH

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND SMALL GROUPS

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. Sunday school lessons available for 12 books. Lead your own group, acquire lessons for your Sunday school class, or teach your children or grandchildren God's Word using the RBS! In addition to Bible study material you may also purchase commentaries to complement your study from Rafiki at special rates.



VIEW
THE RBS
WEBSITE

SCHOOLS AND HOME SCHOOL

One of Rafiki's 2024 goals is to have 100 schools in the USA using Rafiki's materials. Imagine children in 100 schools beginning their day studying God's Word! The RBS for schools is designed so all age groups study the same passage of Scripture each day. From preschool to grade 12, each student learns deep biblical truths and the glory of God at an age-appropriate level. The teachers even have their own study!

At the end of each week, students receive Home Devotion Pages that summarize the week's Bible lesson. Many students share these pages with their families, spreading the truth of God's Word as their loved ones study together. A hymn is included with each Home Devotion Page so that children and their families can not only learn about God but praise him in song. What a difference the RBS could make for schools as it grounds students on the Bible, shapes their worldview, and teaches them to worship God with wonder and awe!



Senior secondary school students start their day with Bible study, Rafiki Village Ethiopia.

RAISING GODLY CONTRIBUTORS

ORPHAN CARE PROGRAM

For over 20 years, Rafiki's ten Orphan Care Programs have been dedicated to the promotion of the spiritual and emotional wellbeing of our children and to cultivating a family environment in which each child could have the opportunity to follow God's plan and purpose for his or her life. We have had the privilege of touching the lives of 907 children. So far, 334 have finished high school, and 302 have been granted a Rafiki Scholarship to pursue further education and training. They are studying a wide-range of fields such as civil engineering, accounting, sociology, education, medicine and surgery, architecture, nursing, cooking, law, youth ministry, forestry, and much more.

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Ninety-three have completed their tertiary education, and 81 are employed and supporting themselves. We are happy that more than 10% have

become teachers, passing on the excellent education they received to future generations. Some have gotten married and begun families of their own.

One of our young men in Ghana who came to Rafiki when he was five-years old, is now twenty-seven and has been teaching at the Rafiki School for several years. He received a Rafiki Scholarship to pursue a diploma program (similar to an associate's degree) and is now working on a bachelor's degree. He recently requested his former Rafiki Mother to accompany him when he went to speak to his girlfriend's mother to inquire about marriage. He is now engaged to a lovely Christian young woman.



Former resident teaching PE, Rafiki Village Ghana

TRAINING TEACHERS, MAKING DISCIPLES

TEACHERS COLLEGE

Rafiki's RICE (Rafiki Institute of Classical Education) Programs train Africans to teach classically. Once trained these teachers serve in Rafiki Schools or in schools that adopt our education system. We offer this training through several modalities.

Two- or three-year diploma (associate's degree) programs are offered in Kenya, Liberia, Nigeria, Uganda, and Zambia. In several countries—Liberia, Malawi, Nigeria, Zambia, and Uganda—we are partnering either with local universities or the National Council for Higher Education to offer degree programs (four-year bachelor's degrees).

The Post Graduate Studies Program allows already credentialed teachers to attend and learn about classical education. This one-year work-study program in Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Rwanda, and Tanzania provides hands-on training through working in the Rafiki School.

ELIJAH FELT HE HAD A SECOND CHANCE TO FULFILL HIS DREAM OF BEING A TEACHER!

but struggled to fund his tuition. He encountered a Rafiki teacher who told him about the tuition-free RICE Program. Elijah felt like he had a second chance to fulfill his dream of being a teacher! But what really caught his attention was the classical Christian view of education. He had never heard of anything like it. Elijah enrolled in RICE and is now thrilled to learn not only teaching but to be drawn to the source of all truth—God. He shares the truth that he is learning in RICE by teaching at one of Rafiki's outreach schools in Nairobi. Elijah is making disciples as Jesus commands.

Elijah Mugo is one of many individuals who benefited from the RICE Program at Rafiki Village Kenya. Elijah desired to pursue a teaching degree



Recent RICE graduate teaching at a partner school in Tanzania.

ENRICHING AND EQUIPPING LIVES

RAFIKI SCHOOL PROGRAM

Students are enriched and equipped in our schools with opportunities to serve, compete, and consider their callings. The junior high students in Ghana volunteered at a school for special needs children and carried out a Socratic dialogue on their experience when they returned home. In Uganda, students participated in a national chess tournament and students in Tanzania went up against another local school in a math and debate competition. Career days have been held at several Rafiki schools with a variety of professionals visiting to tell students about their jobs and how they got into their fields.

SOCRATIC DIALOGUE AND MORE

Opportunities for equipping and enrichment also extend to our teachers. Last October at the New Old Way Conferences (Rafiki's classical Christian education conferences) in Uganda and Kenya, representatives from every Rafiki School attended and all schools have seen great fruit from this experience. A head teacher in Nigeria found the session on Socratic discussion so transformative that he developed his own presentation on the topic and shared it with schools in Nigeria who are adopting the Rafiki Curriculum. Head teachers in Ghana shared with faculty about their deepened understanding of the liberal arts, how anthropology impacts curriculum and methodology, and developing the virtue of our students. These conferences continue to bear fruit in our national staff, and we are confident that attendees from other schools were equally impacted.

Another New Old Way Conference will be held in October in Nigeria.



Rafiki has held three New Old Way Conferences. Pictured are the attendees in Uganda

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FROM DESTITUTE TO DOCTOR

When Naomie's mother became ill and died, a family friend took in the young girl. The friend cared diligently and lovingly for Naomie, but after a time, she could no longer provide for the needs of the growing child. Social welfare investigated the situation, and Naomie was soon approved to move to her new home—the Rafiki Village Rwanda.



Six-year-old Naomie quickly fell in love with her Rafiki family and especially cherished their family devotions. She delighted in reading and memorizing God's Word and prayed faithfully for each member of her Rafiki family and the Village staff. As Naomie grew, she displayed the qualities of a natural leader, gently guiding and caring for the younger children in the Village. She observed her Rafiki Mother and other staff as they worked and played with the children and sought to emulate their actions.

Naomie developed a child-like wonder for God and came to saving faith, just as the missionaries and staff prayed she would. Her love for her Savior continued to grow throughout her time at the Rafiki Village.

In 2023 the Village celebrated Naomie and her classmates as the first graduating class. Due to her hard work and godly character, she qualified for a Rafiki scholarship. Unfazed by the competitive acceptance process, Naomie

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applied to the University of Global Health Equity. She was delighted to receive an invitation to an interview! After two interviews, the school accepted Naomie into the program to pursue a bachelor's degree in medicine. Of the many students who applied across the continent of Africa, only 60 were chosen. In addition to being accepted, Naomie received a full scholarship from the university that covers tuition and living expenses as she pursues her desire to become a surgeon.

As she waited a year for her studies to begin, Naomie made the most of her time serving as an administrative assistant at the Rafiki School. She commenced her bachelor's degree in June 2024. The program requires seven years of school and five years of medical service in Rwanda. Once Naomie completes this time, she can practice medicine where ever she desires.

The light of Christ shines through Naomie as she sets a beautiful example in academics, friendship, teamwork, faith, and perseverance. The Lord has used her in many ways, and we know he will continue to do so!



Scan the QR code to hear Naomie in her own words.



Sponsor a child and help raise up more Naomies through Rafiki's child sponsorship program. Refer to our website for more information by scanning the QR code or email us at Rafiki@RafikiFoundation.org.

OF IMPACT



IMPACTING ONE LIFE TO IMPACT A NATION

In a remote village in Moshi, Masama English Medium Pre and Primary School, a small school on the outskirts of Mount Kilimanjaro, is in session. Their first subject of the day: Bible.

In 2013, Headmistress Aneth Swai attended the Rafiki Institute of Classical Education (RICE) in Tanzania for six months. While there, she received instruction on studying and teaching the Word of God, learning more deeply the truths of the Bible and how to be a biblically based educator.

After her time at RICE, Aneth began work at a school, introducing the Rafiki Bible Study (RBS) and sharing the wisdom she received in RICE.

“The eagerness of learning [God’s Word] increased much when I was in the RICE Program. I was overwhelmed and I started to feel like others also would like to know about God and his love. Since I am an educator, I felt like the best place to start was in school with my students.”

PARENTS FROM
DIFFERENT REGIONS
ARE REQUESTING FOR
ADMISSION TO BRING
THEIR CHILDREN TO
THIS PARTNER SCHOOL

Students travel to this school from as far as Dar es Salaam and Tanga, a full day’s journey by car, to receive an education that teaches God’s truth.

“My school was the second school to teach RBS after Rafiki Foundation School, so many parents appreciated the way their children are transformed much in knowing God personally and behaving well at home. Parents started to share this news with others in their normal conversation. The other parents started to be curious about our school and how we teach RBS. The nearby parents also travel into different regions... During their travel, they share with other people in their

conversation about their children and the school they are attending. Then the news about our school started to spread like a wildfire. From there, parents from different regions are requesting for admission to bring their children to our school... Students who are graduating from our school from those regions are used to inspire others through their good behavior and knowledge about God to come and join us.

There are great changes in our students’ lives. First, the habit of reading the Word of God is well grounded in their hearts and mind. They are enjoying learning about God and his love toward his people. Everyday they are reading [the] Bible, and it is the part of their life now.

Second, the Word of God impacted their behavior very much. The way they are treating each other with love, care, gentleness, the way they are respecting their teachers, parents, and other adults—it is the impact of learning about God.

Third, they teach other family members and siblings about God through Scripture, and to teach them how to pray... The kind of life they are living at home is also imitated by other children at home and in the neighborhood.”

This is one of the many ways God allows the Rafiki Foundation to serve—by sharing the truth of God and ensuring schools have access to his Word and to resources like the Rafiki Bible Study. By God’s grace, they can dive deeper into his Word and cultivate a greater love for the Lord our God.



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TO SEE ANETH AND
HER SCHOOL

CARING FOR WOMEN IN NEED

WIDOWS PROGRAM

We are grateful to the Lord this year as he enabled us to ship a container of widows products from Kenya and Uganda to America. Items such as soapstone animals, beaded baskets, loom-woven shawls and placemats, carved gourds, Christmas ornaments, and lots of necklaces and earrings filled the container from top to bottom. The widows worked diligently for six months making crafts to fulfill the large orders. Not only do they benefit financially from the orders, but they also receive the Rafiki Bible Study. Another container is currently on the high seas filled with baskets from Rwanda! Pray these products arrive before Christmas. And then make sure to check out the website to purchase one—<https://store.RafikiFoundation.org/>.

ROBUST SALES IN 2023

2023 was our second best year in sales since Rafiki started the Widows Program. Thank you! We'd love to have even more sales in 2024. As we approach the Christmas shopping season, consider visiting the Exchange website at <https://store.RafikiFoundation.org>. Not only will you provide a loved-one a one-of-a kind gift, you'll be helping an African widow support her family and participate in the Rafiki Bible Study.

CONSIDER HOSTING A CHRISTMAS MARKET

Last Christmas season we had ten churches around the country sell widows products at their church's Christmas markets or bazaars. If your church or ladies group has an event like this, consider representing Rafiki and selling products. Rafiki will send you everything you need. Contact the Rafiki Home Office at RafikiW@RafikiFoundation.org for more information.



Basket weavers in Rwanda have been busily weaving to fill a container.

BEAUTIFYING OF THE HOME OFFICE

Over the past year, the Rafiki Home Office has been graced with numerous helping hands dedicated to enhancing the campus' beauty and furthering the work God has given us. We are thankful for our faithful volunteers who help us complete this work. In the past year, we welcomed 54 volunteers who served a total of 2950 hours.

Every week, men and women from Bible study and church groups, social and homeschool groups, or children from schools arrive at the Home Office to volunteer. Conversation and laughter fill the air as they share in sweet fellowship. We are so blessed by the volunteers who work alongside us and perform tasks such as tagging products, organizing books, serving in the press and warehouse, and preparing and serving food for events. The Rafiki Store in Mount Dora is operated entirely by volunteers as well.

The addition of new sidewalks and vibrant flower beds has transformed the grounds into a picturesque haven. With the help of our volunteers, these improvements reflect the good, true, and beautiful values we cherish at Rafiki. While we are blessed by the surrounding natural beauty, we have also diligently trimmed back bushes and trees encroaching on the road looping the Home Office, ensuring a harmonious balance between nature and our cultivated space. Maintenance volunteers serve diligently and joyfully as they paint, construct, weed, plant, and perform minor repairs around the campus.

As you can see, there are lots of opportunities to get involved. Contact the Home Office at 352-483-9131 or Rafiki@RafikiFoundation.org to find out how you can volunteer.



Each year we celebrate and say thank you to our volunteers at the Volunteer Lunch.

MAKING DISCIPLES IN THE USA

RAFIKI CLASSICAL ACADEMY

"To God be the glory! Great things he has done!" resounded through Rafiki Classical Academy (RCA) on May 31, 2024. Students, teachers, parents, Rafiki Home Office Staff, and community supporters gathered to praise God for the successful completion of the Academy's inaugural year. From September 2023 through May 2024, kindergarten through third grade students received a classical Christian education at the Rafiki Home Office, where RCA leases classroom space. Through the Rafiki Curriculum and Rafiki Bible Study, RCA students grew in knowledge of God's Word and world, honed skills they will use for the rest of their lives, and developed wisdom and virtue. To God be the glory, indeed!

What's next for Rafiki Classical Academy? Growth! The local community is taking note of the great things God is doing at RCA and there has been a steady stream of new student applicants. For the 2024/2025 academic year, the Academy's enrollment is increasing from 18 to 55 students, the teaching faculty is tripling in size, and pre-kindergarten, fourth, and fifth grade classes are being added. The Academy's facilities are expanding, too. Rafiki Classical Academy is grateful to be leasing an additional building at the Rafiki Home Office while RCA awaits modulars. The modulars will provide further space for the Academy's continued anticipated growth while funds are raised to build a PreK-12th grade school next door to the Rafiki Home Office. Not only is Rafiki Classical Academy growing but it is replicating by helping a local churches start classical Christian schools through providing training and the Rafiki Curriculum. To God be the glory!



RCA students intently watching ants at work.

EQUIPPING CHURCH PARTNERS TO MAKE DISCIPLES

OUTREACH PROGRAM IN AFRICA

The Outreach Program operates in all ten Rafiki countries, with 63 schools in seven countries serving more than 4500 children. Rafiki supplies these schools and children with the Rafiki Education System which includes classical Christian curriculum, daily Bible study, and Bibles for all students who are able to read. Rafiki also assists in outfitting the libraries in each school. We continue to have enquiries about adding schools to this number.

Last year, we hosted Rafiki Classical Conferences in Uganda and Kenya. Displayed Rafiki Bible Studies and school curriculum brought much interest and many excellent questions. We eagerly anticipate our 2024 Classical Conference in Nigeria where we will continue to spread classical Christian education and Bible study internationally.

Our church partner in Tanzania has recently introduced the RBS into 22 of its schools. This Bible study is conducted in every classroom every day of the week by local teachers who have been trained at the Rafiki Village in Moshi. The book-by-book study covers every book of the Bible and includes Bible readings, group study questions, memory verses, catechism, and hymns.

A team from the Rafiki Home Office recently visited the Masama Primary School in Tanzania and were treated to a recitation of memory verses as well as a song from the *Rafiki Hymnal*. Students proudly displayed their new Bibles which were given to them by Rafiki and Crossway Publishing. See Stories of Impact for more information.



Students from the Africa Inland Mission Pipeline School receive Bibles, Nairobi, Kenya.

THANKING GOD FOR HIS ABUNDANT GRACE

2023 ANSWERED PRAYERS

This past year, 2023, was another year of growth all due to God's abundant grace.

- exceeded our spring giving appeal
- distributed 100,000 Bibles in Nigeria, Kenya, and Ethiopia
- received a container full of nearly 10,000 widows products from Kenya and Uganda
- celebrated our second highest earning year for widows product sales
- provided scholarships to 183 orphans (107 pursuing bachelor's degrees) in tertiary education
- conducted two classical Christian conferences in

Africa impacting over 750 educators

- launched the Rafiki Classical Academy in Florida
- distributed 13,235 sets of Sunday school studies to African church partners
- RICE graduates are in demand in Outreach schools eager to implement the Rafiki Educational System well
- 63 Outreach schools across our ten countries are using Rafiki's school curriculum
- six teachers colleges (RICE) advanced toward accreditation



Day students in front of their home with their mother, Rafiki Village Zambia.



The Rafiki school curriculum encourages students to read a variety of books, Rafiki Village Liberia.

READING LIST

Humble Heroes by Rosemary Jensen

Praying the Attributes of God by Rosemary Jensen

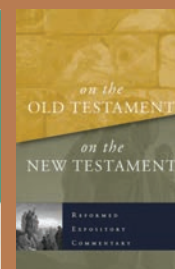
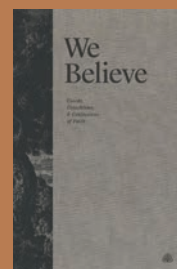
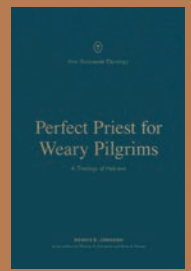
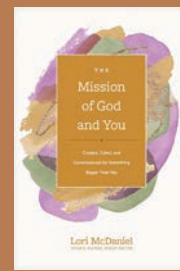
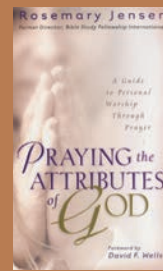
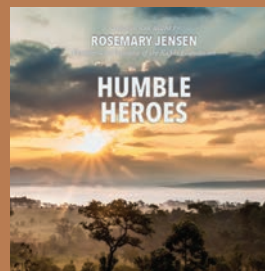
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Perfect Priest for Weary Pilgrims: A Theology of Hebrews by Dennis E. Johnson

We Believe: Creeds, Catechisms, and Confessions of Faith by Ligonier Ministries

Unity: Striving Side by Side for the Gospel by Conrad Mbewe

Reformed Expository Commentaries edited by Richard Philips and Philip Ryken



TRANSFORM LIVES FOR YEARS TO COME

CREATE A LEGACY

Consider making Rafiki Foundation part of your legacy by including Rafiki in your will. For more information about ways you can increase the impact of your generosity, please email Rafiki@RafikiFoundation.org or call us at (352) 483-9131.

RAFIKI CAN NOW PROCESS NON-CASH GIFTS SUCH AS REAL ESTATE

The Rafiki Foundation collaborates with the Barnabas Foundation to accommodate planned or unique giving such as real estate or other non-cash gifts. The Barnabas Foundation is a gospel-centered organization dedicated to helping people steward their possessions in a God-honoring and mission-minded way.

With wise planning, you may:

- increase the size of your estate.
- reduce the tax burden on your heirs.

With gifts like these, you may not only reduce your own taxes but also support Rafiki's mission to spread God's Word throughout the world!



To learn more about non-cash donations, enjoy free seminars from the Barnabas Foundation: www.BarnabasFoundation.com/Interactive/.

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 in Africa. The cost to support a child for a year is \$1200 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 20 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 four to 32 weeks, beginner to advanced and are for men's, women's, couple's, 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 TO:

- grant wisdom as we steward all the resources God has graciously given us.
- enable the distribution of every Bible, Bible study, Sunday school lesson, Home Devotion Page, and school curriculum to bear much fruit.
- grow Rafiki to 70 missionaries on the field by December 2025.
- open doors for full intakes and accreditation for all our teachers colleges by June 2025.
- draw all resident children and day students to himself early and establish them as godly contributors.
- allow 120 African schools to use our Bible study and curriculum by June 2025.
- awaken the church around the world.

- accelerate the classical Christian movement in Nigeria through the classical Christian conference being held in October 2024.



Post Graduate Studies students take weekly quizzes to hone their math skills, Rafiki Village Tanzania.



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RAFIKI

BY THE NUMBERS A SUMMARY OF 2023

39 YEARS
SERVING IN AFRICA



3629
STUDENTS IN
RAFIKI SCHOOLS



166
STUDENTS ENROLLED
IN RICE



614
ORPHANS
RAFIKI
SUPPORTS



20 CONTAINERS
SET SAIL TO
AFRICA FILLED WITH
SUPPLIES, BIBLES, AND
SCHOOL CURRICULUM



671
RAFIKI BIBLE
STUDY SETS
SOLD IN USA



100,000
BIBLES GIVEN AWAY
IN NIGERIA, KENYA,
AND ETHIOPIA



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AFRICAN
NATIONALS WORK
AT VILLAGES



15%
SALES INCREASE
IN THE WIDOWS
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