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Dear Les and everyone in DCI,

Christian greetings and love in the name of our Lord Jesus. How are the DCI family doing, please extend my regards to everyone in Jesus' name.

I always give thanks to our Lord who joined our hearts in His service since 1996 when you found me deep down the road of despair. One thing that cannot disappear from my memory is your love and care since then up to now. I am writing with a lot of happiness and joy for I have experienced the hand of God through your labour which has helped me and made me what I am today, I give thanks for your kindness towards the poor in Uganda.

Now I know the journey has been long and in the process many things have happened,. I have stumbled a lot but thanks for the mercies that you have ever shown to me. The journey has still a long way to go to reach the destination prepared for me by God. I know the pain that you have had due to my failures and weaknesses but I also know the kind of heart God gave you as a father for such people like me. So I do ever ask for your forgiveness and grace as we try to push on, always onwards provided it is forward.

Out of our partnership God has helped us to help many poor people in northern Uganda. I am happy to report to you that no seed that you ever sowed through me has fell on the rock or among the thorns but on good soil and they have produced hundred fold. All who have benefited from the gifts sent through DCI has never lived the same lifestyle. Even those in Pader who received only chickens say they have pushed aside poverty from their families. Some of the children who were not able to go to school then are now in secondary school out of the income from the chickens that we gave their parents. That chicken project has even opened six Churches for the Poor in Adwari.

In Loro most of the orphans to whom we gave goats have now grown up to be responsible men and women who are serving God. Last month when I went to bury their pastor who died at the age of 89 years, I met with most of these orphans. Some have already married wives from the income from the goats that we gave them, but above all most of them are serving in the in the church. I was so much encouraged.

Actually most of seeds of kindness that was sown by you people were not wasted. I happened to visit Aduku Banking for the Poor at the end of last month and we had a great meeting on Sunday at the Church nearby. Some people were still able to testify about what God did through Banking for the Poor. A widow showed me a house that she built from her business of selling second hand clothes from the loan that was given to her. She was so much happy and

grateful to you people. She was still able to remember the names of the two girls who visited them with you, Deborah and Elisabeth. The project is still ongoing and I will send the details of the beneficiaries now soon.

Banking for the Poor is so much effective still although there is need for more capital since more members have now registered. In Barlonyo the people have multiplied the pigs and goats and have constructed a grass thatch church building where they pray on Sundays. Their numbers is increasing as they extend their hands of kindness to the neighbouring Churches of the Poor in Aromo.

In Pader the oxen and ploughs that we gave to leaders there is helping them a lot. These leaders can now support their families and serve God happily and then there are the farms started by your Jonathan in Pader and my own George's farm. It is wonderful that you connected me to such a man who has a heart for the poor people. He is still encouraging me to go forward with the ministry.

The motor cycle that we bought for the leaders in Apac is still in good condition, even my car is still running on well and helping in the ministry. We are still training the poor ladies in Lira, this month we have 34 training in tailoring on your sewing machines. We have never cease to help these poor ladies who were rescued from catching HIV-AIDS through having to fall into prostitution.

The Churches for the poor are still growing in numbers and we are trying to develop and grow them spiritually. My family is still pushing on well with the help your have given me through the construction of a guest house and we are able to get our daily bread and live in Uganda at such a difficult time like this through the rent from the guest house.

I can write and write but let me stop here for now since I cannot tell all that you have helped us do in the Kingdom. We are grateful to God and to you and we send our greetings and love to all our supporters in DCI.

*George.*