

From Joe &amp; Elfi Mutuuki

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## Sugarcane juice business and much more!

Dear friends,

It is now about 25 years ago through our church outreach we met **Rekah** who grew up in a Hindu family and became a believer. She owned a thriving business outside our capital city Nairobi. She was hard working even though handicapped on one leg because of contracting polio when she was young. Rekah lost both parents who willed the business to her. She lived and worked where her business was and supported her brother who was sickly and later died. Rekah had several servants working for her for many years in her successful business. After her only brother who lived with her passed away, she sold her business and moved to Nairobi and continued coming to our Church fellowship, first in our house when it started and then later in the school we met before the Covid outbreak. Rekah, unfortunately suffered a stroke that left her now paralyzed on the right side and permanently confined to a wheel chair.



Rekah with us at church.

**Risper**, who is Rekah's house help worker now lost her husband who initially worked for Rekah through a heart attack. She is now not only the nurse, cook and care giver to Rekah but does everything for her. Rekah has been unable to support Risper with her two children for the past 7 years and our church has

tried to support her financially but not enough. Because of Rekah's business acumen, she came up with a brilliant idea and encouraged her househelp to earn a living for both and be able to support her children, also.

We are thankful to God that the church was able to give a small capital to

Risper the househelp to buy a sugar cane juice maker and a small generator. Risper has been able to support herself while taking care of Rekah and at the same time support her children. Risper told Elfi and I in our recent visit to the house that she now will not sleep hungry. We were so overjoyed to hear that story. Rekah cried as she was overcome with emotions just like us and the only way she expresses that joy was to cry.

We thank you so much for standing with us in prayer, financial support and encouragement.

Wishing you all a happy and blessed thanksgiving,

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Risper making juice.