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Saturday morning we left early for Kyamagemule and had an uneventful trip except for muddy roads. It has rained every day I have been in Uganda. At night it has actually been cold. You see Ugandan's dressed like they are in Alaska.

Saturday afternoon we spent in a teaching seminar and then an open air crusade in the evening at a small trading center down the road.

Sunday, George Yawe and I traveled to the church at Nyanzi where I taught Sunday School and preached. A photo of the folks is below.

Someone brought a male goat for their tithe (some other such items were also given) and after the service, there is an auction for the items which converts them to cash for the offering basket. No one wanted to buy the male goat (females produce babies and milk). I ended up buying it for 100,000 Shillings (\$27) and gave it to the gentleman in the photo who promised to find it a mate and then he would bring the offspring for an offering.

Sunday afternoon we returned to Kyamagmule and another open air crusade.

Monday morning I received the good news that the wife of one pastor I work with (Emmanuel Agaba) had given birth to their fifth child. That was followed by the sad news that the brother of my favorite driver (Kamanda) had been killed in some kind of an accident. I sent a few shillings to help with the burial expense.

The rest of Monday was spent with the teaching seminar and then another open air crusade in the evening.

Tuesday morning I awoke to the very sad news that the Agaba baby had died during the night. Again, I sent some shillings to help with the burial.

We then continued the teaching seminar and concluded the fourth open air with a total of 19 responding during the four nights.

At the crusades there is much singing and dancing to attract a crowd. Then I preach. Many American teams bring keyboards with preset rhythms and tunes to Ugandan churches. At one point on Tuesday night, they were playing part of a Beatles tune from the 60s. Cannot think of the name, but it was playing. I was very thankful to be serve a sovereign God. We have also been showing the Jesus film and one photo below is of part of the group watching it. Probably the first movie some of these folks have ever seen.

This afternoon I returned to the ACTI guest house. I have some folks coming to see me Thursday and Friday, and then Saturday I will return to Kiroba with Emma Agaba. He told me today a van load of folks from the church had come to comfort them. I was please to hear this as it shows the love the folks there have for Emma's ministry. It is about a four hour trip.

Please pray for the Agaba's (her name is Helen) and the ministry this Saturday, Sunday and Monday morning.

Also, George Yawe told me there will be a Ladies Conference at Kyamagemule starting next Tuesday. I has been organized by some of the ladies of Zanna Church that is here on Entebbe Road.

