

# HighWay Ministries+ + International

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## A Beautiful Story

As I sit down to write to you all, my thoughts are filled with the beauty and wonder of the call that is on the Body of Christ. The Story of Humanity was interrupted by the most generous gift of the Life, Death and Resurrection of our Savior, Jesus Christ. The Redemptive Story has brought so much to each of our lives! By hearing the Good News of the Gospel, and excepting His sacrifice on our behalf, it has brought freedom where there was no hope, peace in the midst of a storm, healing to a broken heart and abundant life where death once reigned! As we allow our stories to flow into one, a message is created that

is no longer just the "Crowders' Story". There are others who now embrace the vision God has for this Church and consistently live it out in their daily lives! We are excited to see people being healed from past hurts and discovering how to live! They are learning more about a God who deeply loves them, and they are seeing the desire to share this love grow within them. Isaiah 50:4 says, "The Lord GOD hath given me the tongue of the learned, that I should know how to speak a word in season to him that is weary". This scripture has taken on new meaning for me in this season of life that we are in. Planting a church in a City that doesn't think they need or want you, can bring discouragement to the leadership that is chosen for this task. In the moments that we find ourselves weary, we choose to rely on the Holy Spirit. He speaks a Word through us that brings strength and courage to finish strong! Remember: bring your own Story of Redemption to those hurting around you and see God's Kingdom established in the earth!

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speaks to every heart; the Compassion of a Loving God. It is this story that we are commissioned by God to take to every tribe and every tongue. What an honor it is when God uses the gifts that He placed within us to share His story with a broken world! As High Way Community approaches it's 16th month, we are in awe of all that God is doing. God truly loves Boulder and wants the people in this city brought back to Himself. The last few months have been a growing time within our Church family as we have been pushed past what we thought we could handle. It is forcing us to deal with issues that could hinder us from fulfilling the assignment that God has placed on our lives individually, as well as collectively. As we grow as a Church, the story of High Way constantly expands. It



ARC Conference in Clayton, NC

Celebrating 11 years @ Ocean Isle Beach

Psalm 119:32 "I run in the path of Your commands,  
for you have set my heart free."



Memorial Day 10 K Race

## Family Life in Colorado

### Crowder Family Update

What a busy time the we have had over the last few months! Since our last News Letter, Steve and I have hosted several groups of friends and family as they have come to visit us in Colorado, our boys finished First and Third grade (so proud of them) and we have traveled to North Carolina for an ARC Conference, as well as, Texas and Arkansas for our HWMI Receptions! It was so wonderful to have the opportunity to hug those who have been praying and supporting us on our mission to reach Boulder, Colorado. If you were not able to come we deeply missed you! Our desire is to see you as often as we can. We considered it an honor to have the chance to thank some of you in person for all that you do to help make this Vision become a reality! As summer is quickly coming to a close, there is so much ahead of us! Lance is looking forward to his 10th Birthday and both of the boys are ready for the soccer season to begin. I thought that Amber would want to play soccer as well, but when I talked to her about it she said "Mommy, I don't want to play soccer, I want to dance!" So, I am currently trying to find dance lessons for our little princess. This year, not only are the boys going to be in Fourth and Second Grade, but Amber will be starting Kindergarten. It is hard for me to believe how fast they are growing up, and we are trying our best to enjoy every moment of it. Our children are amazing beyond words! They love their parents, they love each other, but most of all, they love the House of God. I am honored to get to share this life with Steve and our beautiful children!

### Provision for the Needy

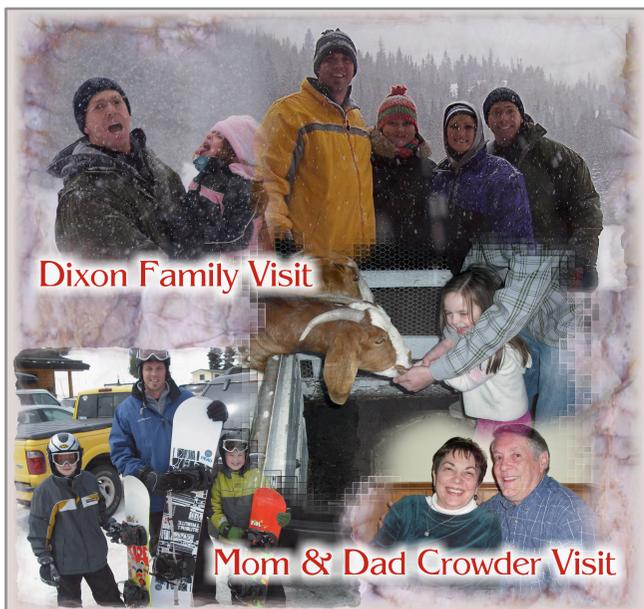
A few months ago, Steve and I began a relationship with one of our Brothers in Uganda. Ivan Kusasir, is the Director of an orphanage there and loves his kids dearly! This past Easter, his desire was to give the kids a feast to celebrate Resurrection Sunday. We really felt like HWMI was suppose to be a part of this, so we sent him the money that would cover the costs. Below is a picture from their picnic.



HWC celebrated 1 Year in March

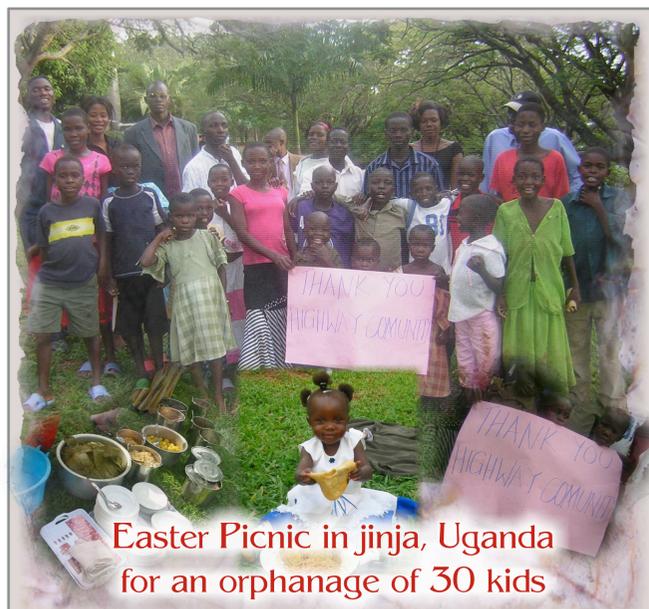
### High Way Hosts Mission Team

High Way Community is excited to host our first Mission Team this August 3rd - 10th! A Youth Group of 13, coming up from Texarkana, will be staying at the Crowders' house. We have a number of projects lined up for them to do that will bless the city of Boulder. We believe that this will be a moment that God will use to unify them as a group, as well as, expand their love for other people. Thank you for your prayers for this Youth Group and their leaders!



Dixon Family Visit

Mom & Dad Crowder Visit



Easter Picnic in Jinja, Uganda  
for an orphanage of 30 kids