

# ESTHER NABULYA

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My name is Esther Nabulya and I was born on May 15, 1985. My dad died when I was still a young child at the age of 4 years, so even finishing high school was a challenge. I would often be the last to pay my fees. They would send me back home because mum couldn't give me the full amount to pay at once. But by faith and God's mercy I was able to finish high school.

After high school I wanted to continue my studies but my mum didn't have any money. I have an uncle so I went and told him about it, and he promised to pay my fees. I was so happy and went ahead to apply. God was so faithful and I was admitted in a degree program in counseling and guidance. I started school and I had friends who helped me with accommodation near the university. When the time came for me to pay the university dues I told my uncle, but he said he didn't have the money. So when the students started their exams I couldn't continue because I had not paid. I was discouraged and went back home but I decided to

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commit myself in church and serve God. That's where the American visitors we hosted found me.

In 2007 three people came from the USA and visited Uganda and our church, Jesus Power Church. The men of God were Pastor Doug, Todd Klipp, and Brother Dave. At that time I was working in the church's finance department and I was also a member of the worship team. I had finished high school but I was stranded because I had no money to join university. I had already missed a year because I was unable to afford university tuition.

Miraculously on the last day before they left to go back to the USA one of the visitors talked to me. It was a divine meeting. He asked me about myself and my studies. I told him everything and he decided to pay my tuition so I could back to school. It felt like a dream but it was reality. Sometime later he told me that he would not only pay for my tuition but he would care for me as his daughter. I was really so happy. I will not stop thanking God for that great miracle. I used to be so sad but now I am the happiest person and I am called Esther Klipp. I am now hopeful.

I am now doing a Diploma in Business Administration. I can become an accountant and work in an NGO. I am so happy about it. After I complete this course I am praying to God that I will be able to continue doing a Bachelors Degree. I am grateful to God and I thank the Lord very much for my dad. He doesn't pay only for my fees but he also pays for other church members and they are so happy. Here in Uganda many people desire to study but they don't have tuition or fees. May the living God bless Pastor Doug, my dad Todd Klipp, and other members of TCC that have stood with us so we can continue our studies.

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