

MiniMissions provide opportunities to put God's Word to work through short-term service in a Rafiki Village in Africa.

### **Who may serve?**

Rafiki MiniMissions are for adults (18 and older) who are Christians and want to volunteer at their own expense to serve children in Africa.

### **Where would you serve?**

Men and women are needed to assist the ROS (long-term missionaries) in a Rafiki Village in the ChildCare, Education, and Medical Programs and/or administration.

### **How can you go on a MiniMission with Rafiki?**

1. Write or call for an application and return the completed form to the Rafiki Home Office.
2. Attend MiniMissions training when invited.
3. Plan as directed by the Rafiki Home Office to go and have a life-changing experience.

### **What would you do?**

You will do whatever is necessary to assist the ROS. In the Education Program at our schools, you could be asked to do such things as help tutor a child or teach a class, encourage the students during skill training, and help on the playground.

In the ChildCare Program, you might provide an extra pair of hands at bedtime after reading an evening bed-time story, offer activities during free-time after school or during GAMES, provide adult presence in the dining room, etc.

### **GAMES**

Four times a year, during school holidays, Rafiki GAMES is conducted for the children residing at the Rafiki Village. During these two- or three-week periods, the children are able to participate in activities focusing on Games, Art, Music, Enrichment, and Sports. The purpose of GAMES is to provide organized and creative activities for the children living in our Villages while they are on break from school. These vacation schools are organized by the education director with short-term missionary teachers assisting.

### **Where would you stay?**

Each established Village has a guest house for MiniMissionaries to use while serving. If the Village is in the initial stage of construction, you would stay with one of the ROS or a pre-selected guest house.

### **What will the Rafiki Home Office do?**

After attending Missions' Training, the Home Office will work with you to choose the best assignment and timing for your MiniMission trip. The Home Office will obtain an airline itinerary for

you to review and approve. Approximately three months before the departure date, the Home Office will send you the application and requirements for obtaining a tourist visa for entry into the country. One month before departure the Home Office will obtain medical evacuation insurance to cover your trip. Prior to departure, you will be sent your tickets, passport with visa and other documents, and invoice for the cost of the trip.



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