Thank you for your interest in supporting one of the children in Treasures in Jars of Clay, our special needs program! This is the information we provide to potential sponsors, please read it to be sure you understand what this program involves.

Two goals of our sponsorship program are:

- To provide prayer support for each child
- To provide the Treasures program with the necessary finances to care for each child

As a sponsor of one of our Treasures children, you will be sent a photo and profile of your child to help you in praying for him or her. You will receive Easter and Christmas cards from your child, an email newsletter about your child three times a year, and the Treasures ministry newsletter.

Some of the special needs children who are part of our program live onsite at Hassan's House, where our staff care for them full-time. Others live with family members in the community and come in five days a week to the special needs class. The class provides life skills training, physiotherapy, and nutrition for the children.

Because of the higher medical costs for our special needs children, we need more than one monthly "full" sponsorship per child.

We also encourage Christmas and birthday gifts of $20 or £15 (this is just a suggestion) which will be used to meet any needs the child might have at home. Letters or small gifts may also be sent by regular mail to Uganda, and are always appreciated. We will provide you with the mailing address once we have assigned a child to you.

The special children we care for have all suffered because of their disability, rejection of such children being the norm in this culture. The children we assist mostly have a caring relative who has brought them to us; but other people, relatives, neighbors etc. are often not so caring. The Treasures staff are involved in home visitation and community work, training the guardians how to care for their special children.

Please feel free to contact us at sponsors@newhopeuganda.org for answers to any questions you have about this program!