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Transforming Ugandan Farmers

Getting Ready for Harvest: An update on TUF - Transforming Ugandan Farmer



LaSalle County, IL Farm Wife, Mother of two, and an Illinois Agri-Women Member has partnered with her husband, Joe, to serve in Uganda. They operate his fourth-generation family farm and have followed the calling to teach Ugandan farmers better agronomic practices. Their project TUF - Transforming Ugandan Farmers - is making a difference in helping farmers provide enough food and education for their families, the two most desired needs for rural Ugandan people.

We also have additional grain bins turned into great spaces for fun and outdoor activities. One grain bin is our grandkids playhouse with inside playground as well as a large outdoor sandbox under grain bin panels for the roof. We turned one grain bin into a bathroom for easy use outside and one contains our mower and work bench.

I hope you can join me for this tour of our yard that brings us so much joy!