



Name: BONGOMIN GEOFFREY

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## 1. Tell us a bit about yourself (doesn't need to be too personal)

I reside in Ngomoromo C, South cell, Gangdyang ward, Padibe Town Council, Lamwo District in Northern Uganda. I'm a teacher by profession and a practicing one, a peasant farmer and I keep animals too.

## 2. How has this reforestation project changed life in your community or for your family personally?

- -my family is enjoying the green beautiful cool environment and fresh air.
- -Because we're living in town, the community is very interested in planting trees in this coming season just because of what they have seen in my garden.





## 3. What does planting trees mean to you personally, beyond just the work?

- -As a town dweller, Planting trees helps to keep my home environment, green, cool and fresh air.
- -As a teacher, planting trees is part of living by example to my community since the whole world is fighting global warming. Also, our weather lately is very hot and dry compared to back in about 15 years.
- 4. Before the project started, what were some of the biggest challenges your community faced with the land or environment?

My community has been receiving very strong winds which some times destroys people's homes. Also extremely high temperatures running for more months compared to before then

5. What skills or opportunities have you gained from being part of this project?

I received tree seedlings and am grateful for the opportunity to be part of this community effort

6. If you could share one message with the supporters of this project, what would you like to say to them?

I thank the supporters for gifting me and my family over 1000 tree seedlings and we continue to pray for them and have more resources and be able to support the needy