## Friends New LGBT UGANDANS! Underground Railroad

Uganda's passage of the 2014 Anti-Homosexuality Act targeting the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) population has created a climate where the life, health, and freedom of all LGBT Ugandans and those who help them are at immediate risk.

Many individuals have been kicked out of their homes, universities and schools, jobs, denied shelter and healthcare, abandoned, beaten, imprisoned, and even killed.



## **PLEASE MAKE A DONATION!**

Continuing the legacy of Quaker social justice, the Olympia, Washington Monthly Friends (Quaker) Meeting has been called to create a "New Underground Railroad" to support Ugandans who are aiding LGBT Ugandan citizens who are fleeing their homeland for their lives.

We are honored to provide assistance to this New Underground Railroad, a project operated FOR and BY Africans.

To learn more and to make a tax deductible donation online, please see our website — or send checks made out to "Olympia Friends Meeting" with "Railroad" in the memo line to:

Olympia Friends Meeting 3201 Boston Harbor Rd. NE Olympia, WA 98506-2800

Please let us know you have sent a check so we can plan.

Contact Gabi Clayton and/or Talcott Broadhead, co-managers of the project at: gabiclayton@friendsnewundergroundrailroad.org and talcottbroadhead@friendsnewundergroundrailroad.org

Ugandan "conductors" have already successfully seen many LGBT people to safety. All "passengers" are delivered to a 2nd country "station" with a proven record of providing sensitive and competent social, emotional and legal support necessary for 3rd country resettlement of these LGBT people. To date, African conductors and their allies have successfully resettled individuals to Sweden, South Africa, the Netherlands, Norway, France, Ireland, Denmark and Germany.

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