



# Babies Born in Quarantine



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# Providing Hope During Quarantine

During this global pandemic, there are still stories of new life and hope. Meet some adorable babies who were born shortly before or during the COVID-19 pandemic.

While these newborns are blessings to their families, giving birth in quarantine comes with many challenges.

With limited access to health care and vital resources like food and clothing, having a baby can be a daunting experience for mothers living in poverty. With nationwide lockdowns and public transport bans in place, birth has become even more difficult

**Thankfully, their journey is easier** with love and support from our Survival Program. Through home-based activities, these families have access to healthcare, education and vital emotional support, which help to secure good health for their newborns — even in quarantine.

During the pandemic, Survival specialists are focusing on providing food, hygiene supplies, and rent support to help struggling parents who have lost their income. Psychosocial support provides mothers the encouragement they need to continue caring for their children and spouses.

**Your continued faithfulness to Survival** allows our frontline church partners to maintain support and provide hope for these young children and families during this time of global crisis!

## COVER: Baby Grace

Across the globe, babies like Grace are being born during a COVID-19 quarantine. Without income, their parents worry that they won't have the food or supplies needed to care for their babies. But thanks to Compassion's Survival program, Grace's mother Celine is receiving everything she needs to care for her daughter, including clothing, shoes, a mattress, a bathtub, food, milk, face masks and a mosquito net.

## Compassion Survival January - June 2020



More than 30,000  
moms and their  
babies enrolled



Nearly 5,000 babies  
born



94% of babies were  
born a healthy,  
normal weight



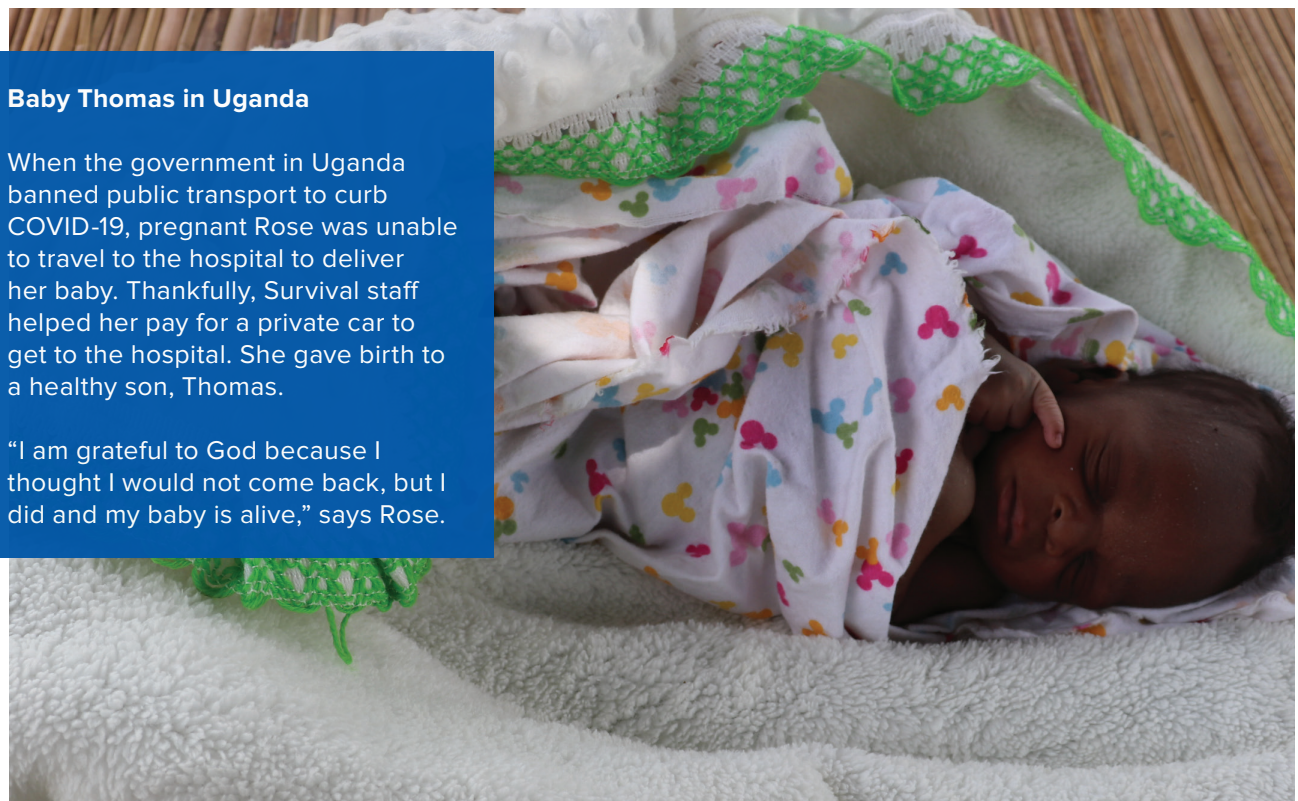
100% of mothers  
benefited from  
training provided by  
Survival Specialists





### Baby Miriam in Uganda

Listening to the latest COVID-19 news on her small radio, Leah was losing hope and feeling increasingly helpless. Due to quarantine restrictions, her family lost their livelihood. But because her daughter, Miriam, is registered in Compassion's Survival program, the family began receiving food packets which have sustained them. Leah also learned the importance of protecting her family through proper hygiene.



### Baby Thomas in Uganda

When the government in Uganda banned public transport to curb COVID-19, pregnant Rose was unable to travel to the hospital to deliver her baby. Thankfully, Survival staff helped her pay for a private car to get to the hospital. She gave birth to a healthy son, Thomas.

"I am grateful to God because I thought I would not come back, but I did and my baby is alive," says Rose.





## Help for Mothers and Babies



Christian Brothers Moving & Storage, with your support of the Survival center at Kutung Church of Uganda, more than 15 mothers and their babies each year benefit from life-saving care and encouragement. Under the best of circumstances, the aid of Survival staff is critical to the well-being of moms and babies that live in poverty. Currently, COVID-19 has placed an added burden on an already vulnerable population. But God and His people provide.

Bless you for prayerfully considering renewing your annual support of this center that delivers vital guidance and practical support to moms and babies:

- UG0821 at Kutung Church of Uganda

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