

BETTY OYELLA BIGOMBE

- Born in 1957.
- A Graduate of Makerere University and Harvard Institute for International Development.
- Was a Senior Social Scientists with Post Conflict unit of the World Bank.
- Consultant to the World Bank's Social Protection and Human Development Department.
- Recently elected woman Member of Parliament for Amuru District on 18th February 2011.
- She is credited for being intrepid in facing LRA and Joseph Kony during LRA Peace talks. Also being a bridge between the Uganda Government and LRA.
- She is also remembered for giving hope to the people who were living in Displacement camps. She displayed strong determination and unyielding presence in the face of danger; has been a sojourner of peace.
- Her effort for a peaceful Northern Uganda in particular and Uganda in general has not been in vain.
- Because of this effort, she is awarded the National Independence Medal.