



The Haiti World Herald

Let them give glory to the Lord and proclaim His praise in the Islands. Isaiah 42:14

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...but our eyes are on YOU

Dear Friends and Partners,



Greeting from Haiti. Last month, we took a few days rest and drove to the neighboring country of the Dominican Republic to stay with some friends. After crossing the boarder, the



Ovalle family took us to a national park where Joey and Cadmiel fed the Iguanas. (above) After arriving to San Pedro, one day while walking the boardwalk, we met a Dominican born Haitian man named Elias selling coconuts. When Elias realized we were Christians living in Haiti, he asked: "How can you live there? My Mom told me that Haitians kill and eat people in Haiti? That's why I'm afraid to visit Haiti." Like this man, many Haitians live in fear of visiting their country because of rumors and gossip. Elias also told us his wife and mother were Christians but he was not. He said, "I want to get my life right before I receive Jesus. I don't want to be a hypocrite." We warned him not to wait too long since he had no guarantee how long he had to live. Three days later, we learned another Coconut Man who we had seen working near Elias, was attacked and killed by an insane man wielding a machete. Elias had an almost immediate wake up call! Please pray Elias would make Jesus Christ his Lord and Savior before it's too late.

Like Elias, even as Christians we can live in fear of the future worrying about the current economic crisis in our country and around the world. In this situation it is possible to become "frozen" in fear. When we have found ourselves in this state of worry over the past months, God has reminded us of 2 Chronicles 19:9, "You must serve faithfully and whole heartedly in the fear of the Lord." We feel God has been speaking to our hearts: "Because I have called you to Haiti to reach this generation of children and youth with the Gospel, I will meet all your needs." Looking further at this section of scripture, Jehoshaphat realized, "For we have no power to face this vast army that is attacking us. We don't know what to do but our eyes are on you." (2Chron 20:12)

"This is what the Lord says to you: 'Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army because the battle is not yours but God's.'" (2Chron 15:20) Just like Jehoshaphat, the Lord impressed on our hearts to fast, to bow in worship, to praise Him, to give Him thanks and to trust Him alone because He is the creator of Heaven and earth and the only one with the answer to our problems.

Dear Friends, we want to encourage you not to waste your time worrying about the future but rather let us all keep our eyes on the Lord working while there is light, reaching this generation with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Remember, Jesus is coming back soon. Let's keep Heaven on our mind!

Please praise the Lord with us! We are happy to let you know that the Lord has given us 3 new financial partners to help begin offsetting our monthly deficit and provided \$1600 towards the \$2000 we need to purchase new inverter batteries for our house.

Not our battle but the Lord's!



Four years ago, we sent one of our first *Book of Hope* teams into a very large understaffed national school in the Petite Place Cazeau area of Port-au-Prince. Unfortunately, the young team was unprepared and inexperienced. When they began to encounter insults and resistance from the students, they lost control of the situation and were literally run out of the school. Recently, our new Coordinator for Petite Place Cazeau returned to this difficult school to win the battle in the Lord's strength and timing! Camita (above left center) along with Ruben (right) and Jasmen (left) shared the Gospel, distributed books and showed *The GodMan* film to more than 1,000 kids (above right) seeing 21 of them raise their hands to receive Jesus Christ as Lord. Thank you Jesus!

We hope this report has encouraged you in your personal walk and ministry as well as reminded you of your importance to the Lord and to us. Thanks for all you do to help us in His work in Haiti!

In Christ, Dan, Liz & Joey
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