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## GREETINGS IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST

The team of 8 (5 guys and 3 ladies) from our home church, The Church of Living Waters, in Warsaw, MO made it with no problems. They flew with MFI through Cap Haitien which is in the North. It was a long and rough 11 hours, but did not have any major problems. A missionary in Cap Haitien, Rick and Evelyn and their two children, helped to bring them over and stayed with us the two weeks to help take them back. Rick had a few problems with their radiator but we were able to find plenty of water and get everyone to Mawouj. We took the team back to Cap Haitien today so they can return to the states tomorrow. It has been a very productive trip. They worked on three church roofs and completed 2. The church that was not completed will be finishing the roof themselves and almost have the tin on. Some of the ladies did a VBS with the children for four days. We had a free day, so we took advantage of the day and went to the beach. With 14 in our house including us, it was challenging at times but also a lot fun and excitement. Everyone did great except for a little sun burn and a little upset tummies, but that can be normal when changing your diet and especially eating things your body isn't used to.

Things have calmed a little more in the country, but diesel is still hard to find. A lot of mission teams and individuals have cancelled, which has hurt the economy. We always tell everyone that if we never came or stayed in Haiti because of the unrest and what the US government said about travel to Haiti, we would never be in Haiti. God has always been faithful to keep us out of harms way and the Haitian people here in the NW have always been here for us, checking on us to make sure we are ok.

Report on the school presentations: Going great. The youth here have such a desire to hear the truth about sexual purity and the gospel. Each week they go to several schools. Some make the commitments to stay sexually pure for their mate, some accept Jesus as Savior. Others always have questions which make us believe the Holy Spirit is working in their heart.

Prison ministry report: Some of you have given to help get some sandals. They plan to take some this month.

Pastor Rousier's wife and another wife from the Gold group went to one of the pastors groups to do some teaching from the Bible and encouraging the wives. They were so thankful these ladies took the time and enjoyed the teaching and want them to return for more.

As you will see in the note from Pastor Rousier below, disciples making disciples works:

**"I, Rousier, wanted to share a little about the Routons. I believe that God has called them where they are at, in North West Haiti. I have seen their dependable on Christ. When things are going bad, they trust God to get them through. They are a good example to follow. Being obedient to do God's will in every situation even others may not like it but they stick to God's calling. They are not perfect, if you are looking for someone to be so. But through their weakness God has made a lot STRONG. I have known them for five years now. They are like Spiritual Parents to me. They love kids including my own. Their love for the Haitians has grown.**

**As a Pastor, I didn't tell them at first I would start a church. But I waited when they got back from the States to share what God has put on my heart. When they heard that they were so proud. It's been two years pastoring.**

**Their influence did a lot.**

**I have learned from them, Pastor Terry and wife what it means to wait upon the Lord.**

**Their prayers are being heard. God is moving in their lives. Leading several pastor's groups ain't little. But remember Moises. God can and will use whom ever He wants to accomplish His Purpose and not ours.**

**Keep them in your prayers. They need that firm foundation.**

**They are and can be good friends.**

**Rousier Sino,**

**The Routon's interpreter, translator and work along beside them as they work with the pastor unity groups. Myself and the other three of the faithful four take care of things when the Routons are in the states and more and more all the time even when they are here. "**

God is so good and faithful. We too are blessed to have Rousier, the Faithful Four and the Gold group by our side helping do what God has called us here to do. We are also blessed to have those that pray, give and come from the USA, even some friends in Canada and the Bahamas praying for us.

Update on the book I, Carolyn have been writing: I will keep you updated, but for right now, because of our busy spring and lack of good internet, we are projecting it will be ready this fall when we are back for the holidays.

Terry and Carolyn

Psalm 133 Haiti ministry