



Mission Bon Berger
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The State of the Ministry

At present, GSM is flourishing in every way. God continues to protect and provide. Bill and Sandy are well, and the ministry is working at 100%. Our teachers and students are coming to school every day and our chaplains are ministering. Bill continues to maintain in top condition what must surely be the best educational facilities in the country.

All of the gang activity and violence you see in the news is contained within the southern portion of the country around Port-au-Prince. In the north, the local governments and police are keeping the gangs at bay. As we travel the roads in the north of Haiti, we will routinely pass through 2 or 3 police roadblocks. These are no trouble for us, but serious trouble for potential gang infiltration. The police deal severely with suspected gang members.

Please continue to pray every day for GSM. Pray for Bill & Sandy, our Haitian GSM leadership, for the spiritual health of our teachers and students, and for God's continued miraculous protection.



▲ Sandy inspects the progress in the fine garden she and Bill have planted at the Savane Carree house.

Sandy climbs the water tower to inspect the health of a bird's nest at the Savane Carree house ►



◀ we never knew! But there is a type of owl that lives in the ground - perhaps they are burrowing owls. In any event, Bill & Sandy are enjoying watching a family of these burrowing owls in their front yard at Savane Carree. There is a mother, father, and 6 baby owls! If you look carefully at the photo you will see one of the baby owls poking his head out of his burrow to sneak a look at the passers by. Even in the midst of such suffering in Haiti, God provides us with glimpses of the wonder and beauty of His marvelous creation.

The Work of GSM

Your support is the means by which GSM is able to provide Christian Education to over 1600 children in grades 1-12, support our Haitian staff of over 200 workers, support our American missionaries, and continue sharing the Gospel in multitudes of ways. Pray for us. Contact us any time.

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Campus Life Week



GSM has a goal of providing Campus Life Week for our students at least twice a year. This consists of 3 pastors coming to provide revival services on each of our campuses. One preacher is assigned to each campus. Sometimes the situation in Haiti prevents this. But thankfully we were able to do a Campus Life Week in late April. We were blessed with a great week.



▲ the CLW Preaching Team from left to right ...
 - John Dickinson, Beaverton AL to Biclaire
 - Evan Edenfield, Millbrook AL to Savane Carree
 - Lamar Lyon, Marbury AL to Milot



▲ after one of the services, a teacher brought 8 boys back to the chapel and told us that they wanted to be saved. Pastor Jean Claude Blaise (*at left in this picture, is our Senior Chaplain and a graduate of GSM schools in the 80's*) counseled with them and led them all to faith in Christ. The next day we were able to present all of them with very nice Haitian-Creole Bibles.



▲ Preacher John Dickinson visiting with students at Biclaire



▲ Preacher Evan Edenfield visiting with some students



Lamar Lyon & Guy Etienne just before the start of services at Milot. There are many more students behind the camera. Perhaps 400 - 500 in attendance. In the 1970's, Guy was an orphan at GSM. Today he is the principal of the elementary school in Milot. Perhaps the finest in all of Haiti.



Bibles !

we are in the middle of a project to put high quality OT&NT Bibles in the hands of our students and faculty at GSM. It will be a lengthy and expensive project. In the picture at left, one of our Savane Carree teachers poses with his new Bible. Both teachers and students are very excited to receive them. This Bible is the result of a 9 year

labor by one of our board members, Ron Smith. Ron worked as a missionary in Haiti for 23 years from 1969 to 1991. He is fluent in Haitian Creole. Presently there is not a very good Haitian-Creole translation. So Ron leaned heavily on the French Louis Segond Bible, which is close cousins with the KJV in method of translation. By all standards, this Bible is a very good and accurate translation.