



Mission Bon Berger

Milot, de Haiti

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The Hope of Christmas 2020 & The Container

In spite of the difficulties 2020 has presented both here and abroad, this year seems like the smoothest year we have ever had getting the container loaded, shipped, through customs, and onto our compound in Haiti. We can only thank God for His help as He most certainly answered your prayers on our behalf.

Everything is safely on our compound. This includes: the Christmas bags; equipment and supplies for our medical clinic; a 40'x60' metal building for the Biclair chapel; 28 solar panels; and a host of other needed supplies and equipment from appliances to tires to teacher's desks to some cases of Cherry Coke Zero for Sandy, and much more. We thank the Lord for His help, and you for your prayers.

Now keep praying. As this newsletter is being composed and mailed, our annual Christmas Team is preparing to leave for Haiti Tuesday Dec 1. They will be there for one week. Keep them in your prayers as they share your gifts and the preaching of the gospel with our schools.



▲ the container leaving Thorsby, AL in Oct

A Word from the Field

In September, when we returned from the States after a board meeting and a short break, we were met with some discouraging news. In our absence the value of the American dollar in Haiti had dropped dramatically. The effect is that when we exchange our US dollars for Haitian dollars to pay our expenses, our cost in USD literally doubled in less than 3 weeks time. Many of you that have supported GSM for a long time know that our normal financial situation is that each month begins with very little money, and the Lord faithfully supplies our needs as the month progresses. There is rarely any surplus at month's end. Now, our Haitian expenses have effectively doubled and no new sources of support have come on board.

It was September, and our schools would be starting soon. All the schools needed to be painted, and new teachers had been hired to meet the needs of the new Savane Carree high school. The container would be arriving, and all of our taxes would need to be paid to clear the way for us to get the container released. I confess to you that I was concerned to say the least. I would like to say that I was not concerned, and was satisfied that God had all this in His hands. But I would not be being truthful. I regret to say, that even after almost 24 years of watching God deliver us from many seemingly impossible situations, my faith was being tested and I was not doing well.

Even now I am not exactly sure how it all happened. I have not made any investigation as to what vessels God used. But the oil continued to flow and all our needs have been miraculously met. We have been able to pay our workers and teachers, the schools have been painted, new desks were built, our taxes were paid, the container has been released, and the gifts for the children are stored away awaiting the team that will come to begin sharing them. But more importantly they will be sharing the wonderful truth of God's gift of salvation through faith. Thank you for your faithfulness to this ministry and praise God for another amazing delivery!

- Bill and Sandy Younger



The Savane Carree High School

This is the inaugural class at our new high school in Savane Carree! The Class of 2024 ! We are starting small, but each year we will add the class these children will graduate into. In this picture you can see the nice security windows we have installed throughout. Keep our new staff and students in your prayers as the work matures and grows.

Critical Needs - Update

if you can help, contact Lamar at 334-301-4764 or gsm1974@att.net

- new battery banks for our solar arrays in Milot & Savane Carree \$ 8,500 needed (*will buy in Haiti*)
- computers and monitors (7) for the new Savane Carree High School \$ 2,500 needed

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 140 workers, support our American missionaries, continue the medical care we provide for our staff and students, and continue sharing the Gospel in a multitude of ways. Pray for us. Contact us at any time ...

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