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in Grenada

December 2018

Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

Greetings from Grenada! Wishing you a merry Christmas, a special time with family and friends celebrating the birth of our great Savior. May God help each of us to love Him more in the year of 2019.

At the end of every year I always enjoy taking some time to count God's blessing in the entire year. It reminds me of the goodness of God; it deepens my love to Him, and it also gives me the strength to start another year of service. 2018 as usual was a year overflowing with blessings of the Lord, and I chose some of the many to share with you.

December 11 marked one year of me being in Grenada. I thank God for the privilege to work with a wonderful group of children at Lifeline Independent Baptist Church during this year. I have them in my Sunday school, on Wednesday evening class, and again Friday Bible Club. In times the classes could be challenging because the age range (from 4 to 12 and sometimes their younger siblings too), but I would not trade anything for teaching my children.



Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." It has always been my desire to work with younger children and I can never imagine myself working with teenagers. The six years in Trinidad I taught from kindergarten to grade six, but it was about time to take a new step. Since I came to Grenada, God has given me a couple of new experiences, a Bible class at a secondary school and a juvenile center. God is so good to not just give me challenges but also wisdom and strength to face them.

The Bible class at the secondary school is during their lunch hour. The first week I had six in the class and sixteen the following week. Now the class has grown to 28 to 33. Many of them never missed any class. It blessed my heart to see the students are willing to come listen to the Word of God while eating their lunch.



At the juvenile center I teach the young men and ladies in two different sections. In the young men's class I mainly focus on the Bible lessons and have them memorize lots of Bible verses. For the ladies I also spend some time to share with them how to live a pure life according to the Bible and to prepare themselves for the future. I love these young people, but from time to time I do have to be tough in a godly way.

Prayer Requests:

1. Just before school dismissed for Christmas, I got exciting news that another secondary school will allow me to do a Bible class starting in January. I need wisdom and strength.
2. Haleigh, a nine-year-old in my Sunday school made a profession of faith, pray for her to grow and to come to church on a more regular basis.
3. Lifeline for the need of drivers for our manual transmission bus and a piece of land
4. Denver, the teenager boy I asked you to pray for in my last prayer letter, his grandmother has stopped him going to church completely.

Highlights in December:



At church: Practiced and did a great job at the Christmas program



At schools: Gospel and Goodies for children and teachers

In His Service,
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