

“... Thou shalt call His name Jesus...” Mt. 1:21  
December 2012

Dear Praying friends,

We greet you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Lately I was called upon the bedside of an 85 year old saint of God, who was just about to undergo surgery; she requested that I sing for her songs about Jesus. I must have sung for about an hour, when I realized that I could sing all day, and still there would be songs about Jesus that wait to be sung. For this dear lady, it seemed that “What a friend we have in Jesus!” has depth that still needs to be fathomed by the redeemed soul. How about you, praying friend? The Christmas season is always a time to reflect on the name which is above all names, Jesus. The name defined the great salvation that He came to secure and that every believing soul may have in Him a new name that defines a new walk and a new destiny.



Let us not forget our identity in Christ: Saved, Redeemed, Justified, Reconciled, Forgiven, Holy, Beloved, Chosen, Faithful and Friend. This is how God sees us in Christ and it is up to us to rise to His expectation and let our testimony square up with our new identity. Then, and only then our Christmas greetings will bear the intended weight of glory.



We appreciate all the prayers and interest in our ministry here. Pray for Hilary that the Lord will give her the right kind of job that will allow her to minister in counseling that which she has at heart to do. Pray for Pascal and Becky and their new born Liam Paul as they prepare to be in ministry here early next year. Pray for Francois and Carolyn Serret family as they seek to start a new work soon in the area of Plaines Wilhems. Pray for Tim and Daisy in terms of the ministry with the Christian bookshop in Port Louis. Pray for Lionel as a senior at Crown College-at such a time when he has important decisions to make.

Marilyne and I keep very busy in the Lord’s service. We are thankful to the Lord for good health. I must confess that I had some serious health concerns some months ago; but God’s grace has proven to be sufficient for me. The Victory Baptist Church is doing well. God is blessing us with a steady growth. Pray for the church in our endeavor to find a larger building.

Dear praying friends, we appreciate your faithfulness to the Lord in the faithful financial support for our ministry. Thank you every one who correspond with us on a regular basis. We love to hear from you and we appreciate your sincere interest in us, the man and woman that we are. May your Christmas be blessed and filled with the reality of Jesus, Name above all names.

His servants, your missionaries,  
Guy and Marilyne Grenade



**MERRY CHRISTMAS**