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Dear praying Friends,

Greetings from Mauritius in the name of our Lord and savior, Jesus Christ. The message that the angel brought down From heaven in the narrative of the nativity is one that says : "fear not". Heaven gifted Earth with an ever living and all capable Savior, God himself clothed in human flesh.

Fear not, you have a God who saves. Luke [2:10-11](#). So be saved.

Fear not, you have a God who answers prayer. Luke 1:13. So be prayerful.

Fear not, you have a God who cares and has answers to all human questions. Luke 1:30,35,37. So be not anxious.

Fear not you have a God, who directs and leads. Mathew [1:20](#), 24. Be obedient and follow faithfully.

We would like to thank all of you who took the time to pray for the Youth Camp that we held at the end of November. The camp was a joint effort between our church and a church in the North. That particular church was started and is still being pastored by a man sent out and supported in part by our church. We met up at a beach in the North, and we spent 2 nights and 3 days camping under our tents. We taught the youth about things that fuel our Christian faith: self-denial, trials and divine discipline, Christian community, serving and giving, the personal spiritual disciplines. The evening teaching sessions were geared more specifically towards evangelism, as there were several unchurched young people present at the camp. It was a special blessing to see several young men making public commitments concerning various aspects of the Christian life. We covet your prayers for these young people that they will be faithful to the commitments that they have made.

In the days ahead we will be caroling in three different venues in three different places on the island. On the 23rd we will be in two shopping centers in the central part of the island. On the 24th we will be in the main shopping center in Rose Belle. The word will be preached, tracts will be passed out. Please pray that, our efforts will have some eternal significance upon those who we come into contact with.

The message "fear not" has some personal significance for us. Our church seemed to be under heavy enemy fire. There have been a lot of sicknesses going on, but it is also true that some have fallen by the way side. What is heartbreaking is to witness the loss of those who are dragged in their fall! As I was going through this valley, my 2 and a half year old grandson, Mateo, ask me to sing for him, "God never moves without purpose or plan". Needless to say how that lifted my spirit. Please, remember these in prayer, that they will experience a restoration from the lord and be effective witness of his sustaining grace.

Dear, praying friends, we are thankful to the lord for your faithful support. It is our prayer that the lord will continue to bless you as you labor for him in your part of God's field. Let the message of the angel, "fear not" gives you grace to keep on towards the mark of your high calling in Christ.

Merry Christmas, and happy New Year 2015  
Guy and Marilynne Grenade