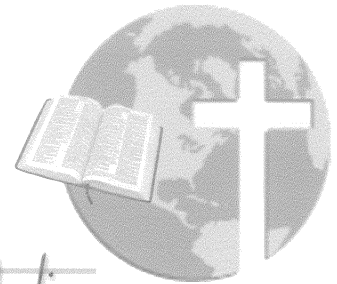


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Missionary to the Children of

Grenada, West Indies

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Dear Friends and Faithful Supporters,

“The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad.”

Psalms 126:3

God has done so many amazing things for me over the past few months, and I am so thankful. On August 16, I was accepted as a missionary with World Wide New Testament Baptist Missions. In preparation for deputation, God has provided bountifully for all of my needs. He has blessed me with a computer, a cell phone, a GPS system, a display board, prayer cards, a projector, a table, a screen, a DVD presentation, and the help and encouragement of so many people. He even provided a flexible job substitute teaching for two schools so I can continue to work while having the freedom to travel as much as needed.

In October, I was able to officially begin deputation. I had meetings in five churches, and the Lord has truly blessed. Three churches and two individuals have taken on my support. Praise the Lord! In addition, God has opened doors, and I already have twenty-five meetings in 2008. I am so glad that God keeps His promises, and I am trusting that, “Faithful is He that calleth you, Who also will do it.” (I Thessalonians 5:24)

God continues to bless the ministry in Grenada. With a new school year beginning, my parents always seek to help the children by providing needed school supplies. All of the children in the church earn points by memorizing verses. These points enable them to choose school supplies that are provided by my parents through the generous giving of their supporting churches. I had the privilege of purchasing many of these supplies, packing them up, and shipping them to Grenada. It is exciting to be a part of the ministry in Grenada year after year, but I look forward to the day when God allows me to serve Him there.



Serving together with you to reach the children of Grenada,

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