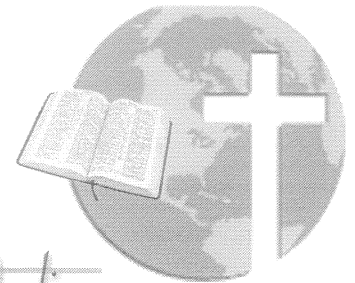


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Grenada, West Indies



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Dear Friends and Faithful Supporters,

**“Let them give glory unto the Lord, and declare His praise in the islands.”
Isaiah 42:12**

After seven months of deputation, traveling over 30,000 miles, and visiting sixty-two churches, the Lord has provided 38% of my support enabling me to be that much closer to “declaring His praise” in Grenada! Truly the Lord has met all of my needs and kept me safe as I have traveled.

One of the ministries I enjoy as I travel is the opportunity to speak to ladies in Sunday school classes, monthly meetings, and Mother/Daughter Banquets. It is encouraging to see ladies who are involved in their own ministries and have a passion for missions. Two of these ladies groups have taken on part of my support. I am so thankful for their generosity!

In Grenada, my parents are seeking to encourage the children of the church to be involved in reaching other children for Christ. On Wednesday nights, they are taking up a special “coin offering” to help needy children in the hospital. Saturday afternoons are devoted to visitation. The children of the church help announce services and hand out children’s pamphlets. One of my supporting churches helped in this area by donating all of their leftover Sunday school pamphlets (unused papers with a Bible story and fun activities) to be used in Grenada. Maybe your church has some of these leftover Sunday school papers that you would be willing to give to the ministry in Grenada. Please let me know if you would be willing to help in this area.

Progress has been made on my apartment in Grenada. The basic structure has been completed, but I still need a ceiling, doors, electricity, plumbing, and bathroom fixtures and tiles. My dad was not able to do any work in July, due to lack of funds. If you can help with this project, please send your check to my mission board (the address is below) and note that the money is for the apartment. Please continue to pray that God will provide meetings and an increase in my support. I appreciate all those who have already given generously so I can “declare His praise in Grenada.”

Serving together with you to reach the children of Grenada,



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