## CARRIE MAthena

## Missionary to the Children of

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Grenada, West Indies

Dear Friends and Faithful Supporters,

"...shewing to the generation to come the praises of the LORD, and his strength, and his wonderful works that he hath done." Psalm 78:4b

"That they might set their hope in God," Psalm 78:7a

The start of a new school year is always an opportunity to share the Lord with a new "generation" of students and their families. Five girls enrolled to make up our new K-3 class and three of our K-4 students returned for our fifth year of pre-school! Much sickness has plagued the start of this year. A virus brought in with all the visitors for the Carnival season infected almost everyone in Grenada and most of the students were out for at least a week. Slowly but surely they are learning and adjusting. We finally had picture day but still had one student absent. Please pray for our students: Ziva, Anissa, Mickya, (top row from left to right) Cynyr, Samara, Kenia, Dashonna (bottom row from left to right), and Leonna (absent).



Our first outdoor Bible Club to encourage more children to come to church was wonderful! Despite a last minute change in location and a lot of sick children, we had several visitors, a lot of fun playing with balloons, and a lesson from God's Word. Antoni, who was one of the visitors, came to church on Sunday morning asking, "Where are the balloons?" Since the Bible Club, another visitor has been faithfully attending Animal Lovers Class on Wednesday nights. Truly God is faithful to work in hearts if we are willing to share "his wonderful works" with others.

The death of two of the church's shut-ins in the past month has been a reminder of the importance of having a new generation to "set their hope in God." Your continued prayers and support are needed as I seek to reach the children of Grenada and their families for the Lord.

Serving together with you to reach the children of Grenada,

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