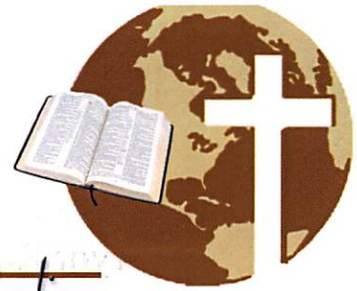


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Dear Friends and Faithful Supporters,

“And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power, which he wrought in Christ, when he raised him from the dead,”
Ephesians 1:19-20a

The Ladies Journey of Faith had a special All Night Class on Good Friday to celebrate Christ's death and resurrection. Our lesson was A Journey in Forgiveness. This journey was one of thankfulness for forgiveness through Christ's sacrifice and a challenge to pass along His forgiveness to others. The Lord has allowed me to minister to this group of ladies this year, and I would love to share something about each one of them so you can pray for them as they seek to live for the Lord. Starting from the left in the picture:

Jamica's parents abandoned her and she was taken in by another family. Her future after graduation is uncertain.

Kadee is trying to obtain permanent residence in the U.S. with her parents so she can attend college.

Jessica's family is very poor, and she struggles academically.

Kelsey is working to learn how to play the keyboard for church services.

Aaliyah is Jessica's sister and the youngest in our class. She is entering high school and the teenage years.

Marissa has waited for years to attend college. God has opened doors for her and provided a scholarship. She is set to attend college this fall in Trinidad.

In addition, please pray for another lady, Renisha, who was recently saved and baptized. Her son, Tyler, will attend my pre-school in September, and she is pregnant. She is trying to get a well paying job so I am having classes with her to improve her reading, spelling, and vocabulary.



Easter morning dawned beautiful and our sunrise service was well attended. We had breakfast, a wonderful service celebrating our Risen Savior, and afterwards the children (ages 3-8) enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Easter Break from pre-school is almost over. When school resumes, I will be enrolling for the 2015-2016 school year. Ordering books for the new year is part of this process. The cost per child is \$50. If you can give to help meet this need, please send the money to my mission board (listed below) and indicate that the funds are for pre-school books. I know that God will work mightily in hearts to provide for this need.

Easter has been a wonderful time to spread the “good news” here in Grenada. Truly Jesus conquered death and is alive to hear our prayers and to meet all our needs according to the “exceeding greatness of his power.” I look forward to seeing what He will do next!

Serving together with you to reach the children of Grenada,

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