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"Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy." Ps. 107:2

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Thank you for praying!

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Dear Co-Laborers in Christ:

"Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God."

Our church celebrated the Grenadian Thanksgiving on October 25th. The freedom Grenada now enjoys is because of the U.S. Liberation in 1983. Our church family brought food to share, we provided ham and trimmings, and together we had a tremendous feast. Testimonies were given: thanks for their salvation and many other blessings, our church, and most of all our Saviour. Most of our church family is children who are too young to remember those troubled times before the "Liberation" so Thanksgiving Day is quickly becoming just another day off from work and school.

Robert was asked to give the invocation at the dedication of the new buildings and restoration of the school here in Loretto. U.S. Aid replaced three of the buildings that were completely destroyed by hurricane Ivan. They restored the Great House that was used for offices and replaced the roof of another classroom. The representative for the U.S. Aid gave an extensive report on all the hurricane relief projects they were they were involved in. Just to mention a few: They have built 23 schools, 7,000 houses, given money to farmers, provided families with chicken coups and chickens, bees to bee keepers, have a boat restoration program, they are rebuilding the tourist welcome center and three community centers. Over forty-one million U.S. dollars has been spent thus far and they have worked to aid every area of Grenada's economy. Signs are posted at each project proclaiming disaster relief from the people of the United States. It would make you so proud of our great nation to drive around the island and see all that is being done on your behalf.

As money continues to come in for our Grenada Relief fund, we help the dear people in our area. Much of it has been spent on food and we can not thank you enough for all your help.

Five more have asked the Lord to save them this time and we covet your prayers as we seek to serve Him here in Loretto.

In Christ,

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