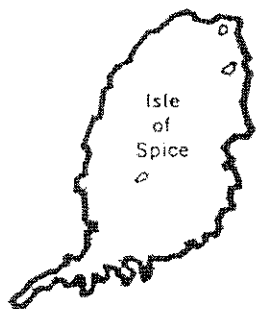


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"Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy." Ps. 107:2

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Dear Co-Laborers in Christ,

"And let the beauty of the LORD our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands." Psalm 90:17a

For years, we have prayed for help with the ministry. Many have visited, some have promised to return, but it was our daughter God sent to help. It has taken a lot of work to get Carrie settled and ready to begin her part in the ministry here in Grenada. We praise the Lord for sending her to us!

After much work, Carrie and her pets have moved into their own apartment that is connected to the back of the church. She still needs a stove, but everything else has been provided. In the midst of working and moving, Robert and Carrie sought permission to begin a pre-school from the Ministry of Education. The building was inspected, and we were given a list of recommendations to improve the facility. Robert has been busy making those improvements. The books have been ordered and shipped and the next step is to enroll students. Please pray as we need students and playground equipment. We have done our part and are waiting on the Lord to establish this work.

Pat and Carrie have been baking papaya bread and banana bread. On visitation, we handed out the bread, invitations to the services, and challenged the lost to partake of the Bread of Life. We need the Lord to establish the work of our hands as we were burdened anew for the lost souls in our village.

Marline and Marvin have been faithful to attend and serve in the church since we established the church in Loretto. Marline graduated from college this year. Pray for her as she seeks God's will for her life. Marvin is now in secondary school. God has established the work of their hands. Their mom was recently saved, and their sister has started to attend services. This week, mom and dad made things right with the Lord by getting married.

It is exciting to see God establishing the work of our hands through your prayers and giving. There is still much to be accomplished, and we count it a privilege to be co-laborers with you as we serve the Lord.

In Christ,

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