



***The Zimmer's serving  
in Puerto Rico  
And  
The West Indies  
Training Nationals to serve Him***

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We are praising the Lord for His goodness. The Lord has allowed us both to enjoy good health without major problems. We try to take a nice walk weekly. I may need to have Cataract surgery in the near future as I am experiencing difficulty driving at night and the last eye exam showed signs of cloudiness in the lenses.

Much has happened since we wrote last. Opal has been teaching art 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade and taking care of the Library. I am presently teaching 2<sup>nd</sup> year Greek, Baptist Polity, and English as a second language.

I've been teaching 6 hours a day and working maintenance for two. I'm still taking care of A/C and refrigeration, outside lighting, roofing and welding as the need arises. The latest major project has been a new rest room facility for the boys dorm. Up to now they have used the temporary ones that my boys and I built for the school in 1998. Although we used treated lumber, after 10 years the poison seems to have evaporated and the termites are having a hay day with the wood. Last fall a team came from Florida and installed floor tile in the new Rest Room, and now we are working on the lighting and installing the fixtures.

Two weeks ago we had our annual Missions Conference. Dr. Strange from Florida preached and also three graduates: McCauley Baptist from Granada, Oscar Reuben also from Granada, and Anderson Thompson from Barbados but presently missionary to Bolivia. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson stayed with us during the missions' conference.

Enclosed you will find a picture of two Dominican Republic students. When they came they knew very little English. By May, Lord willing, they'll be at High School level. They seem to be quick learners and they have a good knowledge of Spanish grammar. This makes it so much easier to teach English.

In His Service

*Georg and Opal Zimmer*