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January 1, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Christian Friends,

When we arrived at the mission, the warm welcome, the greetings, smiles and words of gratitude, made our months of work and preparation seem as nothing. We are content to find ourselves here in Haiti. A peace and confidence from God fills our being enabling us to work to glorify His Name. His presence is powerful, giving us wisdom to build a spiritual work.

Jesus instructed His disciples to "COMPEL THEM TO COME IN that His house may be full." We are to preach the Word, to the extent that people are brought to Christ and then discipled. We endeavor to press the claims of Christ on those to whom we minister. We are not only to preach the Word. Jesus said "GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES."

During the day we speak to everyone about our God that the Name of Jesus will fill this place. As we walk through the villages visiting from hut to hut, many people call out to us for prayer. We lay hands on the sick believing God to perform signs and wonders.

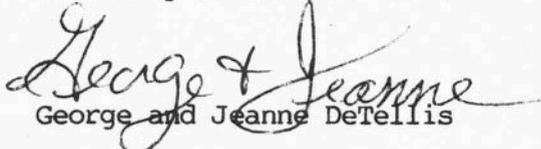
We have walked through the fields in the village of LaSalle. We are looking for land to purchase to build a school and church there. A farmer wants to sell us a portion of land which is at the crossroads of the village.

In preparation for a Christmas celebration at our mission school, we purchased over 700 pairs of sneakers and shoes. The children were called in groups of 10 and then sitting in a row of 10 chairs with boxes and boxes of sized sneakers and shoes we became an open-air shoe store. WHAT SHOUTS OF JOY AND EXCITEMENT BEYOND THEIR BELIEF! Our local authority tells us that the good work of the mission is well known throughout the Leogane plain.

The Haitian men are preparing the ground for our first building project by removing the top soil. This building will be for storage. Also, we are putting tiles on the kitchen floor.

We often speak to the Haitian people of the Christians in America, of their love and sacrifice for them. The children in the school often ask about the well-being of their sponsorers. We have been very concerned about the churches back home and have daily been in prayer for a specific church each day. God bless you.

Sincerely in Christ,


George and Jeanne DeTellis

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Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

February 7, 1985

Dear Christian Friends,

At the end of October, our only vehicle a 1970 pick-up truck was wrecked in an accident. Lauretta Norton, a short-term missionary suffered multiple fractures, was flown home and spent a month in the hospital. She is now fine and visiting with her family in New Mexico. For more than two months we had the use of a vehicle from Christianville, another mission not very far from our mission. PRAISE THE LORD we have been able to purchase a new Toyota pick-up truck and a 1978 4-wheel drive passenger wagon. The Toyota is a diesel vehicle and a great money-saver.



The Lord has given us an open door in the neighboring
VILLAGE OF LASALLE

We are in the process of purchasing land there. The price is \$600; however, the men of the village have collected \$200. They want us to come and help them. This shows a great response on their part.



Already, a thatch building has been put up in LaSalle and is used for school and church. Our first service was on Sunday, January 20th and over 200 people were in attendance. There are 120 children attending the preschool program. A fine Christian Haitian, Brother Enol, is teaching school during the week and preaching there on Sunday. The church is only two weeks old and already they are asking for an evening service. Over 50 people received the Lord as Saviour in the first service.

Ken and Kim Carroll from the Church of the Living God in Woburn, Massachusetts, have come to work with us for one year. They are a tremendous blessing. They both have the heart of a servant. Ken is busy working on the buildings and maintaining the vehicles and grounds. Kim is overseeing the preschool program in LaSalle. Both of them are working with the church there on Sundays.



This child came to our mission with a skin problem. Constantly, throughout the day we are busy caring for the sick. For two weeks in January we had three nurses with us. They were a rich blessing. All of our children received treatment for parasites and extra care. Please pray for a full-time nurse to join our mission team. A clinic building is also an important need. Through prayer and medical care, great transformations are often visible in just a few short days.

I have often wondered why God has led us to the Leogane Plain to minister. These people are extremely poor, yet there are poorer parts in Haiti. Why here in Leogane? Since coming to Haiti to stay God has shown me the great spiritual need of the area. There is more voodoo in Haiti than anywhere else in the world and there is more voodoo in Leogane than anywhere in Haiti.

For centuries this has been a stronghold of the devil, a place of great spiritual darkness. Some Christian young men have told me that there are villages on the plain where there is not a single Christian. One Haitian Christian said, "There are many houses of the devil on the Leogane Plain."

OUR GOD REIGNS OVER HAITI. It is His time to move by His Spirit and the power of His Word to break the power of darkness in this place. We are believing God for a Church and Christian School in every village on the Leogane Plain. Please pray that the principalities and powers that have held this place in spiritual darkness will be broken. "Greater is He that is in you than he that is in the world."

Thank you for believing God with us for this mission in Haiti.

Sincerely in Christ,

George and Jeanne DeTellis

Missions

March 1, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Christian Friends,

These are very busy days at the mission. Already, a large storage shed has been erected and we are in the midst of putting up another four classrooms and a school cafeteria. The construction, along with the ministries of the mission, makes for full days. We are very thankful for the groups who have come to help us with the construction.

V I L L A G E — O F — C O N C R A B

Concrab is a village less than a mile from our mission. It is an isolated village of about 600 people located on the bay. The people of Concrab are very poor with no church or school.

Many of the people from Concrab have been coming to our mission church and have been asking for a church and school in their village. Our first church service was held there on Sunday, February 17th, with about 200 people in attendance. During this first service, 10 people came forward to accept Jesus as Saviour.





A young man, Brother Fritz, has accepted the position of Preacher/Teacher for Concrab. A kindergarten will begin in the village the first Monday in March. Brother Fritz will also be preaching each Sunday. We now have a Pastor and three Preachers coming from Port-au-Prince to preach in the village churches.

A N S W E R T O P R A Y E R

Another person has been accepted for missionary service in Haiti. Kelli Hadley from Hyde Park Christian Center is expected to be with us the early part of June. Kelli is a registered nurse and will be a great asset to our mission team.

Our vision for Haiti is ever growing. By March 1st, there will be over 800 children in our school. Many of you have been praying for us since the beginning of this mission. We trust that you will share in our growing vision. Together, we can do a great work for God.

Sincerely in Christ,

George & Jeanne DeTellis
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Missions

April 3, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Haiti Friends,

A N S W E R T O P R A Y E R

We rejoice in another answer to prayer. One of the concerns of the mission was the 3-1/2 mile dirt road which goes from the highway to our mission. This road often becomes impassable when it rains.



A Haitian businessman has purchased the property next to our mission. He has now begun construction of a home on his property and told me he expects to move in by July. Already, this man has brought in gravel, graded and rolled most of the road. He personally told me he will see to the repair of the entire road.

We had asked you to pray. I believe God put it in the heart of this man to build a home next to us. "God works in mysterious ways, His wonders to perform." God is using this man to meet our needs. Again, we see God is Lord over all the earth. We rejoice in His goodness.



One of our child sponsors, Gail Fracassa, who was in Haiti in February. Here, she meets her child, Elien Jean, and his family from the village of Concrab. For both Gail and the family, this was a very happy occasion.

Throughout the day those working around the mission can hear the children singing in their classrooms. Here some of the children are lined up at the beginning of school. They come dressed immaculately. When you know of the mud huts they live in and the severe poverty of Haiti, you know the miracles that are taking place in the lives of the children at the mission school.



The joy of life is to do the will of God. The daily task of life is filled with the mundane. Being a missionary calls one to the duty of many physical tasks. But yet when the Spirit of the Lord is with you, suddenly, the mundane is glorious, rich in meaning and rewarding. It is the presence of our Lord that ever sustains us. We love Him because He first loved us.

God bless you.

Sincerely in Christ,

George & Jeanne DeTellis

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May 1, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Haiti Friends,

We have never been so sure that God has sent us to Haiti. We are here at a specific time and place to do a specific task for the Lord. As God sent Jonah to Ninevah, even so God has sent us to the Leogane Plain of Haiti. It is God's intended purpose to bring His Kingdom to this place.

The beginnings of unbelievable things are taking place on the Leogane Plain. This plain has been a stronghold of voodooism and the devil. God has seen and says, "IT IS ENOUGH." It is time N O W for my Kingdom to come to Haiti.

Easter Sunday was a glorious day! Twenty-one young people were baptized in water. Betty Ellis, one of our missionaries, made robes for all the candidates and pastors. A wonderful spirit of revival prevails in the church. Gospel meetings are held nightly in the village and three and four-hour prayer meetings have been going on in several homes. Those who were recently baptized are going out to other villages to preach the Gospel.



Already, three churches have been opened and a fourth is being planned. Property is being purchased in the village of Masson. Please pray for this great need. It is a tremendous piece of property - about an acre of land on a principle road. There is electricity, access to drinking water and it is close to the center of the village. The price of the property is \$2400. We do not have the funds to purchase this property. We have given a \$400 deposit. Please be in prayer for this need.

Romans 10:12 . . .for the Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon Him."

God bless you.

Sincerely in Christ,

George and Jeanne
George and Jeanne DeTellis

Missions

June 1, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Haiti Friends,

Since the beginning of the mission, 2-1/2 years ago, we have been without running water. Several meetings were held with the organization who put in our first well. After much consideration, they recommended that we not attempt another well due to the soil conditions.

W A T E R A T T H E M I S S I O N

A water system is being installed. A well pump has been placed in the stream that runs alongside our property. Two 300-gallon water tanks have been put on a tower. This water is chlorinated and filtered and used for shower and toilet facilities.

A 1,000-gallon cement cistern has been built. We are now waiting for 400 feet of aluminum gutters and a water pressure tank. These are being brought into Haiti for us by Mission Possible, a mission here in Haiti which ships supplies into the country on their boat. Rainwater will be collected in the cistern from off our tin roofs, pumped into the water tank and pressurized. This will provide good drinking and cooking water.

T H A N K Y O U

As you know much of our road has been repaired. One section, about 1/2 mile, has not yet been done. We are in the rainy season and this section of road is beyond description. Our mission work would be crippled if it were not for the 4-wheel drive Toyota pick-up truck that was purchased. Last year, several people helped buy this vehicle. Daily, passing over this stretch of the road, we have said, "Thank God for this vehicle."

R E V I V A L A T T H E M I S S I O N

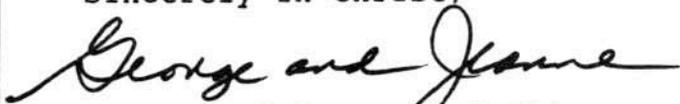
Many of you have read the history of revivals and have thrilled at what God has done in many places in times past. Here in Haiti, we have been having the wonderful privilege of seeing a revival in process.

This move of the Spirit has come about by the Youth of the Village of Neply. They are filled with the Spirit of God. Services have been held every night since before Easter. The youth have taken it upon themselves to have a service every night of the week that a service is not held at the mission church. About 500 have been in attendance at the main church and 200 in LaSalle and Concrab. Meetings are also held in Birey and Masson bringing our total Sunday attendance to well over 1,000.

Truly, the Youth of Neply have become the Evangelists of Haiti! They accompany us on evangelistic meetings and services in LaSalle, Concrab, Birey and Masson, providing music, leadership and filling the meetings with the presence of the Spirit which they bring.

It is your prayers and giving that is helping to make all of this happen. God bless you.

Sincerely in Christ,



George and Jeanne DeTellis

Missions

July 8, 1985

P.O. Box 1126, Worcester, Ma. 01613

GEORGE and JEANNE DeTELLIS
Directors

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Dear Friends of Haiti,

Praise unto God for the great things He has done. We ever stand in awe. In His great love God has provided salvation for all mankind through His Son Jesus Christ our Lord. New England and World Missions is committed first and foremost to the preaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the extension of His Kingdom in this world. Let us exalt the Name of Jesus!

CLINIC

This coming winter a clinic building will be constructed at the mission. This building is much needed. Throughout the day people come to our mission to be treated. A table and benches under a mango tree now serve as our clinic.

Just before we left Haiti, a caller came to the mission in the middle of the night. One of the women who works for us was about to deliver a baby. Would we come and help? Hastily, I went to the village, put my head in her mud hut. The baby had just come and was laying on the dirt floor, the cord rapped twice around its neck. An elderly woman with a kerosene lamp was crouched over the tiny body, which she had smeared with ashes, and was performing a voodoo ceremony. My wife and Kelli, our nurse, came quickly. I removed the elderly woman from the hut and Kelli unrapped the cord, severed it and was used by God to save the life of the child. All the time we were praying and God gave us the victory! Some elderly men and women who practice voodoo go to every house when a woman is about to deliver a baby and invoke the spirits to come upon the child.

A birthing room needs to be built into the clinic where the mothers can come and in an atmosphere of prayer, cleanliness and godliness bring their children into the world. The clinic will have a waiting room, two examining rooms, two overnight rooms, a dental room and pharmacy. The cost of this building will be upwards of \$50,000 to build and furnish. Once the building is constructed, a doctor will be employed. This will greatly enhance the health of the children of our school and the people of the area.

OUR GOD IS ABLE

Over the past few months, 1510 children have been registered for our school for this fall. This represents an enormous growth. This is a wonderful opportunity to change the lives of hundreds. These children learn of Jesus. The first class of each day is a Bible lesson. Readily, they open their hearts to Jesus. Hundreds have already sincerely received the Lord and today are witnessing to their family and friends.

Jeanne and I have come home to find sponsorers for 700 children and raise funds for this clinic. We trust that while we are home we will have an opportunity to fellowship with you.

Sincerely in Christ,

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August 5, 1985

Dear Friends of Haiti,

P R A Y E R R E Q U E S T S

Please pray for little Michelet Moise. He is a 3-year old blind boy in our Neply preschool. On August 6th, he will be operated on to restore his eyesight. We are believing God for him.

Please pray for additional short and long-term missionaries to come to Haiti. Our mission in Haiti is growing rapidly and additional staff are needed. We are especially interested in a man who is handy with automotive and construction skills. We are in need of several people to work with children in a pre-school setting. A secretary. Men or women with management skills to supervise and administer programs.

Jeanne and I are praying and believing that from the churches who are a part of this mission, God will call workers to Haiti. If God is speaking to you in this regard, please contact us at our Worcester office.

We live in a natural world and yet have received a new spiritual life from God. The temptation is to rely upon our own wisdom and abilities to do the work of God.

Down through Biblical history, men who walked with God operated not in the natural life but the spiritual. For example, Moses at the Red Sea could not use his natural abilities to discover a way through the Red Sea. Joshua at Jericho relied solely upon God's wisdom and power to bring down the city walls and give victory to the people of God.

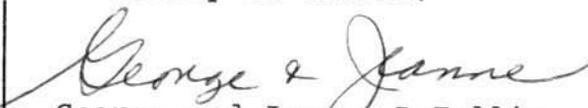
Yes, we do admit to the natural. We are not as an ostrich with our head in the sand saying, 'All is well.' Yes, there are giants in the land. Yes, there are devils who seek to devour. Yes, there is disease, sin and death.

However, the spiritual man looks beyond the natural. We are to discover God's way of doing His work. The spiritual man sees life through the eyes of faith. We see God who is able to save, to deliver, to heal to change. God delights in doing the seemingly impossible. When all else fails, God succeeds. God is to be glorified here on earth.

There are approximately 20 villages on the Leogane Plain where our mission is located in Haiti. Already, ministries have been started in 5 villages. This fall and winter we plan to begin a ministry in each of the additional villages. I believe the Spirit of the Lord is saying, "Arise and possess the land."

Jeanne and I will be back in Haiti on September 11th. We are enjoying our time in New England yet look forward to being back to the work in Haiti. God bless you for your part in this mission work.

Sincerely in Christ,


George and Jeanne DeTellis

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August 16, 1985

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Directors

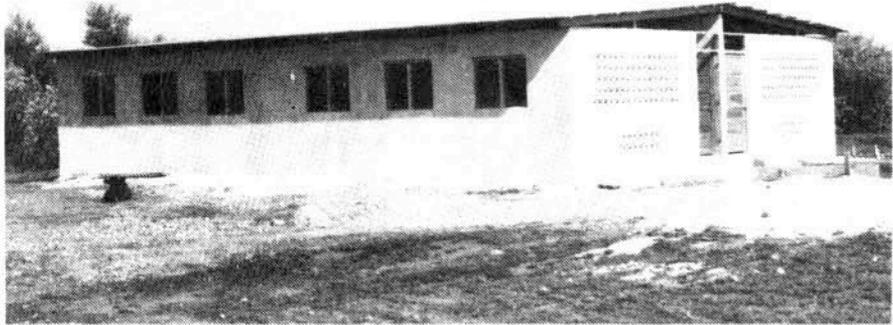
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Dear Friends of Haiti,

Here is a picture of three girls who live in a very poor section of Port-au-Prince. The children of Haiti are bright, friendly and very receptive to the Gospel. We will have a tremendous opportunity this fall with 1500 children in school to bring them to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. There are yet millions of children in Haiti who have never been to school. We need to pray!



Friends of Haiti Fellowship will be meeting at Calvary Evangelistic Center, 135 Belmont Street, Worcester, Massachusetts (Route 9). The meeting will be held Saturday, October 5th, at 10:00 a.m. The purpose of this meeting will be to share recent developments at the mission and to form committee's to work here in the States to assist the work in Haiti. Also, this meeting will provide information for those who are interested in going to Haiti this fall and winter. This is an invitation to all who are interested. Danish and coffee will be served.



One of the most recent buildings that has gone up is this lovely school building. It contains four large classrooms. Another building just like it will be erected the end of September. That will make 3 school buildings with 12 classes at the mission. The classrooms are used for double sessions because of the large number of children in the school. A similar building needs to be put up in the outlying villages where we have 4 other schools meeting in thatch buildings. The cost of this building was approximately \$10,000.

Jeanne and I will be ministering at the Missions & Evangelism Seminar at Woodhaven Christian Campgrounds on Sunday night, September 1st. The meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. The camp is located in Campground Road which is off Route 110 in West Boylston, Massachusetts. This will be one of the last services that we will be ministering in before returning to Haiti. It would be a pleasure to see you that night and to worship and fellowship together.

We thank you for your love and prayers.

Sincerely in Christ,

George & Jeanne
George and Jeanne DeTellis

Missions

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

October 1, 1985

Dear Friends of Haiti,

REVIVAL MEETINGS

Upon returning to Haiti we were overjoyed to find the churches full and enjoying a wonderful move of the Holy Spirit. Presently, a week of special Revival Meetings are being held at the Bord Mer Church. The Spirit of the Lord is rich. The Lord is adding to the churches daily.

SCHOOL OF MINISTRY

This month, a School of Ministry will be started at N.E.W. Missions for our Haitian Preachers, Evangelists and others who are seeking to be trained for Gospel work. I will be teaching a course on Evangelism and Jeanne will be teaching a course on Haiti's Development Issues. Two other Bible courses will be taught by a well-trained Haitian Pastor from Port-au-Prince. We are excited about providing these men with the training they desire to effectively minister to their own people.

ABUNDANCE

Abundance is a wonderful Word of the Scriptures describing God's goodness to us in Christ. Jesus has come to give us life and life abundantly (John 10:10). Abundance means more than you need! God in His great love fills our lives with the abundance of His grace, love, joy and peace. This abundance then works out into every area of our lives.

The word, abundance also aptly describes the number of children in Haiti. There are approximately 3 million Haitian children. Of this number, about half are not attending school. Disease, malnutrition, poverty and illiteracy are the life experience of many of them.

However, it is a joy to see the change that comes to the lives of the children when they come to our school. Quickly, they respond to the Gospel and the abundance of God begins to fill their lives. This year, we have 1,510 children in school. Our mission schools are now in the villages of Bord Mer, Neply, LaSalle, Concrab, Birey and Masson. God's abundance is being released in Haiti!

NEW LAND PURCHASE

On September 20th, papers were passed on 2 acres of land in the village of Masson. This village is about 3 miles from the main mission. A thatch building has been erected and a school and church have been started. This is a beautiful piece of property on a road which has electricity and well water. God has shown us that a very strong work will be done in Masson.

Jeanne and I look forward to having some of you come, visit and work at the mission this fall and winter. The friends we have made are precious to us. God bless you for your love, prayers, and support.

Sincerely in Christ,



George and Jeanne DeTellis

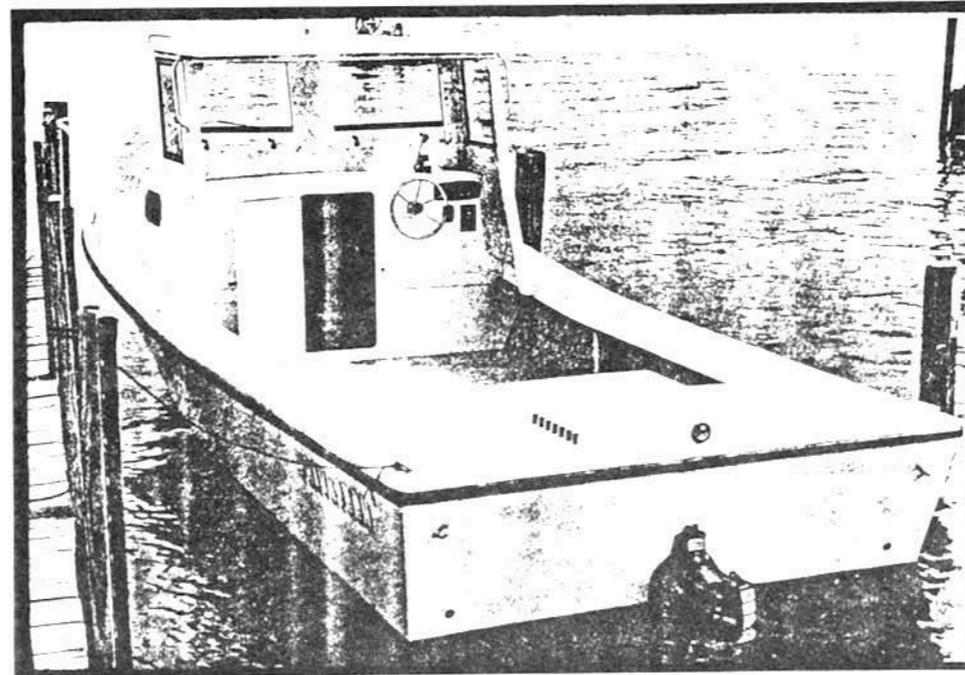
FRIENDS OF HAITI FELLOWSHIP

October 5, 1985

Welcome to the first meeting of Friends Of Haiti. As we at New England & World Missions endeavor to serve the Lord in the country of Haiti we have decided to start a bi-monthly meeting for Christians and Missionaries who are interested in coming together for a united purpose. Missionaries working in a foreign land is a wonderful opportunity to share the gospel of Christ and to help the less fortunate in need of care. The work in Haiti is glorious for those on the field, but it is only by the prayers and support of the christians at home that this work is possible. I encourage you to become at part of this Home Mission effort, for it is right here that the battles are won for Christ.

Today Pastor Clint Goddard will be sharing with some slides of the very first few weeks in Haiti when the first team of missionaries were living in tents and bathing in the nearby stream. Today after three years the mission is operating with eight buildings, there are also three new buildings under construction, a clinic-pharmacy facility, elementary school, and an additional food warehouse. Recently the mission purchased a large cement mixer to help with these and other construction projects.

Good News! The mission boat will be arriving in Haiti on monday. For those of you who are familiar with N.E.W. Missions, you will already know that we have be paitently awaiting for the boat's delivery by another missions organisation. We have a 28' foot inboard diesel that will be used for coastal fishing and ministering to the nearby villages. Please Pray that we do not have any problems in Haitian customs with import duties or taxes. Once the boat arrives in Haiti we are subject to the Haitian government, sometimes duties and import taxes are not spelled out in advance. Our God Reigns!



In Haiti the mission is growing faster than we can manage the new churches and schools. Here in the U.S. the work of the home missionary is growing just as fast. One year ago this month we began to use our first computer to manage some of the data pertaining to the children in our schools and their respective sponsorers. This summer we outgrew the software we were using and will be moving into a more sophisticated program this fall. It is such thrill and a blessing to working with God in such a fibrant ministry as missions. I would like to encourage you to become a part of this home mission effort by becoming involved in a special project. If you are interested in Home Missions please call the missions office and learn about some of the work that is available for you.

May the Lord bless you all as you endeavor to serve him.

Sincerely, George DeTellis Jr.

Mission Office 617-757-2593

Missions

November 4, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Friends of Haiti,

NEW CHURCH OPENS

On October 13th, N.E.W. Mission opened a church in the village of Masson. One-hundred and fifty-eight people were present for the first service. We had an evangelist from Port-au-Prince, Brother Steven, preach at the first service. Eleven people came forward to give their life to the Lord.

After the service, an elderly woman asked if the preachers would go to her home to destroy some articles she had for use in devil worship. The woman had recently accepted the Lord and now wanted deliverance. When we arrived at her two-room mud hut, she brought out several calabash gourdes with small articles in them. We gathered in a circle around these articles. We explained that Jesus had won the victory over the devil at the cross and that now the devil is under His feet. Also, that as the children of God, we can put the devil under our feet. We then encouraged everyone present to step on the calabash bowls, crushing them underfoot.

A great time of victory was experienced as the bowls were crushed and the woman was set free. The fragments were then thrown into a fire and reduced to ashes. God is bringing great victory to the land of Haiti as one by one these people come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

FRIENDS OF HAITI FELLOWSHIP MEETING

The next Friends of Haiti Fellowship Meeting will be held December 7th, Saturday at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will take place at Calvary Evangelistic Center, 135 Belmont Street, Worcester, Massachusetts. A group who have just returned from Haiti will be sharing their experiences at the meeting. Also, other information will be shared on the recent activities at the mission. You are welcome to attend.

CHRISTMAS IN HAITI

Last year at Christmas, we walked through the village of Neply and could not see one visible sign of Christmas. At the stream that runs alongside our mission, the teenage girls were busy washing clothes, as they usually do on a day off.

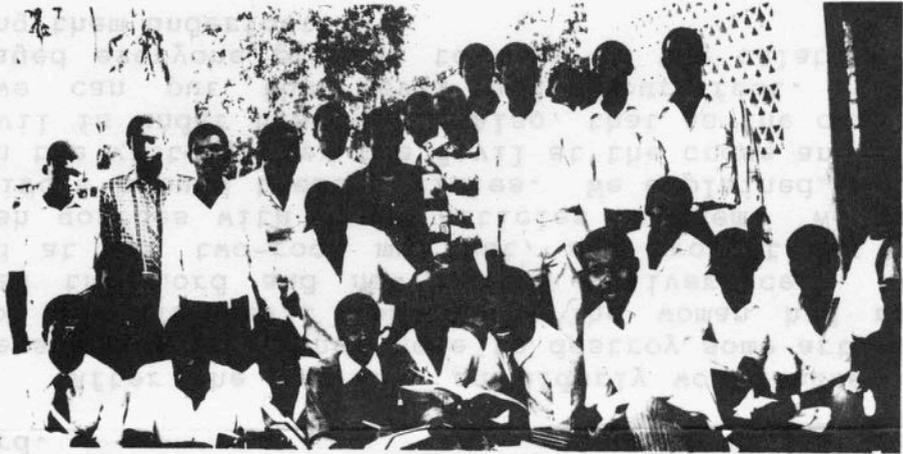
However, at the mission, a special Christmas dinner was prepared for all the children in the school and each child was given a pair of sneakers. There was a full Christmas program at the Church.

This year again we will have a special Christmas dinner and the children will be given sneakers. We have 1518 children in school. The cost of the sneakers will be enormous. For many of these children, the only foot coverings they will receive this year will be the sneakers from our mission. If you would like to send a special Christmas offering to help us to make this season very special, please enclose it with your regular support envelope.

A NEW MISSIONARY CALLED TO HAITI

Jim Hickey from Faith Fellowship Ministries in Winchester, Massachusetts, has come to join our mission as of October 31st. He plans to spend six months here in Haiti. Thank God for this added help.

SCHOOL OF MINISTRY STUDENTS

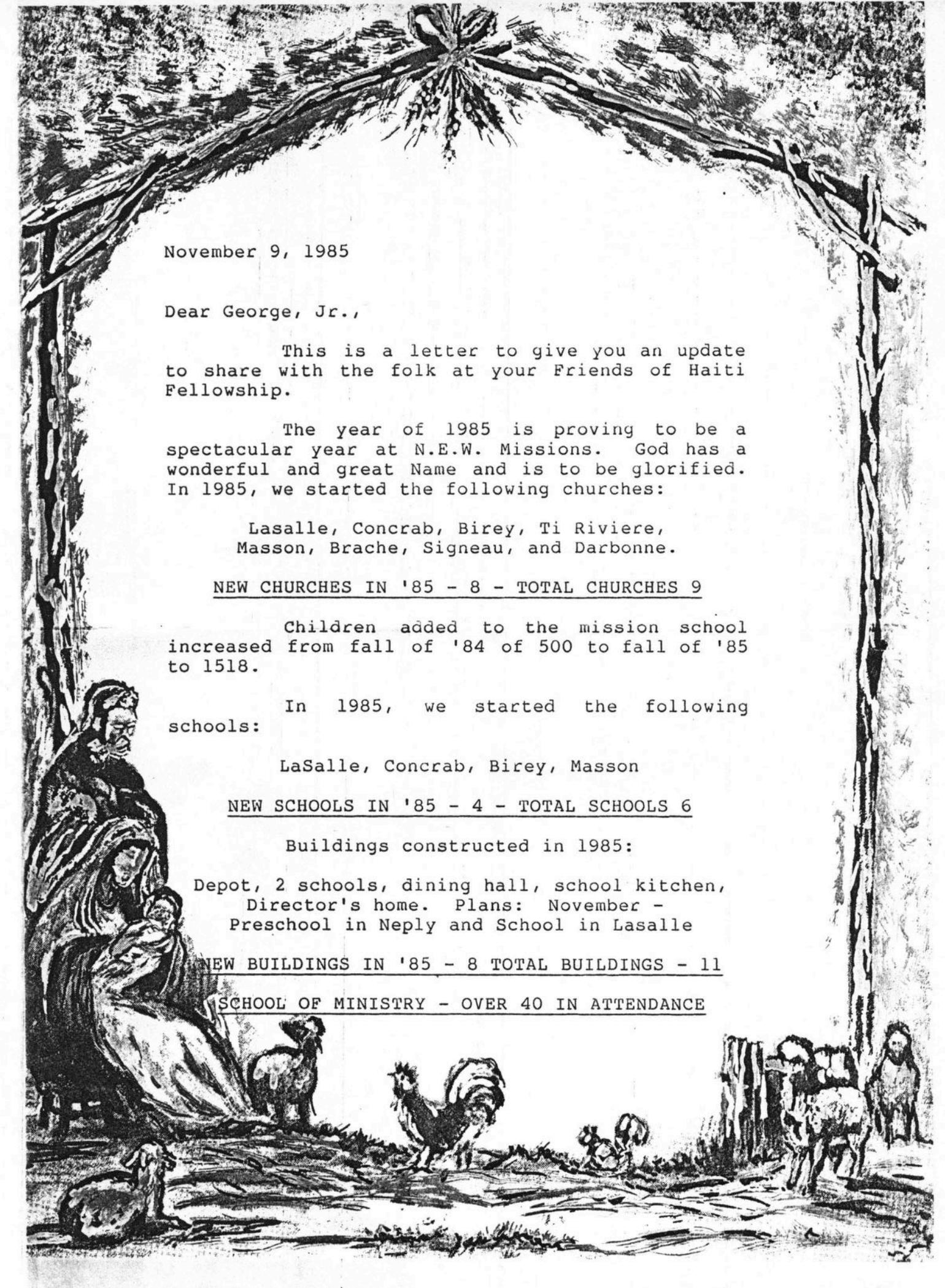


Here is a picture of the students in our School of Ministry. These men are the preachers in our village churches.

Our hearts are full of Thanksgiving to God for every remembrance of you and your support for this work of God in Haiti.

Sincerely in Christ,

George & Jeanne
George and Jeanne DeTellis



November 9, 1985

Dear George, Jr.,

This is a letter to give you an update to share with the folk at your Friends of Haiti Fellowship.

The year of 1985 is proving to be a spectacular year at N.E.W. Missions. God has a wonderful and great Name and is to be glorified. In 1985, we started the following churches:

Lasalle, Concrab, Birey, Ti Riviere,
Masson, Brache, Signeau, and Darbonne.

NEW CHURCHES IN '85 - 8 - TOTAL CHURCHES 9

Children added to the mission school increased from fall of '84 of 500 to fall of '85 to 1518.

In 1985, we started the following schools:

LaSalle, Concrab, Birey, Masson

NEW SCHOOLS IN '85 - 4 - TOTAL SCHOOLS 6

Buildings constructed in 1985:

Depot, 2 schools, dining hall, school kitchen,
Director's home. Plans: November -
Preschool in Nepty and School in Lasalle

NEW BUILDINGS IN '85 - 8 TOTAL BUILDINGS - 11

SCHOOL OF MINISTRY - OVER 40 IN ATTENDANCE

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December 2, 1985

Birey, Bord Mer
Leogane, Haiti, W.I.

Dear Christian Friends,

PROGRESS REPORT

A Kindergarten School has been built in the village of Neply. This is the first of 5 centers to be built in the outlying villages surrounding our mission.

THANKS BE TO GOD

As the Star of Bethlehem gave hope to the wise men - even so - a LIGHT has come, the light of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Your gifts are having a great effect in the lives of thousands of Haitians. We want you to know that you do make a difference. You can change the world.



Jeanne and I look forward to spending another Christmas in Haiti.

We pray that our Lord will be very special to you and your loved ones during this Holiday Season.

thanks be to
God
for His
Indescribable
Gift!

2 Corinthians 9:15

Sincerely in Christ,

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