



Celebrating Three Graduations!

And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.

Philippians 1:6



After being postponed several times due to insecurities in the Haiti, we are finally happy to announce Myrèse and Jhonn's graduation from university! We are also pleased to announce Olivier's graduation from trade school. Myrèse has a degree in Business Management, Jhonn has a degree in Civil Engineering, and Olivier has a certificate in Office Computing. We are praising God for their success!

Myrèse and Jhonn, after six months of additional support upon finishing university, have also successfully completed the Espere Kay Program. Each has been given a certificate congratulating them on living a Christian lifestyle, showing fiscal responsibility and completing their education. We will miss them both greatly but plan to stay in touch. We received lovely notes from each of them thanking us and everyone who supports Espere Kay for support in going to school, their spiritual growth, our prayers, providing basic needs and for having a home to live in while they finished school. Most importantly, they both gave thanks and praise to God for, "putting us on each other's path." Please join with us in praying Philippians 1:6 for their continued spiritual growth as well as praying for their employment and that they both will be a light for Jesus wherever the Lord takes them.

Update on the Young Adults

I pray that your love will overflow more and more, and that you will keep on growing in knowledge and understanding. For I want you to understand what really matters, so that you may live pure and blameless lives until the day of Christ's return. May you always be

filled with the fruit of your salvation—the righteous character produced in your life by Jesus Christ—for this will bring much glory and praise to God.

Philippians 1:9-11

Olivier – After his graduation in June, he moved in with relatives in July. We will continue to give him basic needs support for the next six months. This will give him an opportunity to look for a job and get settled into his new life. Please pray for employment and for his transition to his new living situation.

Stevenson – He has been busy this summer working on his graduation portfolio for music school. He is scheduled to complete school in September and to graduate in December. We will continue to give him basic needs money for six months after school ends while he looks for a job. Please pray he completes all his classes in music school and is able to create a great portfolio which should help him find employment.

Mirlande – She finished high school in June and took the government exams in July. We are still waiting for her results to come in. Mirlande has recently moved in with her sister. Please pray for her success on the government exams and for her transition to living with her sister. Pray for her safety in and around her new home.

Jesula – She continues to attend classes in medical technology. She has completed her first semester of her second year and has already begun her second semester. She often sends pictures of herself and her fellow classmates when they go on field trips or have what she calls an, “exposè.” In Creole this means, “exposition” which requires standing up in front of a group and sharing what they have learned. This is not easy for Jesula but, praise God, she says she has done well so far. She seems to really be enjoying school and her classmates. Please pray she continues to be successful in her classes and for her safety to and from school each day.

John – We are pleased to announce John passed school last year and is getting ready to enter into eleventh grade. He continues to live with his grandma and ride to school on his bicycle each day. Please pray for a successful start to the new school year and for his safety to and from school.

For all of these young adults, please join with us in praying Philippians 1:9-11. Although Mirlande and Olivier have not been baptized, they and all of the young adults have made professions of faith in Jesus. We pray that through Bible studies, hearing sermons at their churches, reading the daily Bible verses we send and private study in the Word, they will continue to grow in their knowledge of Scripture and may live lives pleasing to God for His glory.

Thank you all again in your faithful prayers and support for all the young adults. It is such a blessing to be able to join with you in celebrating the fruit we are seeing. All glory to God as He continues to work out the plans He has for each one of their lives. Our God is truly amazing.

Blessings in Christ,
Deb and Dave