

CHILDREN'S LIFELINE

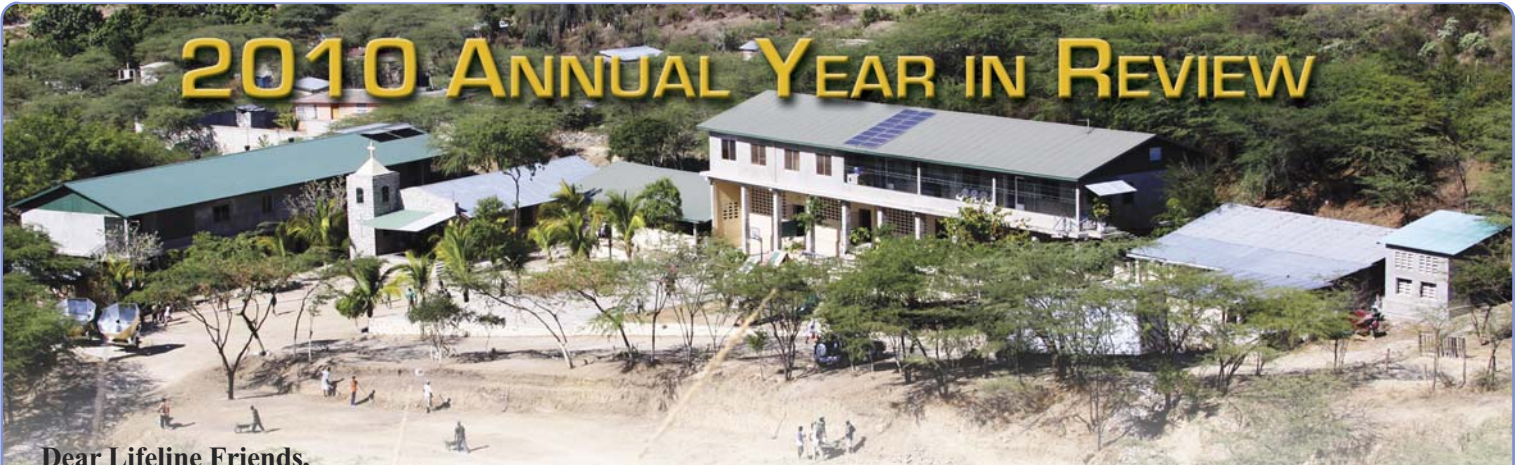


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2010 ANNUAL YEAR IN REVIEW



Dear Lifeline Friends,

THIS YEAR HAS BEEN tremendously challenging and yet very exciting and encouraging! Earthquakes, Hurricanes and Cholera outbreaks have caused so much turmoil and devastation. Out of these terrible circumstances however, there have been many caring groups and individuals around the world that have mobilized to help the people to overcome their terrible circumstances in a way that has made a true difference. We are now able to administer life saving medical care to expanding numbers of patients, and to provide over 7,000 meals a day and hundreds of gal-

lons of clean water! All this and so much more is being made possible because of the faithful people that have a genuine burden for some of the least privileged people in the world. This newsletter will help you see a few of the milestones of the year. We hope you enjoy seeing what the Lord and you have accomplished!

God bless you,

Donald Curtis



Child Sponsorship

With a monthly donation of \$20.00 per child, groups and individuals participating in our sponsorship program aide in providing food and education to a specific child. We are exceedingly grateful for the faithful sponsors that currently help supply these needs, and ask that you prayerfully consider if you are to have a part in blessing the others that remain under our care but do not yet have a sponsor. The Lord has provided to such a degree that there are many other additional children being fed food provisions to many unaffiliated orphanages and feeding locations.



Tent Cities

Because of the previously mentioned conditions, there are approximately **1.5 million Haitians displaced and living in deplorable conditions**. Over 5.7 million meals were provided during emergency relief efforts to these "tent cities" and various other locations where masses had gathered after the earthquake. Many of our mission teams visited these areas and provided medical evaluations and basic care. The need is still great, but through your prayers and generosity, many are receiving life sustaining food and medical care that would have otherwise been unavailable.



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Kids Against Hunger Food and Operation Ukraine

We are so thankful for these partners that have faithfully and generously helped provide food through Lifeline. With their cooperation, not only do we minister to the needs of those that we are reaching in La Digue and Barbancourt where our compounds are located, but also throughout Haiti as we provide nutritious food to 50 different feeding locations. Through Operation Handclasp of the U.S. Navy, a record breaking shipment of Kids Against Hunger food was delivered to us in Haiti - we were blessed to receive the largest amount of aide transported in the history of the HSV-2 Swift, a US Military vessel.



Building Houses

Within the past year we were privileged to repair or construct 50 homes. Among these were homes for a teenage boy named “Song-Song” and also for the oldest man in La Digue. Both people were elated when we were able to provide a red door to finish their homes. One of our August mission teams fell in love with both men and helped them realize their dreams of having a mattress to sleep on! What a blessing to see the amazing changes that have taken place in both of their lives!



Water Filtration

One of the most important relief efforts in which we are currently engaged is to see that as many Haitians as possible receive clean, safe water. This year we were blessed to be able to dig a well on our Barbancourt property. This has been a key factor in providing the clean water necessary to subdue Cholera and other water-borne illnesses.

Sewing Classes

The sewing class in Lifeline’s trade school program has been blessed to successfully complete another year. In an effort to equip them to make all types of clothing, the students are taught a variety of skills. The ability to clothe their family and eventually have their own sewing business is a testimony to the importance of this trade. Upon completion of the class, every lady had enough money saved from the sales of their products to buy their own sewing machine - the class not only taught them a valuable trade, but also introduced the skills of micro enterprise.



Church/Pastor Training

Since the devastating earthquake, there has been a fresh Spiritual awakening in the people of Haiti. We have witnessed the miracle of the conversion of several Voodoo Priests and the earnest outcry of a three day prayer vigil. Pastors visiting from the United States offered support and training to approximately 75 Haitian pastors. Worship services have been overflowing with the sweetness of the presence of the Lord and many who have visited during their short term mission stay have been changed by the love for Christ that they have witnessed in the Haitians. It has been truly amazing to see the growing hunger for Spiritual things during such a time of desperation. We rejoice with them as they



realize the need for spiritual fulfillment and eternal life, and embrace the One in whom it is found! We are so thankful for Pastor Rony and the love that he demonstrates to the church of Jesus Christ and to the hurting people of our community.

New Vehicles Blessings

This past year we were blessed with a heavy duty pickup truck and were enabled to purchase a 20’ box truck. Used on a daily basis in transporting people, food, love bundles, and books for the schools, both have been tremendous assets in working with all of the additional teams that we have been privileged to host.



Educating Children

Lifeline operates two schools. At Barbancourt, an education is currently administered for Kindergarten 1 (Preschool) through 6th grade. Education for Kindergarten 1 (Preschool) through 8th grade is provided in La Digue. Among other subjects, the schools teach Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Science as well as the Bible. We are extremely proud of our 6th grade students; 100% of them passed the national standardized test given by the Haitian government. We are pleased to know that Lifeline is not the only group that is concerned with educating the people of Haiti – among them, **we are currently aiding 50 different orphanages and schools that provide an education for approximately 5,500 children.**



Teacher Training

A number of years ago, Lifeline began to realize the importance and benefit of their teachers receiving continuing education each summer. This year we were blessed to have a number of well qualified teachers and administrators from the US visit our mission. Ninety educators were provided valuable training as they were shown new techniques of teaching that would inspire the children to learn.

Love Bundles

Over the past year, Lifeline delivered approximately 10,000 love bundles. The children cherish these gifts which consist of items such as washcloths, towels, soap, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrush, clothes, toys, school supplies, peanut butter, and a salvation pamphlet. These every day items that many of us take for granted were treasures in the hands of their new owners, children throughout Haiti.



Team Trips

Each year Lifeline hosts short-term mission teams to Haiti. **This past year we hosted 19 teams; over 200 volunteers giving of their time and resources to reach out to the Haitian people.** These teams provided a variety of services, including ministry, feeding children, construction, digging wells, planting trees, handing out love bundles, building benches and other furniture, making concrete blocks, working in the medical clinic or providing medical care to those in the villages and tent cities, and teaching in the schools, just to name a few. As you can imagine, they are a tremendous blessing to the mission and, as a result, to the country.



Medical Clinics

In Haiti there is only one doctor for every 10,000 people. Medical facilities are very poor and many times inadequately stocked to meet the needs of the patients. At Lifeline, we are excited to be a part of the solution. Staffed by Dr Yves, a head nurse, and an assistant, **the Lifeline Clinic treated hundreds of people this past year.** Blessed through those traveling from the US, many of the mission teams included caring



volunteers who were trained and/or were receiving training in the US and happily applied their knowledge in actions. It was amazing to see the thousands that were treated, and inspiring to see it accomplished with such love and care.

Orphanage Groundbreaking

In December we accomplished the much anticipated groundbreaking and pouring of the foundation for an Orphanage and accompanying Administration building. We are so excited to see how God is meeting the needs of the Haitian children that have been left without a family. Other buildings are also in the plans – we hope to see a food warehouse, a wash room, and possibly more in the coming year!



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Containers

This year we were blessed to ship 25 containers of rice, beans, specially formulated fortified meals, other necessary food supplies, and love bundles. The food in these containers has supplied a hot, nutritious meal to 7,000 people, 5 days a week (approximately 1.82 million meals), and served over 5.7 million in emergency relief.

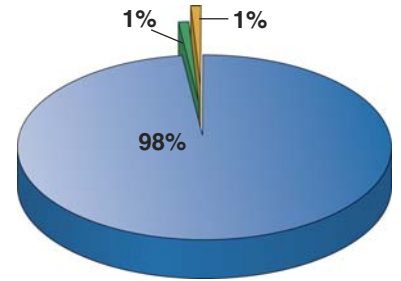
ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

GOD IS SO GOOD! He brings grand victories where there has been deepest tragedy! At Lifeline, we count it a great privilege to be a ministry through which the Lord chooses to pour His blessings, yet we are humbled by His favor. And, we are touched by your partnership as you support us through your prayers, your actions, and your finances – it is a relationship that we take seriously, and for which we are truly grateful. It is as the Lord blesses, largely through faithful

friends like you, that Lifeline becomes part of the solution in meeting the needs of the Haitian people. Please accept our most sincere gratitude for your partnership in ministry.

This year 98% of our finances were spent on programs! The money that was given went to where it was supposed to go. **Thank you for your faithfulness to this ministry that is making such a difference in a world that needs hope, training, and salvation.**

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