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Please return in enclosed envelope.

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Hands for HAITI

September 14-28, 2009

Dear Friends & Family,

As you may already know, We have been presented with an opportunity to participate in a mission trip to Haiti this September through Volunteers In Service Abroad with Free Methodist World Missions. We believe God has shown us how we can contribute directly to this effort and help fulfill His commission to *go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16:15.*

Haiti has the distinction of being the poorest country in the western hemisphere. Mission trips like ours are vital to the recovery of their economy, the health of the people and the cause of Christ in this part of the world.

We are writing to ask for your help in 2 areas. First and foremost we ask you to pray for the success of this trip. It's not automatic just because we show up. We've already begun planning construction, gathering the materials we need, getting passports, shots, etc., and frankly, unless the Lord is directing these efforts, we would just as soon stay home anyway. So your prayers are extremely important. Next, we are asking for your financial support if you can do it. We truly believe the Lord IS directing this project and your money will not be wasted. We need about \$5000.00 for building materials and travel costs are \$11,300.00. Your gift is tax deductible and checks should be made out to Gearhartville Free Methodist Church and sent to the church in the supplied envelope.

Thanks for taking time to read this and thanks in advance for your support. We'd like a chance to tell you about our experiences when we return.

God Bless,
Hands for HAITI team

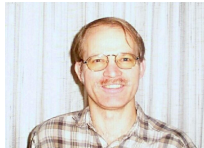


Dean and Darlene Foster



Dean and Darlene have one daughter and six grandchildren. Dean feels the call to help wherever God needs his service. Darlene is a LPN who has been working with Haiti missions for several years, as her parents helped with an orphanage in Haiti for many years. Dean and Darlene are currently attending The Lighthouse Fellowship Church. Dean will be serving as the team cook and educating the Haitians on sanitary food preparation.

Cliff McKean



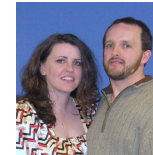
Cliff and his wife have been married 30 years. They have two children. Cliff was a computer analyst for 25 years, he is currently working for Cintas uniforms. He obtain a BS in Computer Sciences at PSU and a MAR in Christian education at Asbury Theological Seminary. Cliff attends the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church. He went to Haiti 30+ years ago in college to minister in Port Au Prince. Cliff feels called to help spread the gospel of Jesus Christ throughout Haiti.

Shirley Moore



Shirley Moore lives in Lock Haven PA. She has two sons and a grandson. She attends the Liberty Baptist Church in Blanchard, PA. She has been a nurse for over 25 years and believes God is calling her to put her faith into action and share her faith with the Haitian people. She is looking forward to learning about the Haitian people and fellowshiping with them.

Tim and Jody Gunter



Tim and Jody are parents to two sons. Tim is currently working as an industrial painter with a Construction Sciences degree and is seeking God's guidance in finding a full time ministry for the Lord. Jody is a Registered Nurse with a back ground in Hematology/Oncology. They attend Gearhartville Free Methodist Church. Tim and Jody feel called by God to minister to the Haitian's physical and spiritual needs, while spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ to a nation that is entrenched in Spiritual warfare. *Also, I heard the voice of the LORD saying: "Whom shall I send, and who will go for US?" Then I said, "Here I am, send me." Isaiah 6:8*

Joe and Kathy Muir



Joe and Kathy are the parents of 5 children, Joe is currently attending a local university and seeking God's guidance in pursuing the call to become a pastor. Kathy is a Registered Nurse with a background in medical/surgical nursing. They attend Gearhartville Free Methodist Church. While Joe will be ministering to the Haitians spiritual and building needs, Kathy will be ministering to their medical needs. Through prayer God has revealed to Joe and Kathy the need to go and minister to the Haitian people. They both agree there is no greater calling in life than to follow the will of God.

