

HIS HANDS FOR HAITI NEWS

OCTOBER 2020 PART 2

I just want to take this time to say THANK YOU! First, I want to thank the LORD for his love, understanding, guidance, and Word! He has shown me so much in the few short years I have been going to Haiti. He has put people in my path I would never have dreamed I'd meet or come to love as family, those from Haiti and those from the US and Canada. And then the sponsors He has led to give by donating to all the different programs within His Hands Support Ministries. Without you all of us at HHSM would not have experienced so many blessings for so many! And the blessings continue!

There are many people to thank, but I want to talk about Daniel Joseph. We needed another translator and our friend, Val, introduced him to us and he's been with us ever since. When we think back about how God orchestrated our paths it's just "awe-mazing". I know he, along with us, never dreamed where God would take us in this journey and we don't see an end in sight. I keep thinking it's time to step back, but God doesn't seem to be letting me do that yet. And He's using Daniel in some beautiful ways in helping us to help those in Haiti that God puts before us. We're going to Haiti to get information on the children to help them to attend school, but He has also shown us medical and food needs that we just can't ignore. I have to admit, I've had many sleepless nights and crying periods and I know I am not the only one. We've had many team members whose hearts are so overcome by the love and the needs in Haiti. But God reminds us that He knows the outcome. He knows how things will play out. He knows where the help will come from and all we need to do is be still for a moment, listen, and ask Him to use us in any way He wants that will not just be a blessing, but a witness of HIS love. He reminds us that yes, there are so many who need help, but for today we will concentrate on just the one or two He has placed before us and move on when He is ready for us to. He reminds us that praying for those He has placed on our hearts is our number one action to be taken and when He is ready for the next step, He will provide a way.

This leads me to Kervens...our little infected tonsil boy we've been trying desperately for two years now to help. I didn't know how to ask for help for his surgery. We have an awesome young lady who does our HHSM Facebook posts and I just typed some words about what Kervens was facing, she took those words and made sense of them to our readers, and you responded quickly with praying and/or donating funds for his surgery. We thought the surgery would be just over \$800 and with the trip to PaP, the staying there, medicines and follow-up appts it would be around \$1400 or so. We received enough almost immediately and were so thankful! And then when they went to be seen, we learned the news that it would take at least twice that. For a short time we felt so discouraged and then I checked our medical gift deposits again and I cried! YOU who gave...seriously, I was just in awe of God's blessings from you all. We had what we needed to cover all the expenses! God knew before we knew and He made sure it was there. Daniel and our (October) team of four from the US were in such awe and praising Jesus for showing us that He's not going to lead us to do something and then just leave us to flounder! He'll be there... every.single.step.of.the.way! So...THANK YOU! Thank you all for being a part of this wonderful blessing. Kervens went home Saturday, 21 November, and will go back in a couple weeks for a checkup and maybe another checkup a month later. He should then be released from a doctor's care. He is doing well and we and his momma will be forever grateful. We have other children we are working with now medically and with food and we ask again for your continued prayers for these in need. May you always see God's blessings!

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