Dorcé Family

Wilckly, Dee, Ashley, Kelsey, Josiah September 2023

"But they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:31





We are so excited to share with you about our new journey to the other side of Hispaniola, the Dominican Republic. God has opened the door for this new and exciting ministry. Recently, Wilckly and I were able to travel to the Dominican Republic to "set up shop". This has been in the works for the two years we have been "stuck" here in America. God's hand was at work even before we left Haiti to prepare the way: we met Fresnel when he came to visit friends who were staying with us in Haiti. He told Wilckly he thought he should come to the Dominican Republic. He said if he could do so much in Haiti with all of the opposition then he could do even more in the Dominican Republic.

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to purchase some near Fresnel's have \$3,000 left to Wilckly knew we own space. Two cause of your generosity, we Wilckly down and the brand new that they are still

working on finishing. It is right across from the land. Of course I wanted to go and see where we would be serving and help him get set up in the apartment. We are renting the lower floor of the apartment. We will live in part of it. We have another big room which opens to the street where we have already begun to hold Sunday church services, weekly Bible study and prayer meeting.

Wilckly is preaching and teaching. He spends time going around with Fresnel, getting to know the area better and meeting people. This way he gets to know the people, Haitian and Dominican, and through these contacts he will figure out the greatest needs of the people and how we can help with some of those needs whether it is school and education, food, clothing, housing or jobs. It's by meeting some of their greatest needs and building relationships that we slowly earn the right to share Jesus with them which we know is truly their greatest need.

We were so blessed by this trip together and it truly felt like home as we were able to drive from one end of the island to the other to visit our kids and grandkids that we hadn't seen in two years and others five or more. The greenery and tropical foliage cover the area reminding us of how beautiful Haiti would be without all the corruption and greed. We held a dedication for the church on Monday night before I left. There are two Haitian pastors and their families helping Wilckly to establish the church there in Lavega. It was very emotional as we praised and worshipped God in full blown Haitian Creole!!! We truly felt God's hand rest upon us and we felt at home, at ease.

Thanks so much to all of you who gave and prayed for us to make this possible. Thank you for your support and faithfulness to the Lord all these years. We continue to count on you as we move forward in ministry.

In Christ,

Dee and Wilckly



Top left: The building in which we are renting the lower floor. Bottom left: Joy in seeing it with our own eyes! Below: Surveying the land we are purchasing.





With YOUR help we were able to purchase some of the following already! Please pray about how you can help with the rest of our start-up costs:

House set-up needs with known costs:

- 1 air conditioner for apartment, \$685 (1 purchased!)
- 1 bed at \$463 (1 bed purchased!)
- Stove. \$648
- Three fans \$195 (1 fan purchased!)
- Microwave \$167
- Refrigerator **\$843** (Purchased!)

House set-up needs with yet-to-be-determined costs:

- Propane 2 tanks with regulator
- Washing machine
- Drver
- 3 sets of sheets (1 purchased!)
- Dishes
- Pots and pans

- Pitchers
- Mixing bowls
- Storage containers w/lids
- Hot water heater for shower and kitchen

Church set-up needs with known costs:

- 25 chairs \$20 (25 purchased!)
- Betty Lukens flannelgraph extra large figures \$329.76
- I-pad to film teaching/preaching live \$299.00 + 48 2yr. Warranty at Best Buy = \$347
- Tri-P.O.;D. for I-pad \$12 \$15
- Disposable communion 500 ct. \$97.99 or 250 ct. for \$54.00 (purchased!)
 - Pamphlets 300ct \$60 per 100 (200 purchased!)

Church set-up needs with yet-to-be-determined costs:

- Bibles Creole/French
- Bibles Spanish
- Hymn books Creole/French
- Hymn Books Spanish
- Smart tv for DR to watch live broadcast of teaching and preaching by us when we are in the states
- Internet to be able to communicate and broadcast live lessons (\$?) per month
- Communion trays, used

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