

The Gateway Center for World Mission

# Gateway News

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## You are Part of the Good News

God is on the move in Uganda and Haiti. You have given us the privilege of serving you and the Lord by ministering to pastors in these two nations. Be encouraged as you see how your gifts are making such a difference as the forces of darkness are being pushed back in very real ways.

**In Haiti** Two weeks ago we met with 42 of the leading pastors gathered together for the Gateway Center's Strategic Intercession Training. They came to testify of what God did as a result of the Gateway training in April of 2009 and to plan how they will work together in the days ahead to establish the Kingdom of God in Haiti. Here are some reports:

*We were going to do a water baptism in the creek near our church. When we went down, the voodoo priest came and told us that we could not use this water, that he had put a spirit into the water, and it now belonged to them (the voodoo believers). We argued that the stream was Haitian and belonged to everyone in Haiti and we were going to proceed, which we did. The voodoo priest started screaming at us and cursing us. As we entered the water, the voodoo priest also sat down at the edge of the water with his feet in the stream. He told us that his was going to send a snake to bite and kill those in the water. He continued to curse us. All of the sudden he fell face down into the water. He was pulled out and died soon after. To our great God all praise and glory!- Pastor from Grand Anse Department of Haiti*

*Our town is known as a center for the Voodoo celebration of Rah Rah (Mardi Gras). We have a band that was a*

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**In Uganda** In 2007 you enabled the Gateway Center to respond to an invitation from the Diocese of Bunyoro-Kitara to help them rebuild their mission and evangelism department. At that time, GCWM was able to train 700 pastors and leaders. They, in turn, trained another 600 leaders. These won 1800 people from a Muslim background and from a demonic cult named Bishaka.

This April we met with pastors and leaders from the Kigadi area known as the center of the Bishaka cult. They needed help with discipleship training to strengthen believers. For several years, they had been praying for the people in the Bishaka cult. The church held open air evangelism meetings.

We witnessed the cult's second in command repent publicly and return to the Lord. He had been a key figure for 28 years. With him came families that had been in the cult for 10-15 years. We saw baptisms of whole families returning to their church. **God is on the move and you are making a difference!**

We would like you see your fruit through the eyes of our host, Rev. Eric Twine, Venerable Archdeacon Kigadi, Uganda.

*April 27: I am writing to officially register my humble thanks to you for your ministry in Kagadi. I too thank all who prayed and supported you. Your love, devotion and commitment humbled but also encouraged me much. You are a great blessing to my ministry and life.*

*Participants were truly given skills to help*  
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Haiti: A time of consecration



Haitian leaders discuss spiritual warfare



Remote church in Kurukuru, Uganda

## Haiti



Testimonies of Gods power in Haiti



Anointing regional Haitian leaders



Discipleship training Mohorro, Uganda



Worship in motion Ugandan style



Martha talking with Ugandan leaders

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central part of the Rah Rah celebration, and people would come from all over to hear them. After our session last year we began to get people in churches praying for our town; that God would rid us of the dark forces, especially at Rah Rah. As we prayed one of the band members got saved. He joined the church and began to pray for the other band members. Before Rah Rah this year all of the band members were saved and they refused to play. The Rah Rah celebration was very poor and few people celebrated as the spirit of God was moving.

*It was reported that a voodoo priest in a neighboring town was walking along the road and saw a demon visually. When he asked the demon was what he was doing there, the demon replied that he was the demon over our town. He could no longer live there because the Christians were praying so he had come to live in the neighboring village.- Pastor in Northeast Haiti*

The Spirit of the Lord filled the air as the pastors and leaders ministered to each other and began to see a "New Haiti" with eyes of faith. The words of the Lord's prayer, "Thy kingdom come, thy will be done ON EARTH as it is in heaven" began to take on life and build hope for establishing Haiti as a nation as God sees it. Through the word, intercession, and the power of the Holy Spirit people are walking into churches asking to be saved. The President of Haiti cancelled Rah Rah this year and asked instead for three days of prayer and fasting for those who died in the earthquake. Over a million people came out in Port Au Prince and cried out for the Lord to heal their nation. Over three thousand came to know the Lord; one hundred were Voodoo priests. Our host said it was happening all over Haiti. To God be the Glory!

## Uganda

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them move from Vision to Mission. I have started realising that. Training key leaders in the whole Archdeaconry was a great work that obviously will move the Church a step ahead. You equipped, Empowered and Commissioned them. To be sincere my ministry always suffer financial bankruptcy which actually fail me what I would do, but when you came with support it made a great difference. Together many other changes will happen. Your funding and the study environment experienced by learners made them love their ministry more. Praise God! There are indeed many other groups that need to be equipped, Empowered and commissioned as well to realise my Vision. God knows which other group will follow. What did you think when Leaders of Kurukuru Church said it was their first time to see a white person in their Church? There is great need.

*May 17: The Lord is shocking me to see how many are being converted to the Christian faith. Your training is making great impact.*

*June 9: The Lord asked me in a dream that "When do you need Kenneth and Martha's ministry again?" and my quick answer was "You Know Lord!". This was a rare thing for me. We woke up with Margret and prayed for His will.*

*June 18: God is giving me a big dream but doesn't know how to do it. Many brothers and sisters have seen light and turned to Christ BUT we have never brought them together for counselling and discipling. God is always speaking to me about this. How possible would it be for me to mobilise them for your next mission to Kagadi? This is really a big challenge and something to pray for. Most of them were born there, others spent over twenty years so much blinded. If all mobilised they approach 1000. This would mean a Conference. What a huge ministry. Surely let us pray for this to happen at God's own time. Or is it possible to get friends who can support this noble cause for us to do it locally here. I mean using mission experienced people from here in Uganda?*

## Stephen's Pictures

***"I have gotten to see the full circle of my gifts to your ministry in this trip," Stephen said. "I have seen your teaching turn into a mission movement for Christ."***

Stephen has been a good friend of the Gateway Center for many years. He took the Perspectives course in 2001 and helped with the first Living Out God's Destiny Course in 2002. He has been a Gateway Level donor since 2007.

Last year he came to the Gateway Prayer Conference. Besides learning about the same strategic prayer we taught to the pastors in Haiti, the Lord stirred in him the desire to go with us to Haiti.

Last month he accompanied Martha to Haiti (Ken was already there). He came as the GCWM on-site intercessor and photographer. He spent much of his time praying and taping the conference, but very much enjoyed getting to know the pastors and fellowshiping with them.

Stephen's first trip through the streets of Haiti was in the open back of the large truck we travel in there. He got to experience fully the heat, smells, dust and smoke as we traveled the hour to the OMS Guest House through rubble, tents, and makeshift markets.

It is our practice to have a team meeting every evening before we retire. Stephen would always have a word for us. Because his job was to "watch and pray," he had great insights. We would take what he had for us and use them. He also got to tell the pastors directly what he was sensing from the Lord.

What Stephen experienced wasn't translated easily into pictures. He saw men and women on fire for the revival of Haiti and ready to take the Gospel of Christ to the world. He saw pastors encouraging each other in the Lord and having great excitement about doing this together. He did *not* hear mention of their hardships or bad conditions. They never grumbled about living conditions, although they were extremely happy to have bathroom facilities with showers (cold) and they ate heartily.

As Stephen rode back through the streets of Port Au Prince he saw with spiritual eyes the "New Haiti" the pastors talked about. He could pray with us: **Thy Kingdom Come and Thy will be done here in Haiti.**

Stephen is looking forward to taking pictures of the New Haiti. The pastors of Haiti have a five year plan and have asked the Lord that we "would see it with our natural eyes."

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Haitian leaders discussing strategy for the year ahead



Stephen and Martha talk with a church network leader

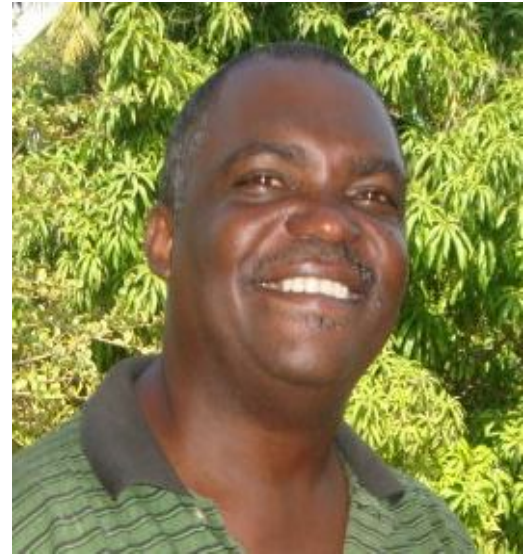
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Releasing the  
Kingdom of God in  
the Nations

If you would like to see pictures of Joel's home going as well as more of what the Lord has been doing through you, visit the Gateway Center website, [www.gatewaycwm.org](http://www.gatewaycwm.org)



**Pastor Joel Beaucejour**  
**May 18, 1960-May 23,2010(Pentecost)**

## Remembering a Great Leader and Friend

Many of us in ministry have a chance to rub elbows with leaders who have great ministries. Every once in a while, however, God in his love and mercy allows us to have relationship with a truly great leader who carries in his heart the character of Jesus and the heart and vision to change nations. Joel Beaucejour was such a leader. His laugh brought joy, his love was consistent, and his faith both encouraged and strengthened you.

When the disciples were arguing about who would be the greatest in the Kingdom, Jesus said, "He who is greatest among you must be the servant of all." Joel was a servant of many and a leader of men from those in the Church to those in government and media.

Pastor Joel was one of the few leaders who could regularly bring together leaders from all parts of Haiti and a wide spectrum of the Body of Christ. God gave him a love for the widows and the orphans as well as those in high position. He always longed to see his beloved Haiti redeemed as a nation for the Lord. He also had a vision of Haitians raising up their own missionaries and sending them to Benin, Africa and other nations in the ends of the earth.

When hurricanes devastated Haiti, he said, "Everything has been washed away. We have nothing but God; but God is enough." When the earthquake hit, he was the rock that brought peace to those around him. He carried a heavy burden, but he rarely showed it and always took it back to the Lord.

Joel was called to his reward on Pentecost Sunday five days after his 50th birthday. Everyone who knew him was stunned with disbelief. In our grief we got angry at Satan for taking out such a key leader before his time. As I (Ken) prayed, the Lord showed me that Joel was a type of Moses who had brought the people of Haiti through a desert place and given them the Lord's vision to take the land. He wasn't stolen; Joel gave his life to the Lord and those whom the Lord had given him.

Now it is time for the people of Haiti to take the promised land. Joel had planted the seeds of faith and vision to go in and take it city by city, stronghold by stronghold. Through him a Haitian mission organization, Misionares en Moison International (Missionaries in Harvest International), was formed by pastors and leaders to facilitate carrying out the vision. Leaders were set in place to train others.

I was told that shortly before his death the Lord gave Joel a dream of being brought up on a mountain to look out over the surrounding land. The Lord said to him, "You were down in the low areas and now you are up on the high areas." Joel looked up and saw an old man with white hair and a cane. It was himself. I believe that was the Lord showing Joel his beloved Haiti with the promise of inheritance, though he wouldn't walk in it. I also believe he heard the Lord say, "Well done, good and faithful servant." We will miss him greatly, but he will live with us through the seeds he has sown in all of us. We, too, will rejoice in seeing the Lord make Haiti a praise in the earth. To God be the Glory!