

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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Devastation in Haiti

Just before 5pm yesterday (Jan 12), an earthquake measuring 7.0 on the richter scale rocked the impoverished caribbean nation of Haiti. With the epicenter located just 10 miles west of Port Au Prince, Haiti's capital and home of over 2 million people, the devastation is massive, the loss of life unimaginable.

OPEN DOOR CHURCH

Our friends and ministry partners in Haiti are situated on the northern coast in the city of Cap Haitien/Bois De Lance, approximately 100 miles north of the epicenter. Even there, the quake and its aftershocks were felt strongly (5.0). The devastation in Port Au Prince is horrific. With many government buildings, hospitals, schools and businesses crumbled, and communication systems down, the whole country is crippled. Food, fuel and medicine will be hard to come by. A supply truck from Port Au Prince that was scheduled to bring food to our school children and hospital patients this week will now not come.

EARTHQUAKE HITS HAITI

Orange dots indicate locations where quake force greater than 5.0

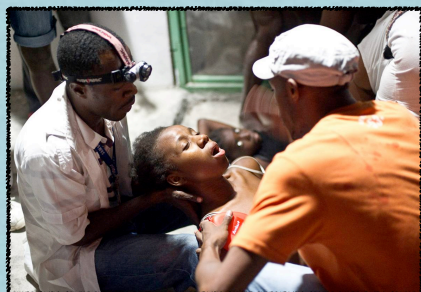


How Can You Help?

We are coordinating efforts with Missionary Flights International and Kids Against Hunger, Pure Water For All, and WorldWide Village to bring boxes of dried foods, water treatment kits and relief supplies to our ministry partners in Cap Haitien.

**Each box of food can feed 36 people for a week,
and will cost us only \$50 to ship.**

A gift of any amount to our ministry for Haiti Relief will help with these efforts. **Visit www.dougholliday.org to learn more.**



RECOVERY EFFORTS

The international community is bringing immediate relief to earthquake victims. Hundreds of thousands are feared dead.



WRECKAGE EVERYWHERE

In and around Port Au Prince, home to nearly 3 million people, schools, hospitals, businesses and homes are all destroyed.



PORT AU PRINCE, HAITI

The presidential palace crumbles, walls collapsing in on themselves. The capital of Haiti is in ruins.

Igniting Disciplemaking Movements

Devastation in Haiti (cont)

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In the days to come, we anticipate many of the earthquake survivors from Port Au Prince will be relocating to Cap Haitien (Haiti's second largest city) to live with relatives. Our opportunities to meet the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those suffering in Haiti will grow in the coming months. Many children will find themselves orphaned. Food and fuel shortages will cause people to resort to desperate measures. Pray that we are prepared to meet the growing need of both the displaced and impoverished in Cap Haitien.



DISNEY MARATHON WEEKEND

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On Saturday, January 9th, Jennifer and I ran (along with her brother Jonathan) Disney's Half Marathon. Jen and I ran the 13.1 miles together, and she was able to record her best time to date, 2:05, even though the temperature was 29 degrees with

freezing rain. Then on Sunday, being the glutton for punishment that I am, I came back again to run the Disney Marathon, a feat they affectionately call The Goofey Challenge (39.3 miles in two days). With the temperature dropping to 26 and never rising above 32, I was able to complete the 26.2 miles in 4:24. This year marked our fourth year in a row competing in Disney's Marathon Weekend :-)

WINTER/SPRING MINISTRY OPS

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As Jennifer and I prayed together in December, we were specifically seeking direction for the next few months of ministry. At that point, a few events had cancelled, leaving openings in our calendar, and the international trips to South Africa, the Philippines, Haiti, Kenya & Uganda were still a question mark because of ministry funding. Over the last month, God has opened up three additional ministry opportunities here in the US (VA, IN, TN) and He has provided enough in year end gifts for us to move forward with confidence on our international trips to South Africa, Haiti and the Philippines. Yea God! We are still trusting God for the \$5,000 needed for ministry in Kenya & Uganda in April.

Winter/Spring 2010

Jan 15-19	Relief/HAITI
Jan 29-31	JH Retreat/MI
Feb 2-4	SOYM/HAITI
Feb 12-13	SG Event/VA
Feb 19-26	South Africa
Mar 5-7	JH Retreat/WI
Mar 7-10	JH Event /IN
Mar 11-19	Philippines
Mar 26-28	Speaking, TN
Apr 20-30	Kenya/Uganda

WE SERVE A BIG GOD!

God is in control. We are confident in His character, His goodness, His love. 2009 has been a year full of challenges and difficulties, but God is in control. 2010 has started with immense heartache for our sisters and brothers in Haiti, but God is in control. He is our strength. He is our shelter. He is our peace. He is our comfort. He is our Father. Nothing is too difficult for Him! We expect miracles!

*Serving Christ Together,
Doug & Jennifer*

OUR MISSION

DHM exists to
Engage the Body of Christ
in its Great Commandment-
Great Commission Priorities
by Inspiring, Instructing & Involving
the Next Generation of
Missional Leaders Worldwide!

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