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Psalm 31:15 (KJV) *My times are in thy hand...*

And so many of us during this difficult Coronavirus time have learned the truth of yet another truth:

Psalm 27:14 (KJV) *Wait on the LORD: be of good courage,
and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the LORD.*

We don't minimize the seriousness of COVID-19, nor the health implications involved. We have lived and ministered in a "3rd World Country" for 44+ years; precaution, prudence and the Lord have kept us alive as implants in a very hostile environment! At the same time, we are aware of the call of God on our lives according to **1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (KJV)** "*What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's.*" Everybody is going to die, of one thing or the other. **Think about it, if not this, then it will be that which will take you out of this world.** The born-again believer knows where he/she is going and WHOM they will see the moment he/she dies. **Do you? Do you know where you would be immediately upon death?!! Physical death is the "usher" for the soul/spirit, the person who lives in your body. Where will it usher you?**

STILL BREATHING

One of the good things that has come of this "bad thing" is people's awareness that the Lord God is and has given them fresh air all their lives and they have never considered to say, "Thank You God"! May the Lord continue to use this time to help people see there is more to life than "making a living."

STILL IN HAITI

Our date to fly "out" was the 26th of March. Our flight out was cancelled and we were informed the following week that we could fly out commercial if we could get to the capitol. But this window did not remain open too long, plus we decided that we were much safer here at home than getting in a plane for several hours with whomever flying from wherever. We would have had to fly into Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, and rent a car to Ft. Pierce, Florida, see family in Okeechobee, Florida, and then on to Baldwin, Florida, where we will reside, the Lord willing.

MAMA TURNED 101

An event we missed was (Don's) mother's birthday. The Heath & Rehabilitation Center where Mama is staying is closed to the public. They did celebrate her birthday and we got a picture of her and one on Resurrection Day/Easter.

MINISTERING THE WORD

Don called the US and cancelled our scheduled doctor's appointments. On March 20, the Haitian government instructed no more than 10 for an inside meeting. So, Sunday the 22nd, Pastor Benji had a combined Sunday School/Morning Worship service outside. We do not have the "live streaming" possibilities, but Benji/Kerri have phones with the "WhatsApp. Thus, we were able to develop a theme concerning our Inheritance April 6th-10th and send the pre-recorded meditation every evening. Pastor Benji closed with a phone message on Sunday/Easter-Resurrection Day! Bible School classes are curtailed, the men turn in their homework assignments weekly and have the possibility of personal meetings with Pastor Benji or their national professor.

Keep on praying for us! We both benefit; you get to talk with The Creator and our needs are put before HIM!

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