

Today will mark a first for us. 2013 has already brought many updates and changes and this is just one that opens up right now. Many of you know that Marcel has had surgery on his wrist about 3 weeks ago and continues to heal up while here in the states. The doctors are pleased with the progress but want him to stay here until at least one more check up is completed and then they will decide where to go from there. So, right now, as this is being written a team is headed to Haiti to work with the EMEVI team. No big deal right? Except this time Marcel will not be there to lead so it's time to hone up on our skills as the Lord leads on. Being stretched? Out of your comfort zone? Challenged in your faith? Maybe it's time to take a step as He is calling. Many on both sides, here in the states and those in Haiti may have become a bit too comfortable and dependant on having Marcel right there. Of course the ministry needs to stand whether Marcel is there or not after all it's God's and not any one person's or our focus is out of whack. A quote out of "God in the Garden" from Billy Graham's journal dated May 16th, 1957 says "I long ago discovered that I cannot do all the Lord's work. That's the reason we have a team." So once again here we are today as the Lord is rising up leaders to meet the challenges that are right before them. Please pray for both teams, those in Haiti and those headed there from the 3rd to the 11th. Marcel is not gone and consulting is still possible but the potential for the days ahead as each person involved (that includes those praying) rises to the challenges before them are great. We trust this will be for the kingdom of God and to glorify Him.

Is he idle?

Cannot remember seeing Marcel idle for any amount of time. While here in the states he has visited many, so consider this just a sample. The children were curious about this fellow. He has an accent not heard before and it was a first time to meet him finding a bit of white in his hair confirming he's not as young as their dad. The children have practiced different languages before in their home school but now we have someone who really speaks a different one. Time for a [lesson in Creole](#) brief as it may be it has left an impression not soon to be forgot. Who knows these young ones may be the next generation to "visit" our brothers and sisters in Haiti.



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---Please continue to pray for healing for Marcel and clear direction for the days ahead---

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