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Medical and Nurturing Missions in Guyana, South America

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God's Plans For 2005 Not Revealed Yet

Well, here we are in the fall and the summer missions of 2004 are over. What do we do for an encore?

We don't know that. We do not plan any new items for next year, but then sometimes God comes along and reminds us that we are not in charge of planning. What a lesson to learn!

Last year at this time, we didn't know about the school, which has been a tremendous boost to the Guyana program. We knew we would have the missions teams, clinic, Live the Mission encampment and our "normal" activities.

Just goes to show you never know when God is going to present an opportunity. That is why he says we must be ready, in season, out of season or whenever. Because He is going to tell us when it is the right time.

Just when we think our "plate is full," God presents another challenge. We are looking forward to seeing what He presents next.

Here are some new things that have just occurred within the last few weeks:

A hospital in Tennessee donated an **ambulance** for Guyana. What a wonderful opportunity! More on that later.

Work has begun on our video, to present our work to home congregations. There will be several "infomercials" on Operation Guyana in general and Live the Mission Encampment in particular.

We are also working to update our electronic newsletter. Because of the changes to computers and security concerns, we will probably have to change the way we send the newsletter out. Some of you already cannot view the newsletter in html format.

Windows XP SP2 updates will go out to more and more users over the next few months, making the issue even more critical. More internet providers are also blocking html documents.

For more news and information on past and upcoming events, check out the website at www.guyana-missions.org.

May God continue to bless you all!

—Steve



Part of the worshippers during the Veatch's recent trip.

Local Missions Radiating Outwards

Much of the news from Guyana missions concerns teams from the U.S. doing work in and around Georgetown, but those are not the only missions teams at work.

Recently, Jerry and Pat Veatch, along with a number of local Christians, traveled to Annai to take songbooks, communion supplies and gifts for the children.

Annai is approximately an 11-hr. trip, some of it on dirt roads at a speed of about 22 miles per hour. They met with 55 kids and 45 adults that day. Several people had made the trip over in February and found locals who had left other types of churches and were just doing the best they could to follow the Bible.

"This shows," Steve DeLoach, director of Operation Guyana, said, "how the work of God radiates out.

"This has been the objective: to teach and train the people who will in turn teach others. The school has been a wonderful vehicle for that. We don't just teach them and leave them to their own devices. We try to equip them to be better leaders and Christians."

More than 125 students went through the school since it opened in May. Some may only take one course, others may continue their studies.

For more information on Operation Guyana and its missions, go to www.guyana-missions.org and click on the 2004 Report link.

Britt-DeLoach CDs Are Still Available

"Days Gone By," the Britt-DeLoach CD, is still available and the price has been reduced. Check out the following website: www.brittdeloach.com. All proceeds go to the work in Guayana.

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