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Coming in 2017

*We will be taking our annual trip to Roatan March 24 – April 3. Please pray for the safety of our group, and that God will bless those who we come in contact with. We never know what God has in store!

*This year, we are offering sponsorship as another way to support our ministry. Soon, our website will list various needs for the people of Roatan (education, food, medicine, transportation, etc.) and you will have the opportunity to make monthly contributions to help those specific people. Be sure to sign up for our email newsletter to learn more or send us an email to learn of immediate needs.

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Due to the grace of God and your support, we were able to accomplish so much in 2016 on the island of Roatan, Honduras. It would not be possible without your generosity. We want to share with you just what it is we do in Roatan, so enjoy these updates & be sure to sign up for our e-mail newsletter to receive future updates right to your inbox!

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Roatan, 2016

We were so blessed by this year's trips. Our February trip was a blessing to us and we were so grateful to be able to return in November to visit the mainland.

Will you be on the next trip with us?

Hot Dog Feeds

In February, we held hot dog feeds in the communities of La Colonia, Sandy Bay, Milton Bight, & Gravel Bay. Between these 4 locations, we served over 2,000 hot dogs, watermelon, bananas, chips and fresh water. This is also where we hand out about 1,100 goody bags. Each bag includes a salvation tract, hygiene items, cross necklace, candy, and school supplies. All adults also receive a Bible.

Hospital

The doctors and nurse do what they can with what little they have. Through our relationship with Dr. Ray, the director, we have unlimited access to most patient rooms. With our boys, we distributed bags to kids and adults. Each child also received a stuffed animal. For 2017, we know we need at least twice as many bags! Dr. Ray was very appreciative of the medical supplies we brought.

Roofing and Repair Ministry

Over the years, God has given us the privilege of helping repair storm damaged homes, build homes for scratch, repair rain damaged roofs, and even build a retaining wall for a gravesite. We are looking forward to expanding this ministry in 2017.

"Mr. Bob's" Boys

*Be sure to sign up for our email newsletter for more info on Mr. Bob and his boys!

We have come to know and love our boys during our trips. This group of over 40 boys ranges in age from 5 to 46. Through the years, we've taught them to run the hot dog feeds – from set up to serving to clean up. They know they can't eat until everyone else has been served. They are a huge blessing helping us to serve and minister to the people of Roatan.



Miss Gloria

Miss Gloria was an 89-year-old woman who was always a blessing to us. She couldn't walk and was losing her eyesight to cataracts, but she still praised Jesus and loved to sing us hymns. Her home was the only one on her part of the island that got a radio signal! This last year, she suffered a stroke. Although we never go to Roatan in February, we were able to go and see her a week before she passed. We'll be forever blessed by how she taught us to praise God even in the tough times.



Breakfast Buddies

Each morning of our trip, we offer breakfast to 40+ kids and adults. They get all the cereal and juice they want! This is a great opportunity for us to get to know more of the people we help and build the relationships that are so vital to our ministry.

Shipping

This year, we shipped 2,000 pounds of supplies to Roatan at a cost of \$1.60/pound. This included all our goody bags, donated clothes, toys and medical supplies. We had a lot of support getting the bags packed, clothes rolled, & boxes stacked so all our supplies were in Roatan when we arrived. Praise



Kerlee & Family

As our ministry has grown, so has the need for someone in Roatan to help when we are not there. God brought Kerlee Dilbert into our lives 5 years ago as our shipping agent on the island. When the economy was low, she lost her job and we saw a great opportunity. Kerlee is now our missionary in Roatan and helps keep us updated on the needs of our kids & families. We pay her \$50 a month and it's not enough for all she does!



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