



I want to THANK everyone who donated money toward Bibles for the Haitian children. We surpassed the donations needed and will be purchasing additional Bibles for adults with the extra funds.

We were able to purchase Bible Stories for the little children and adult Bibles for the high school students. Life Literature donated Psalms and New Testaments Bibles for the middle school children, which was a blessing.

Each teacher received a *365 Days of Devotions* book. Many teachers hugged us as they were given this book. Most of them were reading the day's devotion before we left their classroom.

We started on Sunday after church, by putting the dedication labels into all 3,500 books. Our team pitched in and got to know one another by working together.

The children were so excited to receive their very own book. It was fun to see their faces as they looked into the front of the book and saw the dedication plates. We made sure that each student understood that someone in the US cared enough to send them a Bible. Their smiles of gratitude and their words of thanks were a great reward for all of us.

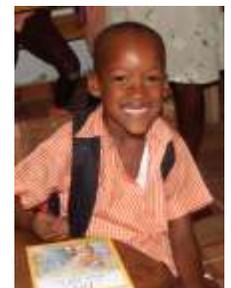
The high school students, who often try to be tough or cool, were grateful as well and showed it.

Some of the teachers tried to ask the children to pass their books to the front of the classrooms until school ended. We saw panicked kids as they put the books in their book bags or under their shirts so that they didn't have to pass them. Teachers reassured the students that they would give them back to take home at the end of the day. Many children walked home hugging their books.

I am grateful to each of you that donated. It was a blessing to be able to provide Bibles for these children. We couldn't have done it without YOU!

God Bless You, Denise Douglas & Haiti Team 2016

Our Mission is to work in partnership with the people of Haiti through programs, construction and education that will empower them to improve the quality of life within their culture.



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