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Hello everyone,

I imagine that all of you have been busy preparing for the 4th of July national holiday, just like France with the 14th of July. Meet our new sister in Christ Denise Durizot. She had been with the Jehovah witnesses since 1977 but did not become one till 1989. She has an interesting story because she was a good friend of one of my students from WBS in Guadeloupe. This was Marie Gerand, who was baptized about 6 years ago. What I did not know, was the fact Denise was a neighbour of Marie, so she invited her to help her with the Bible correspondence course, therefore Denise told me about it. In fact what happened is that Denise searched the scriptures and realized that the Jehovah witnesses were wrong on many things. Her husband obeyed the gospel back in May and when Denise contacted us, she told me that she wanted to study the Bible; so every Wednesday we get together for study, and after 5 weeks she was baptized into Christ. God continues to work in mysterious ways in people's lives.

I have started a Bible study with a Haitian woman Durand Kerling who has been coming to worship for the past 2 months. She was raised a 7 day Adventist, doubting some of their teaching and she wanted to study to better understand God's will. The studies are going well.

For the last couple times Rose has been coming with me to Franck and Liva's apt. for our weekly studies. Since Franck has to work on Sunday mornings, they come to the evening service. A couple of weeks ago Franck lead a closing prayer and it was wonderful to hear him pray in public for the first time.

Wilfred Deschamps was transferred to a re-education center where he was supposed to stay 2 months, but due to the fact that it is so expensive and they do not have medical coverage here in France, they kept him only for two weeks, and will do the rest of his re-education in Mauritius Island. On the 24th I took them to the airport to go back home. They were so happy to be going home, which I understand perfectly. Even though their trip was long they arrived safely.

For the Sunday night Bible class we started a new class "Now that in am in Christ" and Brother Paul Tews is teaching it and is doing a good job. The Dédéyan family moved into their house they have purchased and we are very rejoicing with them and for them.

At last I finished the PowerPoint presentation "The covenants of God through the Bible". With the help of Pamela McAdams we put the presentation "History of the church, reformation and restoration" on the website only in French for the time being, since she did not have enough time with us. I also have finished the Power point presentation the "The Kingdom and reign of God", except for recording the sound, which I will do soon I can get to it.

My initial plan for my trip to Africa in September was to go to the following countries: Cameroon, Democratic republic of Congo and Djibouti. In Cameroon to work with Simon and Nadege Motaze to have a gospel meeting and a seminar. I was invited to the Republic Democratic of Congo to teach at the Bible School or Preacher training School and to Djibouti to teach and encourage the only Church of Christ there. But due to the fact that altogether it would cost more than \$8,800.00, so instead I will only go to Cameroun and Lord willing next year I will be going to the other two countries.

Lord willing I will leaving Paris around the 18th of September till October the 6th. So far \$100.00 have been contributed toward my trip to Cameroon, Altogether with everything included it will \$2.700.00 that is for air fare, vaccination, insurance, visa, and teaching materiel that I will be taking with me , plus food and transportation while there.

As altogether we strive to serve our Master it is a rejoicing thought to know that people around the world are searching for the TRUE gospel and are willing to submit to it. We will be ever grateful unto you for your partnership in the Lord's work in the French World.

Have a pleasant summer.

Roland Mohsen.