

The situation in Haiti continues to deteriorate. Kidnappings, murder, intimidation and rapes are rampant. A week ago Sunday a gang entered First Baptist Church in Port-au-Prince, killed a deacon and kidnapped his wife. Some have come on the University campus with machetes stealing anything of value and raping girls. Many more very bad things are happening that does not get reported here in the USA. Now they kidnaped 14 missionaries, 13 Americans and 1 Canadian of which 4 are children. Despite this being a tragedy it is serving to get the attention of the officials here. Hopefully it will cause an intervention of some sort. Today the people of Haiti went on strike demanding an end of the violence. They are blocking roads with burning tires. Besides the violence they have soaring fuel prices and lack of many food sources. The president was assassinated and they have no functioning congress. It seems like an impossible situation but we know this is what God excels at. From the walls of Jericho to the divided Red Sea He can intervene.

Nzunga and Kihomi want to go back as soon as possible but obviously they can't under these conditions. Please pray for a Moses type to show up now to calm these troubled waters.

Blessings,

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