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## Dear Friends,

In 2012 God called me to begin the ministry of BRIDGES and my life has never been the same. Serving the impoverished people of Haiti in these last 6 years alongside some amazing teams of people, building 5 Bridges and 2 Schools, has been the most impacting work of my life and I marvel at what God has done! However, after our last mission trip, when our team was caught in the middle of very dangerous riot, we were compelled to pray about the future of BRIDGES and as a result, we believe God is bringing things to a halt in this season. Although we have questions, we trust His heart and His ways even though we don't understand all the details.

So, what is the future of BRIDGES? Will we build somewhere else? Is our work in Haiti done for good? We don't know the future, but we know today that God would have us bring this work to a close.

As the days move on, our ears and eyes will be open for His leading and we pray we will be wise, bold and confident enough to follow His plan, whatever He chooses.

If you contributed or served with us in any way over the years in the BRIDGES Mission, we thank you. It has been my joy to serve with you. And, you can know that God used you in a powerful way, impacting the lives of so many!

In Him.

**BRIDGES Ministry Director** 

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