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## Missionary Information

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**Brief Description of Ministry:** It is our desire to shine the light of the gospel throughout the islands of the West Indies. We began making trips to the region in the year 2000 and moved there as full-time missionaries in 2003. Our primary ministry is church planting and in 2004 we started Arouca Baptist Church on the island of Trinidad. We returned to the field in February of 2012 for our third term. We have been able to remain in the country since then and are now in the process of getting our residency.

**Current Ministry Goals:** Our most current goal is the continuation of growth at Arouca Baptist Church. We hope to purchase land, build a building, and turn the ministry over to the nationals so that we can start another church.

**Urgent or Ongoing Prayer Request:** Our most urgent request is that we would be able to get permanent residency in Trinidad. We are on the path to getting that, but it has not been finalized yet. An additional request is that we need to raise additional financial support. Due to our ongoing struggle with residency, we have not been able to take a furlough since 2012. It's good that we've been able to stay on the field for so long, but that means we haven't been able to raise new support in America.