

ROOTED + Resilient



FROM DARK TO LIGHT

You made it possible for young men and women to step out of darkness into God's light. You made it possible for HTC to meet our end of year match and step into 2025 with strength.

Your support to empower young men and women, so that Haiti will be a witness to the nations for God's glory, is happening. One of our HTC graduates is headed to the country of Grenada to help them launch a Teen Challenge. Another HTC graduate is in the northern city of Cap Haitian launching a branch of RVC. Julio is speaking with Christian leaders in Africa about how God is using HTC and RVC to transform a nation..

Thank you!

CHANGE THE YOUTH AND CHANGE A NATION



I was born into a family who practiced the dark arts. One day my father's friend moved in with us. While my father was out, this man held me against my will, silenced me and abused me. He threatened to kill me if I were to ever tell my dad what happened.

I left home and moved in with my aunt. She was a voodoo worshiper and required me to go to voodoo seances. When I would refuse, she would severely punish me. The voodoo practices increased the darkness in my life.

In April 2018, my neighborhood was overrun by gangs. I was held captive and abused by them. Upon release, I began selling myself to fulfill my needs. I went from partner to partner while practicing voodoo. I was without hope, but one day I reconnected with my friend Davidson, an HTC graduate. I saw how his life had completely changed. God had transformed him and I was hopeful God could do the same for me.

I joined the HTC program. Surrendering my life to Jesus was not an easy decision to make. I had to accept that I could not change my past, but God

still loved me. During my time of personal devotion God gave me James 4:8-9,

"Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, purify your heart, you doubled minded. Grieve, mourn and wail...

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will lift you up."

I was compelled to surrender my life to Christ and to be baptized. My life without Jesus was a failure but today I am proud of the woman I have become and I am my parent's pride and joy. Only God could do such a miracle!

Pastor Julio says,

"Change the youth and you can change a nation."

I believe this is true, because of how God changed me. Thank you for bringing God's light into the darkness in Haiti.

Charline

**HTC's mission and vision is from Isaiah 61:1-9.
HTC is "raising up godly leaders of integrity to rebuild THEIR nation, so
that Haiti will be a witness for God's Glory."**

Haiti Teen Challenge relies on hearts impacted by Jesus to fund its operations. Thank you for giving.

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