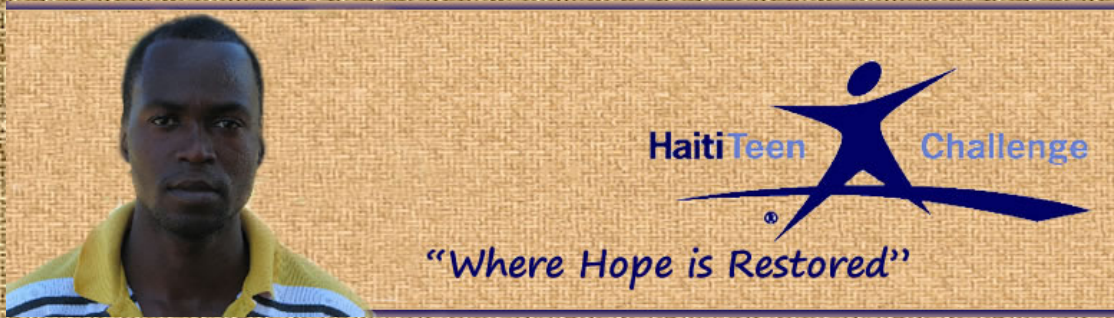


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Haiti Teen Challenge to open in Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Haiti Teen Challenge (HTC) plans to open a Teen Challenge facility in the capital city of Haiti, Port-au-Prince. It will focus on male youth, ages 16-22 with life controlling problems. The program is dedicated to equipping male youth through spiritual discipleship, literacy/vocation training and life/leadership skills to become godly leaders, so they can become more effective role models for their children, families and the communities they live in. www.haititc.org

Haiti has over 2500 non-profit organizations active in the country, but limited attention is given to the support and development of the male youth between the ages of 16 to 22 years old. Statistics show that over 62 percent of the Haitian population is under the age of twenty-five. HTC believes that building alliances with other like-minded NGO's active in Haiti to provide food, water, health care and housing is a key component to creating a sustainable and self-reliant community transformation.

After two years of planning HTC seeks to become a reality in early 2010. The plan is to draw from the experience and success of Minnesota Teen Challenge www.mntc.org, an organization that focuses on transforming people with life controlling problems into responsible and productive citizens. HTC will also work in close association with, Worldwide Village www.worldwidevillage.org, Global Teen Challenge, www.globaltc.org and other non-profit organizations.

The Haitian economy and culture bring new challenges, but our vision is to build a proven program model and then expand the program to multiple locations in Haiti for both young men and women.

You can help bring hope and restoration

You can partner with Haiti Teen Challenge with your financial donations and prayerful support. Your financial support is needed to help fund the program but your prayer support is what will keep the program going. For more information visit our website. We want to hear from you.

Haiti Teen Challenge Website:
www.haititc.org