

## Avenues to Applications

### Avenue 1

Introduction to the program  
Dealing with culture shock  
Language application/acquisition  
Practical ministry outside of America

### Avenue 2

Auto Mechanics

### Avenue 3

Small engine repair  
Generator function and sizing

### Avenue 4

Introduction to solar power  
Basic electrical  
Basic plumbing  
Basic construction

### Avenue 5

Medical emergencies on the field  
Dental challenges on the field

### Avenue 6

Food preparation and preservation  
Kitchen creativity – substitution of ingredients  
Education – MKs and the ministry  
Water filtration basics



**Harry & Melissa Peart** have been missionaries in the northern mountains of Haiti since 2006. Together with their four children they serve as church planting missionaries and also are involved in education ministries.

Harry has over 20 years of experience in the ministry serving as an associate pastor, Christian School teacher, music director, youth pastor, and missionary.

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**A.P.P.S.  
Internship  
Program**

*The experience  
of a lifetime!*

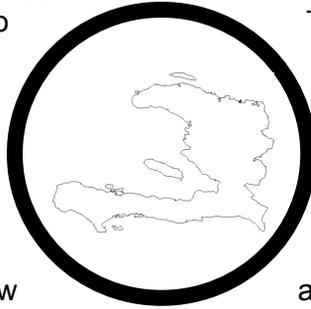


**AVENUES FOR  
PRACTICAL  
PREPARATIONS FOR  
SERVICE**

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***“Is there a need to prepare our future missionaries?” “I majored in missions at Bible college. All I need is my Bible on the field.”***

These are just a few things that I have heard for over twenty years in the ministry. We first came to the field in 2006 following God’s call on our life to plant churches. Since then our ministry has grown as God has stretched our faith. We have learned so much while being on the field here in Haiti. For example I have learned how to clean and rebuild a carburetor on a generator. I have learned how to install a water filtration system. I have



learned how to change head gaskets on an ATV. I have learned how to stitch a cut. This is the tip of the iceberg when it comes to all God has allowed me to learn, not to mention all the spiritual lessons of totally trusting in HIM! If this list caught you off guard, then you were like I was before we came to the field. While in college and working in the ministry for over 20 years in the states, I learned a lot about the Bible and the ministry, but I was not prepared for the obstacles we would face trying

to keep my family alive in a third world country. I was fortunate that I grew up as a “PK” – that’s right a Plumber’s Kid. My dad taught me many things, and we came to work with veteran missionaries here in Haiti. There are some prospective missionaries that might make it to the field, but run into problems and leave the field. My goal for the APPS program is not to teach doctrine or philosophy, but instead practical strategies that missionaries can use to keep themselves and their families safe and healthy on the mission field.

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**The APPS Program is . . .**

designed with practical pre-field helps and hands-on training to prepare future missionaries for life on the field. A.P.P.S. stands for **A**venues of **P**ractical **P**reparation for **S**ervice.

**The APPS Program is . . .**

located in Walondry, Haiti, close to the town of St. Raphael, on the Open Door Baptist Missions-Maranatha Campus. While here each intern will be attending classes which will equip you with practical lessons and skills that will hopefully ease your transition to the field. We hope your visit will be one in which the Lord does great things in your life and in the lives of the Haitians you will meet.

**The APPS program is . . .**

a six week program that teaches Basic courses in auto mechanics, small engine repair, plumbing, construction, electrical, alternative energy sources, diesel mechanics, generator usage and rating, medical and dental care, and food preservation and handling. Each intern will experience first-hand many cultural and practical challenges that can affect the ministry. They will also be able to actively participate in current ODBM ministries in Haiti.

**The APPS program is . . .**

for those who have completed at least one year of college and feel as though God is calling him or her to the mission field. Also it is open for missionaries who are preparing to serve in third world countries.

**What next . . .**

- ⇒ **Pray for God’s direction.**  
**God’s Word will confirm God’s direction.**
- ⇒ **Fill out and return application.**  
**Contact the person who gave you this brochure, use the QR code on the front of this brochure, or go to <http://www.thepeartfamily.com/a-p-p-s-internship-program/>**
- ⇒ **Contact the Peart family with questions.**  
**peartfamily@gmail.com**

**After acceptance in the program . . .**

- ◇ **Apply for your passport.**  
**Contact your local US Post Office.**
- ◇ **Check for needed vaccinations.**
- ◇ **Send your deposit to:**  
**Open Door Baptist Missions**  
**1115 Pelham Rd.**  
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