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Attends OLA parish, Agriculture program.

"I am married 3 years and some months ago. but we don't have children yet. We are waiting for God. It is God who give."

How does the program help you? Answer: It is a good program. Before I didn't have training and support. I used to do agriculture by routine. The program that I am part of facilitates me, the way I plant, the way I take care of the soil. I now have more skills to be able to do those activities better. So, the training helps me to move the agriculture ahead.

What do you use to plant before receiving the training? Answer: Before I received the training, I used to plant plantain, I used to keep animals, like pig, goat, cow.

With the program that St Margaret Mary implemented in the parish, what do you plant that is new? Answer: What I plant that is new is this type of plantain that we didn't have in the community. They came from another place. If you are looking at this great garden, it is from the program I received those plantain, I planted them they are very beautiful that will help us to have money to take of what we need.

The fact that you are part of the SMM Program, will that help you to better take care of your family? Answer: Yes, and when we have children, that will help us to take care of our family, of ourselves. Because the program has started, and as I said we hope the program won't stop, it will spread. Thus, that will help us in our needs.

What do you find hat is good in the program and what needs to be improved? Answer: What I find good in the program is what we learned. At first three of us weren't in the livestock program. Then we received a goat. My goat gave birth to three babies. One was given back, another one gave birth to one baby, the third one doesn't give birth yet. I would like to see the Livestock Program continue.

How can you help people in your community? Answer: The way I can help people in my community, what I have, If they don't have, I can share with them so that they can have too. Thus, everybody will have and we will eat properly.

If there is a word to say to SMM, what would it be? Answer: What I can say to SMM, so I can say thank you because they are thinking of us Haitians especially those who are living in a miserable way in the community; for who you are for the parish. We are going to pray God so that He can always keep you alive, thus you will continue thinking of us in Our Lady of Assumption Parish. Thank you.