

## New At Show Time



Rainy weather didn't permit a recent WIVH Show Time to be take place outdoors, so station operators, Tiff and Jon Bowman, invited everyone inside for great viewing. A recent first time viewer was Chantell Joseph, of Grove Place.

## Improvement To Internet



Internet connection is what makes it possible for "Shirl and You" to be heard on WIVH. The morning program, heard at 10:00 a.m., originates from Pennsylvania with Virgin Island listeners able to participate. Making improvements to the system is Cecil Theodore, Jr., as he installs BroadBand VI.

## WIVH's Signal To Be Improved

After much engineering work and waiting for approval by the FCC, improvements to WIVH radio signal have been approved. These include forty percent more power, from 1000 to 1400 watts. A new transmitting location has also been approved.

"A new transmitter has been purchased, as has a new antenna and other equipment such as antenna cable, etc.," said Burl Updyke, WIVH manager.

He spoke with much excitement as he explained how the improvements will result in better reception of WIVH not only on St. Croix, St. Thomas, and St. John but also will reach out to islands unable to hear WIVH before.

The project will take place when the staff travels to WIVH later this year. "We have already had people volunteering their assistance, and we are seeking prayer for wisdom and safety as this extensive project becomes a reality," said Burl.

## *Prayer & Praise*

PRAY: for the people of Haiti, as they deal with the worst disaster ever. Pray that God's loving hands will be upon them and help them deal with their fears and sorrows.

PRAY: as WIVH plans many changes to improve its radio signal and that God will be glorified.

PRAY: Be praying for the success of this year's WIVH Shar-A-Thon to be held May 14 and 15.

PRAY: for the listeners of WIVH, that the daily encouragement they hear on the station will draw them closer to the Savior.

PRAISE: God for the joy He generously gives His people through all circumstances.

# At The Studios



Tiffany and Jon Bowman

WIVH studio has been a busy place as groups of smiling, excited children come for a tour of the station. Call and tell us when you are coming.

With our camera in tow, we love cruising the streets of St. Croix where we meet WIVH listeners and invite new people to listen. The photos in this edition of the Voice is an example of some of those special people we met recently. They are new, but promised to check out the station. Who knows how God will use our photo opportunities to bring others to Him. We have recently produced a DVD using many of these photos. We plan to send it back to the states, so our families and friends may see the wonderful people here who share in the ministry of WIVH. We believe it will help them understand what a dynamic ministry is underway here through the broadcasting of WIVH.

Thirteen year old, Nathaniel James, F'sted, surprised us as he seriously talked about the New Year's resolutions he made. He hopes to learn marital arts, and get a job. He says he is praying for direction from God.

It's been forty years since Leroy Vidale, Christiansted, came to St. Croix from Trinidad. He says Trinidad is much larger than St. Croix. Although Leroy is handicapped with a vision problem and has no family here, he is faithful in church attendance and has listened to WIVH the past ten years.

Koreen Delsol, has been a St. Croix resident for thirty years. She enjoys life and while talking on "Shirl And You" told how much she loves her work in a federal library supplying information to judges, etc.

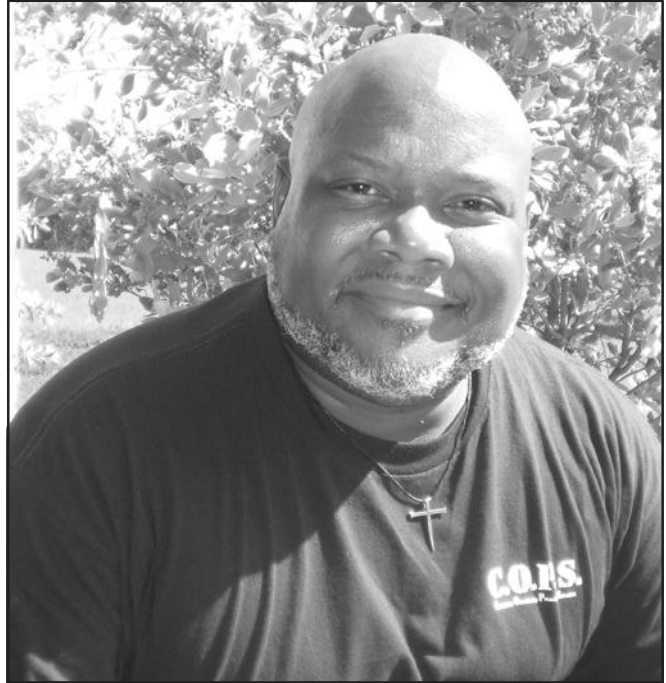
Hurbert Frederick, Sunny Isle, wasn't sure he wanted to talk on WIVH, but after hearing Shirl say "hello" to him. He called. He had met Shirl while she was on island in January. He believes WIVH's broadcasts are doing a great job in reaching people for Christ. He is a semi-retired construction worker and is able to do carpentry work, masonry, - really almost everything.

Veron Bazil, F'sted, is grieving the shooting of his son and asks for prayers. He says he loves everyone at WIVH and asks God to bless us.

# WIVH

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## Visitors Greeted Warmly Here



Pastor Gary Moore

Pastor Gary Moore, of St. Croix Christian Church, visited WIVH recently and was greeted by the Bowmans, WIVH operators. St. Croix Christian church is among the churches contributing monthly to the ministry.

Roseline Bell, C'sted, is the lady who says WIVH is worth a million dollars to her. She is hoping her daughter who lives in Brooklyn, N. Y. will find a similar station to listen to.

Vida and Anthony Williams, King's Hill, shared with us their prayer for this New Year: that they would have a closer walk with the Lord, that He would continue to bless WIVH and that those who do not know Him will come to know Him.

This is a good note on which to end our visit with readers this month. Do enjoy this edition of "The Voice." Call us and visit with us at the WIVH studio.

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