

Hon. Dr. Lillian Boyce makes special visit to the geriatric ward in Grand Turk

This Valentine's Day was indeed a special one for the clients of the Geriatric Ward in Grand Turk, as they received a special visit from Minister of Health & Human Services, Hon. Dr. Lillian Boyce and officials from her Ministry.

Hon. Boyce during her brief introduction to the clients said: "It is always so good to be here with our mothers and fathers of this country, those of you who are totally responsible for our places, our time and our positions and the role we can play today."

"On behalf of the Ministry of Health and the government of the Turks and Caicos, and me, I am here to say that I love you and you all are responsible for paving the way for us and I thought it was most fitting to be here with you today."

Hon. Boyce added that: "We need to live as one, with kindness and sharing the way we used to be in the TCI." Moreover: "Let us keep love in our hearts. Pray for our country as you pass from one stage of your life to another, pray that God will keep this country in the hollow of his hands as he has kept all of you here for all these years."

The Hon. Minister of Health then urged the clients to continue to give God thanks for blessing them far beyond their three score and ten years, which she added, is a lot to be thankful for.

There are currently thirteen clients at the Geriatric Ward, and according to Geriatric Ward Supervisor, Mrs. Helen Talbot, they celebrate every special occasion whether it is Christmas or just a Birthday.

She urges residents to "come by to say hi to our clients and staff and we appreciate what has been done here today."

During the visit, Hon. Boyce also presented the clients with roses and chocolates on behalf of her Ministry; followed by the musical stylings of Janardo Laporte, on the sax.