



## OTHER SHIPPERS TO HAITI

► If you miss our sea container shipment or wish to explore other ways to ship goods to Haiti, here are a few other options for you or your parish. You can initiate your own shipments any time of the year. You can send either a full container or an "LCL"--a Less-than-full Container Load, which will likely get "consolidated" with other unrelated shipments. You must choose an overall recipient ("consignee") in Haiti for your shipment, and it helps to hire an agent or individual in Haiti to handle the time-consuming paperwork there. You may have to pay whichever total is greater: the cubic footage cost or the weight/poundage cost. If your shipper doesn't handle the Customs paperwork, then you will have to pay the Customs charges separately. Donated goods are considered "relief cargo." For small shipments in a hurry, try Lynx, Agape, or American. (Disclaimer: We are not formally recommending any shipper and cannot guarantee their service or quality.)

► **Caribbean American Shipping Corp. (CASCO) in Fort Lauderdale, FL:** Shipment by boat. They can pick up your container(s) and bring it to their location (for an extra fee). They take care of Customs paperwork in Haiti. They can ship vehicles. They deliver to Port-au-Prince, plus south to Léogâne and north to Saint-Marc (delivery cost included). CASCO has a warehouse in Cap-Haïtien. Cost appx \$9.00/cu. ft.  
**Caribbean American Shipping Corp. (CASCO), 1801 S.W. 1st Ave., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33315**  
**Phone: (954) 525-1717 / E-mail: CascoUSA@bellsouth.net or ShipCasco@aol.com**

► **Careforce International in Grand Rapids, Michigan:** Shipment by boat. Many PTPA parishes in the Grand Rapids area (and other places) participate in their shipments. They usually send one shipment in the fall and occasionally during other months. They handle the Customs paperwork in Haiti. You will have to get your items to Grand Rapids. They have a warehouse there. They will contact the receiving party. No vehicles. Cost \$4.50/cu.ft.  
**Careforce International: Warehouse address: 446 Grandville Ave. S.W., Grand Rapids, MI 49503**  
**Contact: Doug P. / Warehouse Phone: (866) 454-3701 / Office Phone: (616) 365-0838**  
**Office Address: 1128 Pannell St., N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49544 E-mail: doug@careforceinternational.org**

► **EMEX (or Hatpex) in Miami, FL:** Shipment by boat or air. They take care of Customs paperwork in Haiti. Quick turnaround. Shipments must get there by Wednesday. They deliver in PAP (cost included). Appx. \$2/lb.  
**EMEX, Attn: Lesly Delatour, 6996 N.W. 42nd St., Miami, FL 33166 / Phone: (305) 305-2383 Lesly Delatour**

► **Missionary Expeditors (Resolution/Cargo Logistics) in New Orleans, Louisiana:** Shipment by boat. They can pick up your container(s) and bring it to their location (for an extra fee). They can ship vehicles. They do not take care of Customs paperwork in Haiti--you will have to get an agent. Appx \$6/cu. ft.  
**Missionary Expeditors, 225 Arabella St., New Orleans, LA 70115**  
**Phone: (800) 299-6363 / Fax: (800) 643-6363 / E-mail: mx@solvenet.com / Web site: www.solvenet.com**

► **Econocaribe Consolidators in Miami, FL:** Shipment by boat. They can pick up your container(s) and bring it to their location (for an extra fee). They have receiving offices in 16 U.S. cities. They do not take care of Customs paperwork in Haiti--you will have to get an agent. They ship vehicles. Call for a quote.  
**Econocaribe Consolidators Inc., 2401 N.W. 69<sup>th</sup> St., Miami, FL 33147**  
**Phone: (800) 275-3405 / E-mail: ecisales@econocaribe.com / Web site: www.econocaribe.com**

► **Lynx Air International in Fort Lauderdale, FL:** Shipment by air. They take small shipments and/or passengers. They fly into Haiti daily. You will have to get your items to Fort Lauderdale. Regular service ranges from \$1.30 to \$1.50 per pound; the express rate is \$2.50 to \$2.75. Shipping dates can vary seasonally. Specific rules apply to package labeling. They also have a mail forwarding service between the U.S. & Haiti by subscription.  
**Lynx Air International, 3402 SW 9<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315**  
**Phone: (888) 596-9247 / Fax: (954) 772-1141 / E-mail: comments@lynxair.com / Web site: www.lynxair.com**

► **Agape Flights in Sarasota, FL:** Shipment by air. They take small shipments and/or passengers for Christian missions. You will have to get your items to Sarasota. Call them to describe your shipment and discuss a cost or special arrangements. They fly to Cap-Haitien and Port-au-Prince from Sarasota. (Episcopal-affiliated.)  
**Agape Flights, 7990 15th St., E., Sarasota, FL 34243 Phone: (941) 355-5099 / Fax: (941) 355-0827**  
**E-mail: gomissions@agapeflights.com / Web site: www.agapeflights.com**

► **Absalom Plaisir - an independent Haitian shipper in Asbury Park, New Jersey:** Shipment by boat every 8 weeks. He handles the Customs paperwork in Haiti. Used by at least one PTPA parish. No set rates--you must call & negotiate everything with him. Delivers anywhere at added cost. Can deliver to Evêchés (diocese offices).  
**Absalom Plaisir, 504 Asbury Avenue, Asbury Park, NJ 07712 / Cell phone: (732) 822-5642**

► **Prestige Shipping in Ramsey, New Jersey:** **Phone: (201) 995-0770 / E-mail: mw@prestigeshipping.com**  
► **For small emergency shipments, try American Airlines:** **Phone: (800) 433-7300 / Web site: www.aa.com**