

Hands of the Cause of God:
Collis Featherstone:

In 1984, St. Lucia had the distinct pleasure of having Mr. and Mrs. Featherstone be present for the National Convention as well as the ground breaking ceremony of the National Centre property on the Morne.

Frank and I were the lucky pioneers who picked them up at the airport and took them to their hotel. We sat chatting for a while, and I then informed them of their schedule on the island which included dinner at the pioneer family, the Babahani's that evening.

Mr. Featherstone then began to speak as to how wonderful and gracious it was of the pioneers who, in spite of their busy full lives of home, family and Bahá'í duties take the time to have them to dinner. I sat listening to this with growing impatience. When he was finished I said to him, Mr. Featherstone, you know full well that the pioneers flip each other to see who gets to have you for dinner.

They both burst out laughing! They knew it was only too true.