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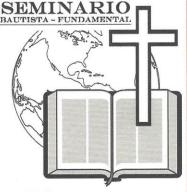
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Pray For Us!





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"I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work." John 9.4

Greetings from Cd. Juarez, Mexico,

I am so excited to be able to share with you the exciting things the Lord is doing in and through us as we serve Him in this small corner of the world. What a mighty God we serve! In February of 2016, as we started furlough I also began seeking the Lord's will regarding our ministry upon return to the field. I wasn't sure of the direction the Lord wanted for us until sometime in late January of this year when It became clear which direction to take. During most of this time a theme kept reoccurring: the brevity of time that we have to serve God on this earth. Kelly and I are now "empty nesters", we're also grandparents, we went to the field with an infant. My how time flies!

In January, during one of our pastor meetings we have every 2 weeks, this same theme came up again. As the 5 of us discussed this, the Lord clearly gave us a vision of starting 30 churches in the next 15 years. We believe the key to accomplishing this great goal is found in 2nd Timothy 2.2. Paul taught Timothy, who in turn taught faithful men, who taught other men and so on until this teaching reached my pastor who taught me. I have taught other faithful men who are now teaching others. Won't it be exciting when we see the exact line of how the gospel reached each of us since Christ? I want to know who my spiritual fathers were, was it Paul, Peter, John? Maybe Phillip or Barnabus? Oh, God forgive us if the chain stops with us!

There are 4 churches that we work closely with. Our vision is to duplicate ourselves in the next 5 years. Then the 8 churches duplicate in the following 5 years for a total of 16 churches after 10 years. We believe we can duplicate once more in the following 5 years giving a total of 32 churches in 15 years. Will it work out exactly like that? Probably not, but it is feasible if each church has the same vision. Maybe the Lord will give us more!

The bottleneck in the whole process is having the trained men to be pastors of these churches. Men that have the same Vision, Doctrine, Methods and Zeal. We believe that the only way it can work is by training our own to have these same qualities. So, we believe the Lord would have us start a Bible Seminary in Juarez to train men and women for the gospel ministry.

The Lord has confirmed his will in many ways over the past 2 months. We looked at multiple properties with prices ranging from \$56-\$90 per square meter. Last week, the Lord opened the door to an ideally located property for just \$25/meter! 1/3 the price of comparable properties! A true miracle! Please see the enclosed literature further explaining this project.

Please consider participation in this great project by promoting the 30-Day Challenge in your churches or with those you know. I can provide as many copies of the brochure as you can use. If each of our supporting churches would promote this, we'll easily reach our goal in the next few months. May God Bless you regardless of your decision.

To God be the Glory! - For 30 in 15!

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