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RUSSELL family



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Your missionaries to ¡México!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Lots to say about updates on prayer requests, but first praise the Lord because his work still continues on! December was slow because of holidays/vacations and all, but mostly because of what happened to Sarah and trying to take good care of her. But in January I was able to slowly start getting back into things. Recently we did another Valentine's dinner banquet with the purpose of strengthening marriages, and giving the gospel to visitors. Glory to God we did have one young man receive Jesus Christ that night! Not only did it become his spiritual birth date, but it was his physical birthday as well.

We are very appreciative of the continued prayers for Sarah and our family, because it holds us up and carries us forward. Many are continuing to pray and ask about her. Long story short, we have no definite answers of what is causing all of this or why its happening. With strong medication her uncontrollable body spasms are limited; but due to the medicine her stomach issues are much, much worse. There is talk between doctors of a small possibility that her spinal cord was damaged with the epidural they gave during her foot surgery in November. We have just recently started a new protocol to treat the spinal cord damage (in case that's it) with hopes to get her off of the other medicine that is bothering her stomach so badly. It's a difficult situation for sure, but we are still moving forward with the peace and grace of God, and waiting on the Lord. We are praying for answers, or healing, or better ways to handle it... and trusting that in HIS timing it'll be dealt with. Please continue to pray over this, and THANK YOU for doing so.

With the property deal...it's still moving forward. Finding out more details, there are two owners: an American and a Mexican. The Mexican passed away some years back, which immediately moves the property into the families name. Once this happens in Mexico, the property usually sits for YEARS unable to be sold for legal reasons. I took a week to do some fasting while walking the property every day praying out loud asking for the Lord's direction, wisdom, and protection. On the last day I received a call to meet the American owner. He was able to get the entire estranged Mexican family together and get everyone to agree to sell and sign off! This is literally a miracle from God if you ask any Mexican citizen.

We have a Mexican Christian lawyer who specializes in property law that is crossing all T's and dotting the I's to make sure this goes through with no fall outs that would hinder the property in the future for the church. The Lord continues to move forward with this specific property, in what I believe is going to be a big work in the future for getting his gospel out near and far! We are still receiving funds from individuals and churches towards the purchase of the property, to which we are thankful for them responding and doing what the Lord has put on their hearts for our behalf in this work of God.

We continue to pray for direction for Sarah's health; also for planning some big outreach events over the next couple months to draw souls to the feet of Jesus Christ. We continue to win souls almost every week; the hard part has always been trying to get them to break away from the world and/or the deep roots of Catholicism, and plant themselves in a bible believing work to serve their Savior. Little by little the Lord is pluckin' them out of it, giving them victories, and strengthening their personal relationship, while grounding them in sound doctrine. Praise be the HIM!

Brothers and sisters keep up the good fight!

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Prayer Requests:

Sarah's Health, Souls in Mexico, Buy property and build,
Spiritual and physical protection here on the field

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