Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

As we enter November and approach Thanksgiving, we are taking time as a family to purposefully reflect and count our many blessings and the many things we are thankful for. We are thankful for the work in Mexicowhat God has allowed us to be part of down there, we are thankful for the brethren around the world, and for God's grace in it all, and especially thankful for God's healing power!

This last weekend the church in Guayabitos, Mexico celebrated it's third anniversary! Angel held a 3 day conference like we always do, and it was a great encouragement to the church to stay in the fight and keep moving forward. We even got to do a short video call with all the ladies on Saturday during their lunch fellowship. It was a huge encouragement to see the ladies we've helped throughout the years, as well as a few new ones in attendance. We are honored to be part of what God is doing in people's lives, and are looking forward to returning "home" to Mexico as soon as the Lord allows.

We are in awe and extremely thankful for the body of Christ, and the amazing call to bear ye one another's burdens. The love of the brethren is something supernatural that we are privileged to be part of. So many people have continued to pray faithfully and fervently for us; and it means the world to us. The Lord is answering many prayers on your behalf; be encouraged as you are part of it! Thank you for your constant prayers and love.

Sarah's healing is still going in the right direction. She has gotten more stability, so the doctor has started more aggressive treatments now that she is finally able to handle more. The thing we have always known, but are seeing first hand, is that we are wonderfully made. It's amazing to watch how these natural drug therapies are doing great things for her. And when she has those bad days that come with the healing process, it's incredible how it seems those are the days that we get texts and emails from people just simply encouraging us with, "Praying for ya." or "We love you guys, stick with it." God is awesome!

Another answer to prayer was a personal one of mine. I know I'm doing exactly what the Lord wants for me at this point-being a stay at home dad taking care of business-but I'm called to preach! I had told the pastor of the church where we are staying that I am available if something comes up, now that Sarah is a little more stable. Well, this last Sunday all three pastors went down with sickness, including one going to the hospital for kidney stones. The Lord threw all 3 services on me, on the spot; it was great being used by the Lord to fill in and be a help!

Something that has been put on the backburner is the property deal for the church in Mexico. We have a payment due on Dec. 1st, but I haven't thought or said anything about it. Faithful is the Lord as people have still been giving specifically towards that over the last couple months. The Lord has brought in the whole amount to give the first payment in December!! That is absolutely amazing, especially as our focus has been on health; but the Lord has his focus on everything. Pray about December please, as I have to be there in person to withdraw the money and meet with the previous owner...but I still am unable to leave Sarah and the kids.

I shouldn't be, but the Lord still amazes me! He is listening, and by his grace answering many prayers. He has been meeting our needs of health, encouragement, and living expenses. Thank you brothers and sisters for continuing to pray for us and support us as the Lord leads you. "For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations".

Brothers and sisters keep up the good fight! The Russell Family- Adam, Sarah, Kendra, Braden

Prayer Requests:

Souls in Mexico, Sarah's health & recovery, Angel and the work in Mexico



