

THE STOVER FAMILY

ROBERT, SARA, JOSIAH, CALEB, JOSHUA, LYDIA, ZACHARY, ELIJAH, & MELODY

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MISSIONARIES TO PERU

Revelation 15:4 states, "Who shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name? for thou only art holy: for all nations shall come and worship before thee; for thy judgments are made manifest." Jesus is coming back soon! The day is fast approaching when we will see Him face to face, those of us who have trusted the Lord Jesus Christ as personal Savior. I love the fact that people of all nations will come and worship the Lord there. May we continue to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ so that more people from all nations can gather to worship the Lord!



Family Update

Sara and I celebrated our 15th wedding anniversary on June 23, and are thankful for some friends who watched the children so we could have a night away. I praise the Lord for a godly wife who loves the Lord, loves me, and loves her children. She is truly a woman whose "price is far above rubies."

We thank the Lord for the health and strength He has given our family over these months. Though it has been difficult to be shut in, the children have worked hard and are almost finished with their school year. Lydia and Melody recently celebrated birthdays, turning 9 and 3.

Peruvian Presidential Elections

Many different news outlets labeled the 2021 presidential elections in Peru as polarizing. Though the results of the June 6 election have not yet been finalized, the leftist candidate who identifies with the Communist party has a 40-50,000 vote lead. The other side is currently protesting voter fraud. Please pray that the Lord's will would be done, that there would be an orderly transfer of power, and that God would give us grace through any changes that may be forthcoming.

Covid Update

We are currently in the midst of another wave of Covid. Due to a collapsed health care system, things have been much worse with many hospitals full and oxygen tanks extremely expensive and hard to come by. On June 24th, Pastor Mauro Huaman, a personal friend of mine in Arequipa, passed away from Covid complications. He was only 40, and left behind a wife and three young children. We appreciate those of you who have prayed for Pastor Henry Sucapuca's father who has been so very sick. We thank God for answering those prayers. He is doing better and the family has

seen God provide in miraculous ways. There are currently two other pastors in Arequipa who are sick with Covid. The difficult thing is that there is virtually no good health insurance here, and everything must be paid up front, out-of-pocket. For this reason, we are working to form a Pro-Covid fund to strive to help people battling this illness and the 2 pastors wives that we know of who have been widowed during this time. If you feel God would have you give to help toward these needs, you can send your gift to MWBM designated for the "Stover Covid-19 Fund." As always we appreciate your prayers during these difficult times.

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for our weekly in-home Bible studies and our Saturday visitation time.
- Please pray for spiritual growth as we have recently begun a new program challenging folks to have consistent daily devotions.
- Pray that restrictions would soon lift so that we might have more folks each service. We are currently allowed 30% capacity.
- Please pray as we work to correct some issues with our visas. Offices being closed for so long last year and people being laid off has caused quite a few headaches.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support of our family and ministry here in Peru. We could not be here without you!

That all the earth may know,

Robert & Sara Stover and Family



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