PLANTING HISPANIC CHURCHES

THE CHACONS MISSIONARIES TO OHIO

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This next week it will mark 3 months since I had my health scare with Bell's Palsy. In so many ways I have seen how this was an attack of Satan allowed by God to bring the Lord glory. Since then, we have seen the Lord work in our ministry, and we have seen not only spiritual growth but also numeric.

In August, we celebrated our 2nd year as a Spanish ministry. During the past two years, we have seen salvations, baptisms and growth spiritually in the lives of people. It has been a blessing to see how God moves and works among people who are open to spiritual growth. We also had two missionaries come by the church and present their ministry. We are trying to give a heart of missions to our people. But to so many in our church this is a new concept.

In September, we have seen the Lord work numerically. Through visitation we have come across three new families that are now coming faithfully to church. We have been discipling them, and at the end of October, we are going to baptize 7. We praise the Lord that they are ready for this step of obedience.

Sometimes in ministry it is a long process to see spiritual growth in people. We have to do our part, and the Lord gives the increase. Please pray with us as we look at the next steps for our ministry. We are currently filling the space we have on Sunday mornings. We are praying for the Lord's leading in this. We want His timing and His will. As you may know, any change in ministry whether it be the change in time or change in order of service or whatever it maybe you can not make everyone happy. Please be praying with us so that we can have peace and unity in these coming decisions.

Prayer Requests:

- Continued growth spiritually and numerically
- The Lord's leading in our "space issues"
- Unity and peace among the brethren

We appreciate you all, and we can not thank you enough for your support of this ministry. We appreciate all. This month we are going to be taking family pictures to update our prayer cards. Lord willing, in the next few months or so, we will be mailing new prayer cards out.

God Bless, Ivan, Susan, Chloe, Sofia and James Chacon Missionaries to the Hispanics in Ohio

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"FOR SO HATH THE LORD COMMANDED US, SAYING, I HAVE SET THEE TO BE A LIGHT OF THE GENTILES, THAT THOU SHOULDEST BE FOR SALVATION UNTO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH" ACTS 13:47