



Rogers Family

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Birthdays & Anniversary

Chris 3/10
Courtney 4/4
Clint 3/13/2010
Clay 7/26/2011
Cade 9/16/2012
Callie 7/25/2013
Cash 10/24/2014
Colt 9/12/2015
Case 9/12/2015
Calena 5/9/2017
Caydie 6/10/2018
Anniversary 10/25/2008

Winter 2023/2024

What a wonderful opportunity we have to write an update to you again! There are some exciting things I want to share with you in this letter. I realize I am a little late for this, but so much has gone on this latter part of the year. Thank you for your support and your prayers. We appreciate your partnership and the work of the Lord.

Thank you for praying for the church in Casas Grande's, Chihuahua, Mexico and Pastor Valenzuela. During the summer, Pastor Valenzuela became a target of a low level cartel member. During this time, we begin to pray as a church with Pastor Valenzuela for the Lord's will concerning his future in this town. After several weeks of receiving ongoing threats, God confirmed in Brother Valenzuela's heart that this definitely was God's continual will for him and his family. Almost as soon as this decision was made, God worked out the situation. In fact, the higher up cartel members indirectly got word to Brother Valenzuela to keep doing what he was doing and they would deal with this issue. You can't make this stuff up! The lot for the church now has a fence around it, and the title issue has been cleared up. Water and electricity are on the property as well. Adobe bricks that will be used to build the parsonage and the church building have been made and are on site. This week they are having their annual mission conference.

This year God allowed another national missionary to come under the membership and authority of the Harvest Baptist Church. This is the Eduardo Orozco family. They are church planting missionaries in the state of Chihuahua. After much prayer and counsel with Brother Orozco, he joined our church, and at this point, he has church plants going in the towns of Samloapan and Santa Isabel. Both of these towns are located about 11-12 hours south of where we are in Santa Fe, in the state of Chihuahua. In Santa Isabel, there's ongoing soul winning and we are looking for a place to meet on a regular basis. Please make that a matter of prayer. In Samloapan, a lot has been donated, and a building is in the process of being built.

This fall a third missionary joined our church also working in the state of Chihuahua. This is the Charlie Powell family. They have been missionaries to Mexico for over 30 years. They have been involved in starting churches and soul winning this whole time. Brother Charlie and I have known each other for several years, and he

has worked with us in getting the church in Casas Grande's off the ground. They were without a sending church, and God led me to speak to him about joining Harvest Baptist Church, which he did this last September. He is currently on deputation to raise more support and will be taking a trip back east after the first of the year in 2024. Our goal is to get him on the ground working in the town of Janos, Chihuahua, Mexico by the summer.

This fall we also started meeting on Sunday afternoons in Las Vegas, New Mexico. We have started what will be the Guyanes River Baptist Church. This summer we knocked on over 4,000 doors in this town. Las Vegas is located an hour north of Santa Fe. We are meeting currently on Sunday afternoons at 2:00 in the Best Western Conference room. We have seen visitors come and some return. Continue to pray for this work as we endeavor to establish a church in this town of 13,000 in northern New Mexico.

Harvest Baptist Church is doing well. We had our missions conference this fall in which we saw a 150 increase in our missions program. Many of the people are involved in the church plants going on in northern New Mexico as well as the country of Mexico across the border. We continue to work ministries that are evangelistic in the local community on a weekly basis. Continue to pray for the numerical and spiritual growth of this church. Through the Harvest Baptist Church, all of our church planting efforts will fall under a ministry that we are starting called "His Harvest Ministries." You will probably hear more about that in the coming letters. If you are interested in supporting any of the three missionaries coming out of Harvest Baptist Church, please contact me. We would love to discuss that with you.

Our family is doing well. All the kids are enrolled in our home school program. Many of the older half of the kids have enterprises here on the farm in which they are learning to run businesses and manage money. Courtney is doing well and actually spoke at a ladies' conference this fall for the first time. She was scared but did quite well, so I hear from reports. Continue to pray for the Rogers family as we endeavor to do God's will starting churches here in northern New Mexico as well as in the country of Mexico.

In Christ,
Chris Rogers

