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A Ministry Of:
"His Abundant Pardon"
Is. 55:7

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Praises:

- For Many Being Saved
- For Many Who Were Baptized
- For A Greater Witness
- For Provision, Health & Safety

Prayer Needs:

- For A Growing Work of Grace
- For Workers And Giving
- To Turn The Work Over
- Wisdom and Discretion

THE HART FAMILY IN COLOMBIA









Dear Fellowlabourers Whose Names Are In The Book Of Life,

Greetings once again from Valledupar,

Cesar, Colombia. We thank the Lord for the help He has given us to be able to share the gospel in the midst of the darkness that surrounds us. Our theme verse for this year is Phil. 2:15 which states "as lights in the world."

Support Group From Mexico

I had written in our last Prayer Letter that a group from Mexico had arrived and was busy helping us here. Truly, we are taught of the Lord to "go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in." We saw the advantage of being in a small group and headed out to preach the gospel wherever we could.

There are several barrios called "invasions" where groups of people live in housing that was built without consent of the owners. There are people there that are internal refugees from the conflicts here in Colombia as well as many that are from Venezuela.

As we contacted different areas and different groups, great numbers raised their hands to say that they had prayed and asked the Lord to save them. It has been a great encouragement for all the Church to see things picking back up again. Following up, we have helped with transportation and a brief discipleship. Some have been making a sincere effort to attend. Several followed the Lord in believers' baptism. The building is filling up.

A Visit From Bro. Bruce Berry

After the group from Mexico left, our director from MWBM came to be with us for 4 short days. We always look forward to having him with us. He has always been a blessing to us and an encouragement to the people here. Bro. Bruce posted a video that we can share with you at: https://youtu.be/HNJO3OP535s.

A Death In The Church

Psalm 116:15 says: "Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints." After a long time of sickness, our sister María Julia was called home to be with the Lord. The family allowed me to say a few words and pray the day before she was buried. Her family is Catholic. She will be greatly missed.

The Couple From Mexico

One of the group from Mexico is Pastor Carlos. He mentioned that he had a younger brother finishing seminary and praying about where to serve on the mission field. Pastor Carlos encouraged his brother to come here and consider Valledupar.

Their names are Abraham and Dulce. They are now here working. They have been a great blessing. They will be leaving to go back on the 5th of May. Please help us to pray that the Lord will guide them so that they may be called to continue the work here.

Personal Requests

The Lord has been very good to us. I am slowly recovering from the hip replacement last July. I thank the Lord that I can get about without a cane. I do need to improve my balance and walk. We ask prayer for Timothy as he is deciding what to study and for Hannah who will graduate in a few days from PCC and will be facing new challenges with her husband as newlyweds entering medical school. Please pray for us as we face new situations and need the Lord to guide us. He has protected us, blessed us, given us strength and courage. He has provided, guided, and showed up when it seemed no one else was there. It is through your prayers and giving that we are able to practice the stewardship of ministry by His power and grace that gives us strength and victory.



The Hart Family Michael, Martha, & Timothy Rom. 10:15