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Greetings in Jesus' Name,

I trust this newsletter finds you/y'all in good health and with great expectation of our Lord Jesus' soon return to receive us unto Himself. "What a day that will be, When my Jesus I shall see, And look upon His face, The One who saved me by His Grace, When He takes me by the hand, And leads me through the Promised Land, What a glorious day that will be" He is coming!!

As I mentioned in our previous newsletter, Mexico is becoming more dangerous as time passes because the drug cartels are fully unshackled from any real federal intervention in their organization and operations.

The people in our area depend on fruit picking and with the "Tariff" situation looming between the US and Mexico has resulted in a big reduction in the amount of fruit being picked and that translates into less financial income for our folks. Keep in mind that \$25.00 to \$30.00 is the daily wage.

I have a request that may seem odd or foolish to some but very practical among the people we work among and that is: the old style ringer washing-machine. If by chance anyone knows where they could be purchased, pass it on to me. Several of our families living out in the "Ranchitos/ranch/country/outback", would be very much appreciative having one and would be a great blessing to them.

Our church services have seen new faces and that is always a good thing. We've been blessed with two new families and three new young men. Pray that our folks will grow in knowledge of God's Word and will incorporate the Word of God in every aspect of their lives in that others can see that they have been with Jesus and their lives show it in words and deeds.

We had an earthquake that did some structural damage to our church and other buildings because they are constructed with block and concert. Our house, is constructed out of wood, did not have any damage. The water lines that are in concrete and are buried, took a hard hit. It has been a challenge repairing water lines but I think I've got some re-routed and others repaired. Thank the Lord!

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I Thessalonians 4:16-17 – "For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: 17 – Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the

Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord."