

Prayer Letter

ROBERTSON FAMILY in Mexico



"And David said to Solomon his son, Be strong and of good courage, and do it: fear not, nor be dismayed: for the Lord God, even my God, will be with thee; he will not fail thee, nor forsake thee, until thou hast finished all the work for the service of the house of the Lord."

1 Chronicles 28:20

Dear Friends and Family,

Thank you for taking time to read our prayer letter and for praying for these requests. We appreciate all of our prayer and financial supporters.

The Future Ministry

In our January prayer letter, we shared with you about plans to move to Mascota to start a church and reach the surrounding towns. We had mentioned that there was another church there of another denomination. The church preaches the gospel of Jesus, is evangelistic, and is reaching into the surrounding towns. We recently spoke with another Baptist missionary who went there twenty years ago. He had led several people to the Lord and had reached into all the surrounding towns, the same ones we were praying for, distributing John and Romans. Most likely, the church in Mascota was formed with the people this missionary had won to the Lord. We believe God has closed the door for us to move there. The call that God put on us personally as missionaries to Mexico is to go where they don't have the gospel, and for that reason, we know God has closed the door on Mascota for us.

Would you please pray for us to know God's will for where He has us next? We are asking other missionaries and pastors here in Mexico and in other parts of the world about the unreached. We are waiting on God and prayerfully seeking where He is leading us, to the unreached or to another ministry.

"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few" Matthew 9:37



Five Year Anniversary of the church in Estancia

Pastor Adalberto has faithfully led this church over the last five years. The people have matured and are taking



responsibility to reach out into their community with the gospel. We are praying for this church to grow in numbers as well.

The church in Aguajes



Pastor Fabian is looking forward to becoming the pastor in the church in the mountains. He is training Brother David to be his assistant who may take over the church as pastor in the future. The church had the privilege to hear Pastor Fabian explain his plans and goals for the church. In May, the church will have the opportunity to vote for their new pastor.

As missionary church planters, this thrills our hearts. Dear praying friend, know that God hears and answers prayers. He sent us as a family here to Mexico to start churches where there were no Gospel-preaching churches. You teamed up with us to reach the unreached. As a team, we have sought God in prayer, and He has seen fit to see this church have a national pastor. God is so very good!

The church people pray for their lost family and friends. In addition to asking for prayer, they personally share the gospel with those for whom they ask prayer. Melissa has been witnessing to her uncle



Ramon and his wife Miriam and their six children. We were all thrilled when they came to church one Sunday. They again heard a clear plan of salvation. Please pray that this family will receive Jesus as Savior.

Kid's Corner: Our kids were able to participate in two camps and a teen conference during Easter break. At one camp, Ashley made friends with a girl who was not a Christian. Ashley was thrilled to see her friend receive Jesus as her Savior during camp. At another camp, the kids were excited to use their English and Spanish skills to help translate for some Americans ministering on a missions trip. They were encouraged at meeting other teenagers who love the Lord and gave their spring break to serve in Mexico.

Positive peer pressure is a benefit of teen camp. Annalise came back from camp saying "everyone knows how to play the guitar." The next week, David started teaching her how to play.



Third Annual Pastors and Church Leaders Retreat

In March, God allowed us to host for the third year a retreat for pastors and church leaders. The retreat is for spiritual and physical refreshment for the whole family. The special speaker this year was Brother Chris Phillips with Selah International Counseling Ministries. He preached on family and on how to use God's Word and look to Jesus in every area of our lives. He was a tremendous blessing to everyone! We are thankful that the Lord has allowed this retreat as many nationals do not take family vacations.

