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SERVING THE LORD IN ARGENTINA



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Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

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We greet you from Argentina, desiring that the Lord continues blessing you and guiding your lives in such a way that you continue to bear fruit and glory to His name.

Once again, we'd like to share with you how God is at work through us and in our ministry. In this time of the pandemic, our ministry has only broadened! Glory be to our great God! The invitations that I received and continue receiving to give seminars on evangelism and heretical sects largely exceed those that I was able to accomplish in-person prior to the pandemic. In just one week, I was able to connect with two and three different countries at one time. These past several months have been very fruitful, and the Lord has allowed us to experience great happiness as a result. During these unprecedented times, we have seen the Lord's hand using us personally and yielding fruit in ways that we never could have anticipated. Praise Him!

The last time I wrote to you, I shared about a Colombian by the name of Jorge Mira. He put me in contact with the director of a Bible institute in his country. Some students from that institute then put me in contact with the pastors of their churches, and, to this day, I am *still* receiving invitations to share online classes. In May and June, I held online seminars for four different churches in Colombia. For the practical part of the seminar, we implemented a new way of inviting unbelievers that allows me to explain how to use a brochure to witness to others. This adapted, online method enables participants to learn how to present the gospel. Our time together was marvelous, dear brothers and sisters! We won many souls for Christ and simultaneously edified the church.

In later seminars, I continued with this same methodology so that participants obtain both the theoretical and practical sides of the course. In June, I gave a seminar in Pastor Juan Carlos Acevedo's church in Colombia. Implementing the same method there, something beautiful occurred in this seminar as a result. Pastor Acevedo had invited someone to participate so that I could explain the brochure to them. But, at the last minute, that person advised him that they wouldn't be able to participate in the meeting. The pastor knocked on the door of one of his neighbors and invited a woman named Rineida Diaz to participate, who ended up accepting Jesus Christ as her personal Savior. It was a very emotional decision. After praying, she was crying out of emotion and said, "Today, God knocked on the door of my house so that I could be here with you all and know my Savior." She later added, "My neighbor, Juan Carlos, could have knocked on another door, but God wanted him to knock on mine." How marvelous! We all understood why the first invitee wasn't able to be present that day. That day was already determined for Rineida to be saved. Amen!

Also in the month of June, I worked tirelessly during the day and part of the night to finish material that I had been preparing since March. I contributed to a website dedicated to debunking the lies of the Jehovah's Witnesses sect. The website is www.esjesucristodios.com. 1,420 people entered the webpage in July. I am asking believers to share the page, and I am asking God to break the chains of deceit so that many come to know the Truth personally through this website. Please share and pray!

On Wednesdays and Fridays in August, I shared seminars with believers in Argentina, Bolivia and Costa Rica. As I shared with you at the start of this letter, dear brothers and sisters, if it wasn't for online ministry increasing in demand during this pandemic, I never would have been able to be in three different countries in the same week. God is using all things for good!

Every Monday this month of September, I will be giving an evangelism seminar in which believers will participate from different countries. This invitation came from someone you all know well - IPM Latin America Regional Director and missionary, Pastor Giovanni Avendaño. The rest of the days in September, except for Thursdays and Sundays, remain open in my schedule to receive invitations from any church that may ask me. Please pray for the Lord to direct my agenda according to His will.

In conclusion, I'd like to leave you with a special prayer request - the preparation of videos to teach in a Bible institute in the United States (Alliance for Missions). This invitation came from Pastor Rafael Champertier in the state of Alabama. This seminar will be a challenge for me, being that it is outside of what I normally do and will require special effort on my part. The classes will need to be pre-recorded in video format, including interviews on public streets, all with good sound and image quality (among other requirements that the mission sent to me). I'd appreciate your earnest prayers for me as I navigate this new opportunity.

Thank you so much for your prayers for us and our ministry, dear brothers and sisters. Aside from Norma's sight declining with each passing day, we are doing very well. Our health is good, and we have lots of energy. We are very content because, even in spite of the lockdown that the pandemic brought to us, the Lord has still been glorified. We never thought that our ministry would be multiplied the way it has from within the comfort of our own home and from my chair. God's Word has been far-reaching, oftentimes to many different places at one time. Thank you for partnering with us through your prayers and financial offerings. We thank the Lord especially for the generosity of an anonymous donor who has helped us tremendously while our country faces an economic crisis here in Argentina. He is truly our helper and upholder in times of need!

"Behold, God is mine helper: the Lord is with them that uphold my soul." Psalm 54:4

With love in Christ,
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