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Dear Praying & Supporting Friends,

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Greetings from Puerto Rico! Our heart's prayer for you is that you are growing in God's Word and faithfully serving our precious Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

We are undoubtedly living in difficult times, though we know it is not the first time perilous events have occurred in world history. We can look back to the days of Noah, or to the days of Paul, and be encouraged to see that difficulties did not stop these two men of God from doing and finishing the work that the Lord called them to do. Noah and his family labored to prepare the ark, and the Flood came; but, God saved them and they continued to populate the earth for His honor and glory. Paul said, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing" (2 Timothy 4:7-8). So, let us remain steadfast in the face of opposition, doing and fulfilling God's will in our lives and generation!

FAMILY NEWS

Carmen, my dear wife, is free of cancer! How we do praise and thank the Lord for His blessings! My health has been fine, and the rest of our family are doing well:

- Our son, Yamil, lives in Pennsylvania with his family where they work in the ministry of Bethel Baptist Church in Sellersville. Their two boys are attending Upper Bucks Christian School.
- Our daughter, Kendra, continues teaching at a private college. Her daughter (our granddaughter), Eunice, will finish her studies to be a nurse in December of this year. Together, they serve in the children's ministry as they are able.
- Our grandson, Gaby, continues working in his secular job. He has been a great help to me in the ministry, preaching and assisting with music.

MINISTRY AND EVANGELISM

In my last prayer letter, I mentioned that many stopped attending our services out of concern for their safety. Satan would want us to be discouraged, but we continue on, joyfully trusting and serving the Lord!

We have distributed hundreds of evangelism tracts, handing them out everywhere we go. Also, throughout the week and on Saturdays, we are visiting our brothers and sisters who stopped attending church services, encouraging them to trust in the Lord for their safety. Please remember in prayer the following individuals with whom we have regular contact in our ministry:

- Carlos Montero and his wife Zaida, who are our neighbors and who we are discipling
- Bro. Radames & Sister Evelyn, for their comfort and encouragement (their son-in-law recently took his life)
- Gele, Radames's mother, for her salvation
- Felicita and Nathan, the wife and son of Jose (who is faithful and a great help in the church), for their salvation

Our hearts rejoice in the Lord for your partnership with us in ministry! We are grateful for your many prayers and financial support. May the Lord richly bless and reward you in His mighty way.

Our love in Christ,



Brother Jose with Nathan



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