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Dear Prayer Partners and Financial Supporters,

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As we always say, we are very, very grateful for you being with us in the ministry, praying and sending for our support. Thank you for your faithfulness and your big heart for the years that we have spent in the missionary field.

Lately, because of our age, we have become more sentimental. There are days when tears run down our eyes, thanking God for all of you. Why? For your prayers and for all your offerings of love, because thanks to you, we were able to give all of our daughters and our son a career. And not only that, but also thanks to your offerings, we have been able to pay for 5 operations that my wife has undergone while in the missionary field. For this and for other details, tears run down from these missionaries of 74 and 65 years, thanking God for all of you.

We hope to continue faithfully serving the Lord, even and in spite of our limitations. As you know, outside of the ministry I do in Mexico, I have the blessing of being directly in charge of the missions in Cuba, on behalf of IPM. I thank God for IPM's missionary heart for Cuba. On my recent trip to Cuba in September 2024, I was able to see with my own eyes the tremendous need that our brothers in Cuba have. Every time I travel, I bring about 300 or more pieces of clothing to help many families and bicycles for those who attend to the work, since many of them walk half an hour to get to the houses of worship where they meet. I also brought help for benches and finishing touches for the houses of worship. Next time, when I arrive in Cuba, I will buy a toilet for a house of worship that does not have a toilet.

All this is possible because brothers and churches send offerings for the ministry I do in Cuba. My next trip to Cuba will be in March of this year, from the 17th to the 25th. I already have four suitcases full of clothes. Because of the blackouts in Cuba, two pastors have asked me if I can help them purchase generators.

THE WORK IN MEXICO

The work in Mexico has not been easy. One reason is that Puebla, where we are building a fifth church, is very Catholic, too Catholic. The people of Puebla are unfortunately blinded by the evil one because the predominant religion is Roman Catholicism.

The other reason is that we do not own property to build a church. Consequently, the growth of the work is very difficult. In the short time that we have been in Puebla, we have already moved three times to different brothers' houses, who lend us their yard to meet. We are praying that God will provide us with a 500 m2 plot of land. Please pray for this need.

In the yard where we currently meet, we are very limited for space. We are just rearranging the metal structure that we have. We have a temporary tarp on the



metal structure because of the sun, but when the rain comes, we will need to expand the structure. For this, in my previous letter I asked you to please help me. Of the \$1,900 dollars that I requested, only \$300 dollars has been given so far. We are very, very grateful for your help.

FAMILY

My wife, thank God, is already walking without a walker, with rehabilitation exercises and her medications to control her degenerative arthritis. Thank you for generous help with her medical care and for her medications. My daughters are serving alongside their husbands, and my son is serving in the church in worship.

Thank God, I finished my classes that I taught via Zoom on systematic theology. This year, I will share a study on the book of Daniel via Zoom. This is a course that I have already taught on other occasions. Without a doubt, in the context in which we live, the study of Daniel has become very interesting. I have about 18 students.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Please pray for my son, for his permanent visa. Pray, also, for my daughters, Sharon and Priscilla, especially so God will do a miracle and give them children.
2. For finances to buy a truck. Of the \$15,000 needed, \$3,550 has been given.
3. For the work that we are building, so that our good God adds complete families to the work.
4. For God's care for us, understanding that evil has multiplied.
5. For God to give us strength and comfort as we are not living near our daughters. This is very difficult, especially because of our age.
6. For the salvation of Pamela, a young lady to whom we have preached about Christ. Thank God that another young lady, Viridiana, received Christ on Sunday.

Your missionaries,

Sergio and Alejandra
1 Corinthians 15:58

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**A LETTER FROM YOUR MISSIONARIES,
THE HERRERA FAMILY**

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