

February 2011

Dear Friend,

Margaret and I want you, our partners in the ministry, to know that we appreciate your love, support and prayers. Because of your prayers we are kept safe as we travel in Mexico and especially as we cross the borders.

Gordon Donahue, president of Christians in Action asked if I would take the position of Regional Director of Mexico. We'll continue to mentor our pastors and leaders in our churches and home cells in Baja, Sonora and Oaxaca and to conduct seminars and conferences throughout the year. The CinA church in Hermosillo with Pastor Jorge will come alongside of our work in Villa Hidalgo and bring teams to strengthen the work there. This is an answer to our prayers as our national leader wasn't able to continue to pastor the church.

February: The Agricultural Farm Show in Tulare is the largest such show in the world. Tulare is the dairy capital of the world and this show brings tens of thousands of people from all over the world. CinA participated at a booth set up for an evangelism outreach. I was the only one who spoke Spanish so I was busy all day talking to anyone who would stop to listen to the plan of salvation. Many prayed to receive the Lord and then we sent them over to the next booth where another organization was giving away Bibles, both in English and Spanish. Follow-up will be made by the local churches.

In **March** we will be in Baja with Pastor Tomas and the church, along with our team from Living Word Fellowship. Pastor Santiago in Col. Guerrero is very encouraged with the growth in the church. They are looking forward to purchasing land to build a church building. I plan to be with them on this trip to hold meetings and to continue training with our leadership materials.

In **May** we'll be in Villa Hidalgo visiting our church people and connecting with some of the independent home churches that have popped up in the area. **Many years of planting the seeds of the Gospel are now bearing fruit.** Manuel and Jovanni are helping these

small groups of believers. Of course, we'll be visiting Cosmi and Dalia in Bavispe. Plans are to spend two weeks in the area.



Heidi has been with us for three weeks, resting and enjoying her family. We haven't had her home this long for many years. She's such a joy! Pray as she seeks the Lord for her next journey.

She knows He has called her to be a missionary working with **homeless children and ministering to people caught in the sex trafficking trade.** She appreciates your prayers and support. She will be in Portland OR and later in San Diego visiting friends and supporters.

Recently Margaret had a colonoscopy and an endoscopy. They found two pre-cancer polyps which were removed. She will have to have another test in a year to check for re-growth. They also found a hernia which needs to be repaired through surgery. Thanks for your prayers.

Margaret and I are sponsoring a couple for the Emmaus Walk the first and second weekends in March. Pray that we'll be a blessing to them.

Your missionaries,

Bro Tony and Margaret Heredia

