

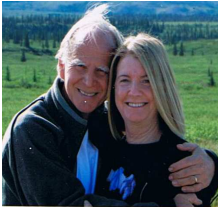
## Thanksgiving 2009

Dear Friend,

I love this time of the year when families get together to cook, laugh, talk about the past, and seeing all the new members that have been added during the year. It's good to pray together and thank God for His goodness and all His blessings. .



Our anniversary celebration was marvelous with 80 friends and supporters sharing in the celebration. We thank the Lord for all the wonderful words of encouragement and we look forward to many more years of service for the Lord. Our focus for the future is to continue with our pastor and leadership conferences and to continue establishing our Bible training centers. We also will be helping our churches with self sufficient programs so they can depend less on financial help from the States.



Our dear friend and supporter Lamon Bishop who led many of our construction projects in Mexico passed away recently while ministering in Africa. He faithfully supported our ministry and brought many teams to build and repair homes and churches. He is going to be very missed by us, his wife Margrett, his family and friends. Pray for Margrett as she adjusts to this terrible loss.

**EXCITING NEWS:** After much prayer we have decided to return as affiliate missionaries with Christians in Action. The new board and CEO are doing a great job and we look forward to working with them especially with our churches in Colombia and Peru. All financial gifts can be sent to the address below.



Tony left for Oaxaca on October 19<sup>th</sup> and will be gone for ten days with a team from Living Word Fellowship. By the time you get this letter he will be back and getting ready for the trip to Sonora with our Christmas Brown Bags on November 9<sup>th</sup>. . Our trip is earlier this year but it works out better for us as we have our big outreach in Baja on December 26<sup>th</sup>.

**PRAYER REQUEST:** We don't usually ask for much on the personal level but several people especially at the anniversary celebration asked us to please let people know when we have a need.

- ❖ The doctor told Margaret that she needs cataract surgery as soon as possible. It will cost about \$1,000 in Mexico
- ❖ Because of some low financial giving this year we weren't able to save for our property taxes (\$1800) which are due December 10<sup>th</sup>. The other half of the taxes are paid by Sabrina and Jonah.

If you have been blessed this year and are able to help us out with either of these needs we will greatly appreciate it. We thank you for keeping us in your prayers, especially during this busy time.

**Your missionaries,**

Bro. Tony & Margaret Heredia

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