



Dear Praying friends,

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Today is our 44th wedding anniversary. We are grateful for God's provision and each other. It has been a wonderful 44 years sharing life and ministry together. God is good, and He has led us on a wonderful, fulfilling adventure in Spain. After a delightful time of reminiscing how we met at a Campus Crusade meeting, we went out to lunch to a nice Moroccan restaurant and had lamb, humus and their delicious bread. It was very good. On our first trip there, I had given one of the servers a Jesus film. I did not see her today. I was hoping to ask her if she saw it. We continue to pour our lives into the young people here and are encouraged to see them growing in their faith and caring about the lost. Please pray for our health and stamina, as we continue to serve, until God leads us in another direction.

God is so good. It is so interesting how He orchestrates divine appointments. I met **Barbara** (24) at the metro stop in July and began to talk to her. I asked for directions, not knowing that she was new in town, from Italy. She and her boyfriend, **Danile** (25) were going to move here, in September. I gave her my phone number and told her to call me when she arrived, and she did. I told her that we would be happy to help her in any way that we could. She took me up on it. Last week, we met for the first time and had a delightful talk about the Lord and did the "good person test." They were intrigued and concerned about dying and their eternal destiny. Of course, I told them the good news too. They respectfully listened. They have NO friends in Valencia and only work a few hours, so they hope to come for help with Spanish and English. We had hoped that they might come to church, but they wrote me that they were not interested. We pray for them to come to know our compassionate forgiving Father. It is all in His hands.



We also had a scare from the **Spanish IRS** (Hacienda). After receiving their letter, we invited **Raquel** to come and help us sort it all out. We were afraid that we had done our taxes wrong and would owe a great penalty. They wanted us to have an official translation of some supporting US documents and we went to have that done. When I picked them up, I gave the girl a "Million Euro gospel tract" and she was all smiles. **God permits these things for a reason...** maybe she was ready to receive the Lord. I do know that one of Raquel's Christian friends, works in that translation office, so hopefully, it is the beginning of some "good things." Thank God, it all turned out well in Hacienda and we do **not** think that we owe a penalty. **PTL!**

Please continue to pray for **Maria Jesus**. She is lonely and continues to have back problems. She also continues to live in the past. Most of the time, when we get what we think we want, it is not what we wanted at all. We make other people and things our gods and they are only "dangerous illusions." The devil tends to lie to us in that way She also still has trouble believing that God permits His children to suffer. I told her that, when we go out and help others, that is when God fills the empty hole in our hearts and we tend to forget our problems, too. Yes, she is limited in what she can do, but she could be a great Bible teacher and I keep encouraging her to help others know the Lord. Please pray for her. Thanks so much.

Our dear friend, **Beth** is coming from Ck Republic to see our ministry here in Valencia and then, she and I are going to a GEM women's retreat in N. Spain. We look forward to that time with her and at the retreat.

Our church had a retreat in Gandia (a beach town 1 hour south of Valencia). While there, I was handing out some Million Euro gospel tracts and the lady at the ice cream shop came running out and started talking to us. She was so happy to receive it and started telling us about her relationship with the Lord. We suggested that **Ruby** & her husband **Andres**, find some time to get to church. She is reading her Bible which is good. We encouraged them to find an evangelical church and to go. The other good thing was that **Yaroosa** and **Joshua** were with us to observe how to do the “good person test.” Now, Joshua is also sharing his faith and asking for advice. Pray for these young people—they are the next generation to take Christ to the world, which desperately needs Him.



On Wednesday, only **Raul** could come for English. We had a good class and we invited him to church again. He is on the right in the picture with his daughter, **Alba**, which means “dawn.” This is a picture of the Canada team helping with that English class. Raul’s daughters actually speak better English than he does, and I help them too, in the summer. The best part is that he and his wife, **Noelia**, did come with the girls, to church. The girls had a wonderful time in SS. This weekend, they are out of town, but we are praying that they will come back to church again. It is truly a **miracle** that they came.

Please pray for our dear Pakistani friends. The apartment they live in was sold out from under them and they have till the end of November to get out. There always seems to be a catch, here in Europe. In order to qualify for an apartment (unless the one renting the apartment will show mercy), you must earn 4X the monthly rent and have a full-time contract and have worked there for a year. Even though they are both now working and earn 4X the monthly rent- they do NOT meet the other requirements. Please pray for God to provide a wonderful apartment for this wonderful family, who love the Lord. Their 3 children are all in my Bible study. Pray for God to find another way for them to get in. We will keep you posted.



Kaylin is on the left and Abby is on the right. They are both **Liberty** students and they will be our interns in late Feb 2020 for 3 months. As we have said before, if any of you feel led to help them come, **please let us know**. This would be a tremendous encouragement. If any of you are going to give us a year end gift- we are asking you to donate it to them, hopefully in early December. We are looking forward to having them serve with us. We pray that it will be a wonderful experience, and that God will touch their hearts in



a real and profound way. Maybe God will draw them to serve full time. Let’s continue to pray for them.

We continue to pray for you all. We love you and thank you for your love, support and prayers for us. We love to hear from you, so we can pray more effectively, for you.

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