



Prayer Request for Upcoming Events:

June 23-16

Embers to a Flame and
Coaching churches
Barranquilla, Colombia

July 14-21

Bobby and Lolly teaching
Marriage & Family, graduation
of Institute in Bogota,
Colombia

July 22-27

Spiritual gifts training, 1st
Presbyterian Church, Medellin
Colombia

July 28-31

Embers to a Flame - Church
Revitalization Carapa,
Colombia

August 11-19

LaCeiba Honduras training
pastors.

October 14-16

Coaching churches, Spiritual
Foundations conference,
Barranquilla, Colombia

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2 Timothy 2:2

²and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men (and women), who will be able to teach others also.

She said, "I want a divorce."

Lolly and I were teaching marriage and family in a church in Bogota. Our time was coming to a close. One final exercise for the men and women to complete separately, complete this sentence,

"How can your spouse show love to you?" Seems simple. The men made their list, the women theirs. One lady blurted out, "Write down I want a divorce!" Lolly said, "no we cannot write that, try again." Sadly, the lady was serious. At the end of the conference some shared testimonies of what God had taught them. Then a man spoke up and said he wanted to confess sin to the church and his wife. Tearfully he shared. Public confession for a man is not easy in any culture, but God had broken him and was rebuilding him. Who was sitting beside him? Yes, it was the lady that wanted a divorce. As we took a group picture, she said, "I don't want a divorce now!" This was a powerful ending to an amazing weekend. That morning my sermon was interrupted by an intoxicated, lady that desperately needed Christ. She came and left several times. I learned her son had been murdered. She needs Christ to heal her hurts.

Discipleship and church revitalization take on many forms. Teaching about Biblical marriage is one way that has certainly been fruitful in our ministry.

Lolly recently had knee surgery and was unable to walk for her leg for 3 weeks. I was vividly reminded how much we take our health for granted and how much I take for granted with my wife of 38 years. God gently reminded me of what it meant to cherish and nourish my wife when she needed me there for her.

Thank you for your partnership financially and in prayers, both are desperately needed.

For Christ,

The Wilsons

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