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News from the Barrientos - Lima Peru



September 4, 2019

Beloved,

It is always a great joy to take time to share with you what God is doing in His ministry and in our lives. We want to share this Bible verse with you: in Mark 5:36 Jesus said, "Do not be afraid, only believe". This verse came to our lives just in the moment when we were in the middle of getting Priscila to college. When we meditate on this verse, we realize Jesus is speaking to a man that just lost his daughter. People came from his household to give him the saddest news, "your daughter died". Can you imagine this situation? And hear now Jesu's words: "Do not be afraid, only believe". I need to believe that Jesus knows best. The Eternal and Almighty God, He is in control of our lives, of Priscila's life and His plans and purposes are perfect. There is nothing to fear.

In this letter we want to share testimonies of Priscila and Guillermo. Both of them studied and graduated from La Roca Christian School and are fruit of the first graduated class. They have determined to serve God with their future career, and their desire is to return as missionaries to La Roca Christian School. Enjoy their letters!!

Priscila:

Dear friends and brothers,



I thank God for your lives and for the privilege of being here at William Carey University in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. I'm ready to start the third week of studies and I've also been well integrated with the university marching band. Thank you for investing in me, for praying for me and for being part of my life. God bless you four times more!

My first week was amazing; we learned to march in the band, and to read more difficult scores. Everything is difficult, but with God's help, everything is possible. I ask you to pray for me that God will give me wisdom in these years of study, that I can choose friends that will guide me to Christ.

There are very nice people here who love God with all their hearts. Pray that I may be an example to others, a light in darkness, and a true child of



God. Pray for my family so that even in distance we can stay close together, and that the ministry in Peru continues to grow in wisdom and love. Thanks again for investing in my life.

A big hug!!

Sincerely,

Priscila.

Guillermo:

Hi to everyone. My name is Guillermo Anibal Carazas Velasquez. I am so grateful for the people who are helping me with my studies, with the whole process of coming to America, and for the wonderful opportunity to study here at William Carey University in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. It was very hard to say good bye to my parents, but I know that God will take good care of them.



I pray that God will provide for my studies. For the first three months I will be working very hard on my English in the English Learning Center. After completing this, I will start my career, Business Administration. Also, I have determined to be part of the ministries activities that the University offers. Again, I am so thankful to God and to the people that help me. God willing, when I

finish my major in Business I will return to my country, and to the school where I studied with my cousin Priscila and with my friend Diego. There I plan to serve in my career alongside my father and my uncle Juan at La Roca Christian School. Thank you, and may God bless you.



Sincerely,

Guillermo

Beloved, we ask you to remember to pray for us and for youth like Priscila and Guillermo. God willing, more from La Roca Christian School will come, and it is our goal to train a new generation of Christian leaders that will love, fear and serve the Lord.

Eva and I are now in the States visiting churches and friends that pray for us and support us. We will be in Birmingham from September 18 through October 13. If you want us to have a coffee together or meet with your mission committee, you can call us at these numbers: (205) 979-2400 or (919) 987-082. We will be glad to meet with you.

Till all will hear of the Savior,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Juan & Eva Barrientos".

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