

THE MEJIAS

SERVING GOD IN HONDURAS

YOU CAN BE GOD'S ANSWER TO SOMEONE ELSE'S PRAYERS!

Since 2009, we have been formally involved in various kinds of children's ministry, not to mention that both Alisson and I serve as volunteers in children's ministries in our local churches. For some reason, God has always led us to work with children and teenagers. We believe that this is fertile ground to sow the seed of the Gospel of the Grace of God.



Every Friday, we interrupt our routine, our son takes a break from his studies for about 2 hours, and our little girl takes her bottle while being carried by some of the school teachers. Alisson presents a very clear and dynamic class, while I am in charge of praying and leading some songs and games. We have prayed to have more people ministering with us, but so far, we are only the "four musketeers" (Alisson, Ian Andres, Ellie Sophia and me).

In one of her prayers in December 2022, Alisson asked God for the launching of a Vacation Bible School. She prayed for a team of people to come and help us with this important activity. God answered this prayer through a group of 12 members of Harvest Church, who support the ministry of one of our World Reach missionaries in Honduras.

Last year, when God led us to get involved again with the Christian Family Center, we had the conviction to start ministering among the public school children. We visited the school and spoke with the principal to offer our help. The principal agreed to have us teach a class on Values once a week. Have we talked about Values with the children? Of course we have! But beyond that, we have preached the Gospel and have seen that many children have made a decision for Christ - some more than once, perhaps because they do not fully understand all the implications of this decision. It is our prayer that many of these decisions of faith may be confirmed by the fruit which results over time.

We thank God for using our missionary colleague and for his willingness to share his team's time with us. We also thank God for this group of 12, who, like Jesus' disciples in the midst of many adversities, had faith, believed God, and set out to serve Him. Don't close your mind and heart to what God can and wants to do through your life. Many times, without knowing it, you can be God's answer to someone else's prayers.

HOW IS THE FAMILY DOING?

Ian Andres successfully completed his fourth grade with ABEKA's Homeschool program. He has enjoyed his Bible, History and Science classes. He is very much looking forward to starting Fifth Grade. Ellie Sophia turned 16 months old and three months ago, due to Alisson's severe infection, she transitioned from breastfeeding to formula. Thank goodness she adapted well to the change, and now Alisson can rest a little bit more.

Alisson has been facing several health problems. Regardless, she doesn't stop - at home or in ministry, but she has less time for her clinic. She needs to make a visit to the endocrinologist to learn more about how her thyroid is functioning.

As always, Abner is involved in many ministry activities. He is learning to say "no" and is trying to manage his schedule better. Still, he's always restless and is willing to serve the Lord wherever he can.



HOW IS THE MINISTRY DOING?

Alisson has been treating several children from PRODIM Betel, which is a project of Bethel Church in Siguatepeque and is designed to support children at risk who come from broken and impoverished families. Some of these children have serious dental problems. The parents of these children often don't even have enough money to feed them, let alone take them to a dentist's office. Thank God for the Community Dental Clinic!



Alisson has taught the school children the Values class and introduced them to Christ as the only one who can give them a new life. For the first time, Alisson was invited as a Bible Institute teacher to teach a class for Sunday school teachers. Alisson took several online courses with Denver Seminary's Hispanic Initiatives and graduated from the Biblical Teaching specialization course.

Abner continues forward with his preaching ministry. The local church here and many other churches invite him for preaching and teaching conferences and classes. Abner has also invested time in training pastors and leaders through the World Reach Bible School for Leaders.



Abner continues with the radio program every week, now with the help of his missionary colleague, Alan Perdomo. The program has many listeners, as the radio now has a national and international outreach through its mobile app.

HOW CAN YOU PRAY FOR US?

- Pray for Ian Andres to be able to have vacation time and do all the activities on his wish list.
- Pray that God will provide all the resources for the purchase of the fifth grade educational packet.
- Pray for Ellie Sophia to continue to grow as a strong and healthy child. Pray that she can overcome some allergies that she's been having.
- Pray for Alisson, that all the discomforts produced by her thyroid condition can be controlled. Pray that God will guide the doctor to give her the best treatment.
- Pray for Abner, that God will continue to guide him in his role as husband, father and minister. Pray that God will give him health and physical strength to fulfill all his commitments.



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