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Taking Christ to the Nations

Cristian & Sandra Fuentes • Serving the Lord in Colombia

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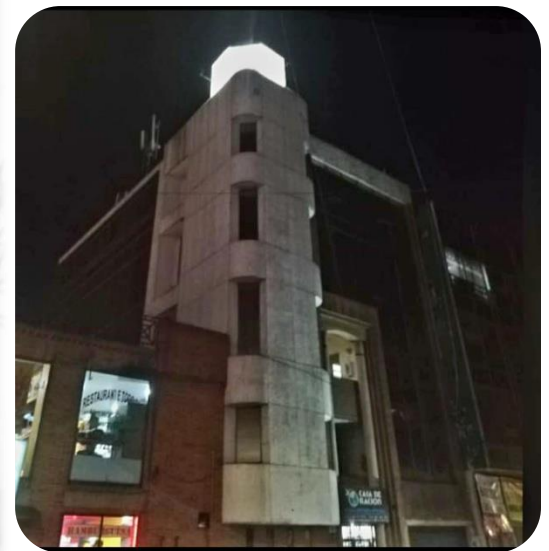
PSALM 34:5 “They looked to him and their faces shone and were not ashamed.”

News

It is a privilege to share the good news of what our Lord has done with us as a family. As we begin 2025, it is very pleasant to tell you how the Lord, by His grace, has given us the privilege of becoming part of a local church family, in the city of Bogotá. This church has a lot of history, but there's also a lot of work to do. That is why I thank you for rejoicing with us when you read what the Lord has done.

History of the House of Prayer Church

This photo, taken at the corner of Carrera 21 (formerly 24th and 18th Street South) in the Restrepo neighborhood in Bogotá, is from the 1950s. This is the House of Prayer Church built by the Galvis-Benjumea family. Today it is run by Mr. Jaime Alvares and his family, who (for more than 75 years) have kept this place going so that there can always be a local church.





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Opportunity to Serve in the House of Prayer Church

Last year, the Lord led us to a new place to serve after having served for 8 years in the Danubio Azul neighborhood of Bogotá. Our prayer was to come to a place where God would use us according to the calling and gifts that He Himself has given us in order to build up His people. We also needed a place where we as a family would be built up.

By His grace, we arrived at the House of Prayer Church in September 2024. After 4 months of being there, we were given the opportunity to serve as a family in Sunday school, being in charge of directing the children's teaching.

I believe that this congregation can be of great help to World Reach in future projects for our city, Bogotá.

We thank God for your prayers since we know that you have been the manifestation of love from God in economic and spiritual support. As a family, we always thank you for your love and support as God continues to use our lives here in our city.

Blessings in Christ,

Cristian y Sandra Fuentes





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PRAISE:

- For God's response in being able to reach places where biblical training is needed.
- For the protection and love we've experienced from the brothers & sisters whom we've visited.
- For the brothers & sisters who support our World Reach ministry in order for us to serve the Lord.
- For the brothers & sisters who always remember us in their prayers.

PRAYERS:

FAMILY

- For the unity and service of our family to the Lord.
- For the spiritual, physical, and emotional provision for our family.

MINISTRY

- For the training of leaders in our Bible Institutes (BIs).
- For this year's support that we are responsible to raise for our World Reach ministry.
- For the ability to learn English and completing my English course.
- For working on the inductive method course project for the WORLD REACH BI website (in Spanish).

Would you partner to provide the support we must raise for the mission of World Reach to serve in Colombia?

- Go to world-reach.org/donate to give once or set up monthly recurring gifts under the campaign for **Fuentes**
- Make a check payable to World Reach and mail to the address below with a note indicating your preference for supporting "**Fuentes ministry**"

World Reach has a new office in Alabama! If you support the ministry here in Colombia by check, be sure to update your address book as the old P.O. Box will no longer be open.

The new address is:

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