

## Missionaries in Honduras

SEPTEMBER



Pastor Jesús Corea, in the community of El Duraznal, Honduras, walks with church leaders to visit other nearby communities to share the gospel. On one occasion they approached a house, but the owner did not welcome them, instead criticizing them for being evangelical Christians. This happened on several occasions. A short time later the news came that this same lady was very sick and asked Pastor Jesus Corea to go and pray for her. The church leaders told the pastor that she treated them badly and belittled them. Even so, they went again, she and her family received them and prayed for her health, who soon after got better. This opened the door for them to preach the gospel. Why put up with being scorned? Why continually preach to those who have not wanted to hear? Why forgive those who offend us? Pastor Jesus Korea followed the example of the Great Shepherd, Christ Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who despised the shame of the cross, because of "the joy that awaited him" (Hebrews 12:2). The Lord Jesus set his eyes on the joy of completing the work that the Father had entrusted to him. Possibly he was also thinking of all those who through faith in him would be declared children of God. He was thinking of you and me. As we fix our gaze on Jesus Christ we find that he is far more important than any circumstance, thing or person, and as we follow him and seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, rather than our own, we will also find joy.

FAMILY ESTRADA-GARCÍA

## WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE FAMILY?



We are very grateful to God because we experience His Grace, His care, His love and His unconditional provision. God works in different ways and has His means to refine us to be His agents of Grace. This includes every circumstance of life. It is not easy to go through this often painful process, but God is faithful and good to perfect His work in us.

The girls started classes in August. We are adjusting our schedules at home since Michelle returned to Homeschool this year. The first few weeks have been a huge challenge, but she is getting better each week, working on her own with a better attitude. As for her health, the vaccinations have been helping her a lot with her asthma. Eliana and Hana are also progressing very well with their studies. God has given each of them great skills in their hands, Hana and Michelle with drawing and Eliana in making miniature things and key chains. Eliana is currently making key chains to sell and it has helped her to get organized and learn some administrative aspects. Hector's mother, Ritha, continues to trust the Lord with his health situation. The doctors have given her pain therapy and palliative care. We ask for your prayers.



## MINISTRY



In recent months God has allowed us to serve Him in preaching, training for leaders and Sunday school teachers, teaching children, women and classes at the SEBCAH Bible Seminary.

After praying for several months for God's guidance we came to the conviction to support the work of Pastor Yovany Velasquez in the CFC Church in the community of Balibrea, which is a daughter church of the Christian Family Center, where we have attended for the last two years. God has also provided us with a house to live in 5 minutes from the church in Balibrea.



We will be supporting the ministry at Balibrea in at least two areas: Leadership training and music. Hector is teaching a group of 3 teenagers from the church to play guitar to support the music in the services. Angelina is serving in the Sunday school ministry, training and supporting the teaching ministry to children and teens.

We are also visiting the community of El Duraznal to train Sunday school teachers, pastors and Christian leaders from the Lenca churches.

In our last visit we had a group of 12 leaders and pastors who are preparing to fulfill their pastoral calling in the Lenca area. Praise the Lord that he continues to call workers for his harvest!



On the other hand, God also allows us to serve people from several countries in the Americas, Asia and Europe through the World Outreach Online Bible Studies, currently we have an average of 100 people visiting the virtual classroom per week. Last month we started online workshops for Sunday School teacher training, as people from Ecuador and Peru were interested in having training in this area.



We rejoice to see what God is doing, especially to see the desire of people to learn more of His Word and to be trained, starting from their own hearts.

God created us with the capacity to be amazed, and He desires that our hearts be continually captivated by wonder at who God is, His wisdom, patience, justice, mercy and goodness, and His every work. Thank you too, for being part of what God is doing here in Honduras and outside of Honduras through the virtual classroom.

## PRAYER

1. For Michelle's health so that God may continue to fulfill His purposes and provide for her treatment.
2. For God to guide us in everything we do in the family and ministry, to serve Him with a right heart by looking to Him, so we can transmit that feeling to our daughters and each person who allows us to teach them.
3. For the study time of the girls and the extracurricular activities that they have. And above all for God to show them how they can serve Him at their young age, not because we as parents ask them to, but by conviction and desire from within their hearts.
4. For the health of Hector's mother, for the changes that are coming for her and for direction on how we as a family can support her in this process.
5. For more people to benefit from the study of the Word of God through the Virtual World Outreach Classroom, and the ministry of training that He allows us to do through His pure Grace.

**Thank you very much for being part of our team, without your support we could not be in the field, thank you for trusting us in the midst of our weaknesses. We appreciate each and every one of you.**

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