



GREETINGS DEAR FRIENDS:

Acts 15:36--*"Let us go again and visit our brethren in every city where we have preached the Word of the Lord, and see how they do."*

As Paul and Barnabas planned to travel to the cities and churches where God had sent them, I'm sure many precious memories flooded their minds as they remembered the conversion of both Jews and Gentiles that had turned from idols and ignorance of God to love Jesus and wait for His return.

Patty and I will be travelling to Mexico on July 31st, flying from Atlanta to the southern state of Chiapas. We were sent by God to that state in 1979 to preach the Gospel. God has done great things since we first moved to San Cristobal de Las Casas. It is such a blessing to see what has been done as God's Word has been preached by those we won and the next generation of others won by the preaching of the Word of God. God's Word lives, and as it is given out, more and more lives are changed. Patty hasn't been back to Chiapas for about 14 years, so she will see how the hand of God has been moving by saving lives and building churches.

Please keep us in your prayers. We arrive July 31st, and will return to Atlanta on August 27th. Our plans

include preaching in 5 churches in Chiapas and 3 churches in the nearby state of Vera Cruz. That means a lot of travel into different areas, so keep us every day in prayer until we return.

Future plans are to travel to Costa Rica in October, and Patty will be going with me if her health holds up after the month in Mexico. She went to Costa Rica in 1965 with her parents, and has a special love for the believers there. The church her parents started will celebrate its 58th anniversary the first weekend of October, and we will get to worship and praise God with them. From there we will visit two mission churches in remote areas and visit with another missionary family we recently met who has a new church being started.

Please pray with us for our grandchildren. In August we will have them living, studying and working in California, Washington, Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama. Two of our grandchildren will be getting married in the next 6 months, so life moves on at a fast pace!! Help us by praying.

Our next letter will be full of pictures from the upcoming trips!! We thank you each and every one for your faithful prayers and support. We love you and pray for God's blessings in your lives!!

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