

*News from Debbie Lane and the Harvest Fields of*

# HONDURAS



Dear Prayer Warriors and Co-laborers in Christ,

No excuses... just explanations as to why this letter is so late. The first part of this year I was ill and confined inside for about 3 weeks. After that, there were internet problems and I ended up having to buy a router. And then, for some time, because of computer problems, I was not able to send or receive my email! These are some of the reasons that this correspondence is so behind schedule. But there are also some exciting reasons! And those are the ministry opportunities that God has given me recently as my health has gotten better and stronger!

Before telling you about what I am doing in my current "mission field" of Tacoma, WA, I want to catch you up on what is happening in the mission field of my beloved Honduras.

The work goes on, but it can be difficult at times. In La Esperanza, at our main church, Bro. Hotir is continuing in the work there even though his precious wife, Marta, is still struggling with the serious health issues of thrombosis. Many times, our little town of La Esperanza cannot supply the medicine she needs and he must drive 1-2 hours to a bigger town to find the medication required. He has also been looking to find a good doctor somewhere in Honduras that knows best how to care for this type of health issue. However, so far, the most knowledgeable doctor they have found to care for her is located in El Salvador. When he was talking to me last week, he was telling me that there have been some major vehicle problems that are adding to the stress and keeping him more local. Please pray that they can figure out what is going on with the truck so that he can get the best care for his dear wife. Through ALL of this though, they are continuing to do their best to reach as many as they can with the Gospel!

Because of some of my communication issues recently, I have not heard much more from Honduras. The last that I did hear, the work in the mountains among the Lenca Indians continues and is growing. However, I'm not sure if the situation with the dangerous bridge and road has been resolved or not. Please continue to keep them in your prayers!

Just in this last month, I have felt better and stronger than I have in over a year and have been more involved in the work of the Lord! In March, I was asked to speak to a group of ladies at Temple Baptist in Lacey, WA. What a blessing these sweet ladies were to me!

In addition, I have been able to be more involved in some of the many wonderful church programs here at Faith! Recently, I was asked to teach the elementary Bible class once a week in the Christian school that my husband and I started back in 1985 when he was the pastor here! I am so thankful for Pastor Mark Smith and his dear wife, Barbie, who have kept this church faithful and strong! They work so hard to reach as many as possible, both here and around the world, with the Gospel!

Faith also has a wonderful Spanish ministry. Under the direction of Bro. Duran and his wife, they hold 3 services a week, as well as visitation and soul winning! I try to attend each their Sunday afternoon services on a weekly basis and, as I get stronger, I hope to be more involved. Already, I am thrilled to say I have met several from Honduras that attend! Last month, I was also asked to give my testimony at a Spanish Women's conference that the Faith Baptist Spanish ministry was hosting. There were about 200 women from Spanish ministries from all over Washington, Oregon, and even a couple from California! It was such an exciting time for me!!

I covet your continued prayers because I will also be speaking at a Mother/Daughter brunch next month at Galilee Baptist in Kent, WA.

I miss Honduras more than anyone can know! But I am so very thankful that God is opening doors of ministry to me here! I just want to stay busy in His work until He comes! And may we all do our best to reach as many as we can for Him. Our time is short! Keep looking up!!

Thank you ALL for your prayers and support!!! God bless you!!

For the King until His soon return,

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