

Bill & ____ ___ Dena Rose

CROSS-CULTURAL MISSIONARIES TO SPAIN AND LATINOS

How is it even possible that it is almost July already? These last several months have been incredible! The week before we were headed to Spain back in March the same areas experienced another flood. We thought the group was going over to help rebuild but it turned out that we were there for the first round of clean up. The group was able to entirely clean out and repaint sleeping quarters at the new facility given to Palabra de Vida as well as clean and return the meeting hall to a usable state. All of the clean up and repair work was completed before campers came for Easter week. The other retreat center is still a work in progress, but our group did a good portion of clean up work to help get things moving in the right direction. Bill has been raising funds to put in a septic system and retaining wall to improve the property and prevent it from flooding again. To top off the March-April trip, we ended with Bill officiating a beautiful wedding on the beach. This dear couple wanted to begin their life together by serving the Lord! While in Spain we turned in paperwork to get a document that we need in order to renew our residence. Please pray with us about this process! We leave for Spain again on July 14th and will be turning in the residence renewal papers while we are there. We have two young ladies from Michigan going with us this summer, as well as a group of 16 coming from Texas. This year we will be doing our annual sports tournament and the English camp at the church in Cartama again, volunteering at the refugee center, and also doing a Vacation Bible School for an African church in Roquetas del Mar. We appreciate your prayers for our planning, safety, and energy as well as for these activities to have eternal impact! Please pray for salvations and also for the hearts of the young people who are coming to serve.

We had the baby dedication back at the end of May and Bill had the fishing tournament on June 7-8 with over 30 participating. He made lots of good contacts and we have had one new man visit the services since then. Also in May **we had an evangelistic event and we had three spanish young people come to know the Lord!** As of right now we have only been able to meet with two of them to follow up and give them materials to help them continue growing in their daily walk with the Lord.

Two weeks ago a family of four, Joel & Esther with their kids, Mia & Emmanuel, arrived from Spain to serve here for the summer. They have jumped right in to help out with all we are doing and we are thankful to have them here. Since others helping us moved to other states and ministries we have had a hard time covering the service here when we're away. Joel and Esther will be able to continue the ministry here when we're gone and we look forward to working together with them before and after our Spain trip. Bill has already been planning our second soccer tournament here for August 16. Please be praying for that day, that many will come and that we will have many salvations.



On a personal note, JohnPaul graduated high school in May and we celebrate 33 years of marriage tomorrow!

Serving Him together, Bill and Dena Rose

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