



Bill & _____ _____ Dena Rose

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**CROSS-CULTURAL MISSIONARIES
TO SPAIN AND LATINOS**

Greetings from the Roses!

We have lots of good things happening and lots of planning that we are working on! This month of March we are participating in two missions conferences and are grateful for those opportunities and the conversations we are able to have about the Lord's work. The Spanish work in St Joseph County is doing well, and we are hoping to have a baptism soon! **Dena was able to lead one of the moms she has been working with at the Pregnancy Helpline to the Lord** as they worked through the Bible study, "Nacido de Dios." Two of the families who Dena has worked with at the Pregnancy Helpline have been attending, and one has spoken to us about having a baby dedication service soon. Bill continues weekly English classes at the farm and we go out there to do a church service once a month.

The countdown is on for our next trip to Spain, from March 24th- April 4th! We have five adults and one teenager going with us to do some rebuilding projects for the retreat center that suffered great loss during the flooding back in the fall. We have been actively raising fund to help replace cabins and install a septic tank, but are still lacking money for those projects at this point. We will also be visiting with the African church in Roquetas del Mar again, and doing some projects with Ismael and Marta at the camp that was recently donated to Word of Life, Spain. 4,000 campers come for camps on this property annually. We will also be working to get a document we need to renew our residence when we are back in the summer. Incidentally, our son, JohnPaul, will be going with his school for his second mission trip to Mexico on those same dates! He is one of only two Spanish speakers with the group this year. **Please pray both for us and for JohnPaul for safety, health, and profitable service!** An extra prayer for good health is appreciated as both Bill and Dena had influenza A back in January and still aren't 100% recovered.

In addition to upcoming plans for baptism and baby dedication, Bill is making plans for a second annual fishing tournament during Michigan's free fishing days in June. **Please pray for the gospel presentation to fall on fertile hearts** that day! He is also already working on planning our summer trip with the group going to Spain from Texas, and will be asking for permissions for our annual evangelistic sports tournament while we are in Spain this month. We have the possibility of a family coming from Spain to assist in the work in Michigan this summer, both while we are away and staying until after we return from Spain. We are planning to have another evangelistic soccer tournament in St Joseph County while they are here. In the last couple of months we have been able to encourage those who have been saved and/or disciplined through our ministry and are now in Italy, Germany, Ireland, and different parts of Spain! We are blessed to live in the age of technology and seek to take advantage of those connections with every opportunity. **Thank you for your prayers and support for our family and ministry!**

Serving Him together, Bill and Dena Rose

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