



KINMAN KRONICLE

YOUR MISSIONARIES TO GUATEMALA

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New Team Member

Dear Friends & Family,

Greetings from Florida! So far, our first furlough has been a wonderful experience for the whole family. We have traveled and reported to churches in 8 different States. Our children have adjusted well, and it has been good for them to see friends and family. We still plan on traveling for the remainder of 2008 and will return to Guatemala the last week of December.



We are pleased to announce that Team Guatemala has a new addition- Karen Kolb! She was approved as a BBFI career missionary in May and is currently raising funds to join us on the field by the summer of 2009. Karen served in Mexico City for 19 months as a short-term missionary. While there, she studied Spanish and gained experience teaching children, assisting in ladies ministries, and working in several Manna Feeding Centers. She will be a great asset to our team! More information about Karen can be found at karenkolb.com.

Jerry returned to Guatemala 3 times over the summer with mission teams from the US. The last of those trips was with a group of teens from Grace Bible Baptist Church in Leesburg, Florida. They presented a program including music and 2 wordless dramas and were able to perform in 6 schools near the Sumpango church. Over 2,500 students from both public and private schools witnessed these dramas and heard the gospel as a result!

We continue to receive reports that the Sumpango Church and Manna Feeding Center are doing well. Attendance for Sunday services is averaging over 100, and we now are feeding 52 children in the Manna Feeding Center. A national pastor has just been hired to assist with our youth ministries. Jaime, along with his wife Damaris, and their three children will be moving to Sumpango to serve as full-time staff. A small apartment is currently being built in the second level of our facilities for their family.

Thank you for your continued prayers for our son Joel. We are happy to report he is doing much better and has had just 2 short seizures in the past three months! He had a second MRI, and the previously found "white matter lesion" is stable and unchanged. The doctors still believe that this is a brain scar and will continue to monitor his medication. Another important bit of family news to announce -- our 6-year old son Jeremiah recently accepted Jesus as his Savior! Praise the Lord!

Please pray for our family as we travel these next few months. Pray that we can be a blessing to the churches that we minister in. Our desire is to see souls saved and hearts touched to do more for missions worldwide.

Thank you to all who pray and support us financially!

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