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Dear Friends,

I was driving down the highway between Aguada and Aduadilla last week and I saw a new sign that read "Aquí sembramos para Puerto Rico (here we are sowing for Puerto Rico)." Let me explain. That area is now home to over 1000 acres of sugar cane. The Puerto Rican government has invested millions of dollars to revitalize what was once a thriving industry here, and they soon will have their first harvest.

What does that have to do with our ministry? We are of course sowing the seed of the Gospel, not for Puerto Rico, but for the Lord! Through our work we are beginning to see the harvest! Let me share a few stories with you:

- **Alex, a college student who accepted Christ a few weeks ago**, told me he had been thinking about his eternal future all week.

Jerry, a new guest who told me he just desires to study the Word of God more. He and his wife have begun discipleship classes. He has also been bringing visitors to our services.

- **Going to pass out Bibles as a family** has yielded interest the church and has taught our children this is a family ministry that they can enjoy being involved in seeing God work.
- Christian, a young man I met in line at Kmart, took the time to get pen and paper from the cashier and share his phone number with me because he is interested in the new church.

Now, what does this have to do with each of you? Let me ask a question: If the government of Puerto Rico can invest money into an earthly harvest, **would you consider investing in an heavenly one?** For those who already support us, we are very grateful. **We would like to say a special thank you to four supporters who have already sent a total of $3200 to our new work since December**. We now have a website, tracts, and money ready for a deposit when we find a location. **We are still in need of $8800 to fully fund the startup costs**. Please pray that this will come in by the end of April.

Please be in prayer that we make the right decision on the building and make the transition to the new church over the next three months. **We begin canvassing in Rincón and Aguada in March and will be starting Bible studies there by April**. Most importantly we are praying that many souls will be saved. **My goal is to make at least 1000 contacts** over the next three months, with the hope that many will at least come to the "Grand Opening" service and hear the Gospel.

There is no better investment than seeing the Word of God spread in places it has never reached. For those of you that faithfully support us and for those that either have given or will give sacrificially to make this possible, we thank you. This work is your work as much as ours! God is going to give us a great harvest in Puerto Rico!

In Christ,

Alexander Spear

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Let them give glory unto the LORD, and declare his praise in the islands. **Isaiah 42:12**

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