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Serving in **MEXICO**

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Home Church
Faith Baptist Church
Bath, SC 29816

Greetings in Jesus' Name!

As always, I trust that all is well with everyone. We are doing well, except for the bumps in the road of life. It is great to be alive and having the privilege to serve our Lord Jesus Christ!

As you can see, we were able to finish the bus shelter/mechanic work pit. I park the bus over the pit when the pit is not in use and it serves as a double function. Looking back over the years that we have been in Mexico, I have wish many times that I would have had the mechanic pit from the start of our ministry. It would have been a great help because we have never been blessed with new vehicles and the vehicles we have, needed/need constant attention to keep them as dependable as possible. With me not being a genuine mechanic (shade tree mechanic at best), it was is a struggle keeping up with vehicle repairs. Thank you for making this project become a reality!!



Our AC situation has been resolved because of God's people coming to our aid. God's people responded and we were able to buy two AC units and now we are cool and dry! The temp has come down below 100% and that is livable. Our temperatures are now running in the upper 80's to the mid 90's. Those temps are **much** more livable that those days of 110+!

God's work here is doing great! We now have another family in church with several new young people. Our attendance has been steady, even though the kidnapping and killings have started back in our area. The difference is that we now have a large police compound within ½ mile of us, and they patrol on a regular basic but not where we go with our bus to get people from the villages/ranchitos. We depend on information from the people in the ranchitos to know when it is safe to go or not to go. Continue to pray for our safety and for the salvation of many more people before the Lord Jesus returns to receive us unto Himself in the rapture!

As it has been said: if a person loves his or her job/work, they never actually go to work and we truly enjoy our privilege to labor in the God's work in Mexico. I never said it was easy but I'm sure that you would agree that work can be stressful and difficult but at the same time can be a tremendous blessing in doing what we do!!



In His Service,
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I Corinthians 15:58 - Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.