



“The fields are already white for harvest” John 4:35

Dear Friends and Prayer Partners,

Our love and greetings to you all from all of us, the Humphries family here in Guatemala! We so appreciate you all as you stand with us in prayer and support as co-workers in God’s Harvest Field. May the Holy Spirit encourage, stir, exhort, and empower you in these vital days as we live for His Kingdom!

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich. 2 Corinthians 8:9 NKJV

But stripped Himself [of all privileges and rightful dignity], so as to assume the guise of a servant (slave), in that He became like men and was born a human being. And after He had appeared in human form, He abased and humbled Himself [still further] and carried His obedience to the extreme of death, even the death of the cross! Philippians 2:7-8 AMPC

Think of yourselves the way Christ Jesus thought of himself. He had equal status with God but didn’t think so much of himself that he had to cling to the advantages of that status no matter what. Not at all. When the time came, he set aside the privileges of deity and took on the status of a slave, became human! Having become human, he stayed human. It was an incredibly humbling process. He didn’t claim special privileges. Instead, he lived a selfless, obedient life and then died a selfless, obedient death—and the worst kind of death at that—a crucifixion. MSG. Jesus had to allow Himself to go to the lowest degree possible, even into the gutter, to lift us up! He was crucified as a criminal on our behalf! To be our Saviour, He had to identify with us completely in our fallen humanity by going to the lowest point to lift us from our degradation and sin. God Himself being punished for

OUR sin, our crimes. As we share the Word of God in all of our meetings, we are seeing lives changing; we are seeing lives being lifted from the gutter, literally! We are working at the gates of Hell, surrounded by unimaginable violence, death, degradation, suffering, abuse, wickedness, witchcraft, fear and vices of every description. BUT, the power of the Blood of Calvary is much greater! The Lord is moving in Santiago, and folk are coming to hear the Word, and as they hear, the Holy Spirit is moving deeply in their lives. There is untold suffering especially amongst the women, suffering that only the ‘Man of Sorrows’ can heal. *He was despised and rejected and forsaken by men, a Man of sorrows and pains, and acquainted with grief and sickness. Isaiah 53:3*



An Update From Sophie and Juancho We hope that this finds you blessed and well. Our God is so good!! You may remember that we have written about a girl



called Eliza who has a little boy of 3 years old called David. David was dropped on his head by a family member when he was just 6 months old. As a result he was left with damage to the brain. When Eliza came to us about 10 months ago she was completely desperate. They lived in a shack which housed chickens. The floors were dirt and David spent his time sitting in the dirt and chickens faeces. She could not smile, and she was so withdrawn. The first thing we did was move them into their own place with concrete floors and space for David to play. As a mission we completely took them under our wings, providing for all their personal needs and getting medical help for David. In these 10 months the Lord has completely turned their lives around! Eliza is now one of the bubbliest girls in the church. When she came to us David was so under-developed and unhappy, and he could not walk at all. He would sit and drag his legs across the floor to try and play with the other kids. After many months of physio and so much help and support David is actually walking!! It is just so wonderful to witness what the Lord has done and is continuing to do in their lives! David had to have some



tests done last week which confirmed that he is completely deaf in one ear and he has 20% hearing in the other. We will be sorting out hearing aids for him, and also believing that the Lord will bring him complete healing. Please stand with us in prayer for David. The social side of Mission Guatemala has grown so much since lockdown. As a mission we are now supporting so many single mothers and widows. Not only do we help them financially, but also spiritually. We become family to them, and we show them love and acceptance. People here truly do not know love, not from their families or anyone else. As a result of Russ working with the alcoholics they also are coming to church. Several have stopped drinking completely. Many have been to rehab, but as soon as they come out they are straight back in it. This time they went to the Word. Every single morning at 7:00am, Russ is down at Berakhah waiting for them, to build them up and strengthen them with the Word of God. They cannot go to other churches because they are despised and rejected. They are verbally abused and spat on in the streets. We love them unconditionally, and Jesus loves them so much that He laid down His life for them. There are so many needs here. Many times there are not enough finances to do all that we do, but we give out anyway. Our Lord never fails us! Your love, prayers and support for us all as a team, and as a church, mean so much. May the Lord bless you all, Sophie, Juancho, Olivia and Judah.



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An Update From Luke and Stephanie Hi everyone! We pray you are all keeping well. The Lord is so good and faithful to us. Life is full of ups and downs, of uncertainties, of things we cannot control; but we know the Lord is always near and providing for our every need. How blessed are those who are found in Christ, who abide in Him! When we have Christ, we have everything we need; we are complete. Nothing in life will be able to shake us or steal our joy! **For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Galatians 3:26-27**



There are so many hurting people around the world, and we see many broken people here in Santiago. So many of the people that we minister to are victims of abuse and violence. In Church we have been talking a lot about the relationship between Christ and His bride, which is the Church, and how that is the perfect model for a husband and wife relationship, and any relationship for that matter! There is no fear in love, there is no abuse or control in love! We are called to serve and love those around us, like Christ loves His Bride, the Church. This is a selfless kind of love, which the Father demonstrates for us.

Russ continues to meet with people every morning in the church building, to read the Word and grow in the love of Jesus. Through these morning times around the Word, many are being healed of past hurts and finding love and wholeness in Jesus. Linda has also been holding weekly Bible studies for women, to minister to them and share with them that they are loved unconditionally by The Father, and are of so much worth to Him, even if they do not receive love and acceptance by others. Women are put down terribly here, and the majority of them are victims of domestic violence. It is awful to know that that is their reality. We pray that the Lord continues to bring healing and freedom to these women from the terrible abuse that goes on in their lives. We thank you all so much for standing with us in prayer and

supporting us. We pray the Lord blesses you all and your families richly. Lots of love, Luke, Stephanie, Theodore, Henry and Finley.



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Please Pray



- For revival and the empowering of the Holy Spirit as we engage in spiritual warfare to see the power of witchcraft and demonic strongholds broken through the mighty Name of our Lord Jesus Christ
- For our outreach work as we share the power of the Word of God, give food to the poor and to so many mothers and their children
- For financial provision for the overall running costs of the Mission to enable us to keep helping so many needy people and educating so many children



Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, every one, to his own way; and the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. Isaiah 53:4-6

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Thank you for partnering with us in this family ministry – together with you, we are God's Family reaching out to touch the lives of others. May the Lord richly bless you all and meet your every need. With much love and blessings from Russ, Linda, Sophie, Juancho, Olivia, Judah, Luke, Stephanie, Theodore, Henry and Finley.