# THE FATHER'S HEART TO THE CHILDREN OF MEXICO CARLOS HARRIS PRAYER LETTER AUGUST 2018

### Centro Cristiano Nuevo Comienzo Ixtapa Pastor Germain Salazar

Pastor Germain's daughter, April celebrated her 9th birthday this past June. The English classes are going well. We begin each class with a prayer, asking God, in the name of Jesus Christ, to open our ears and our minds and give us understanding to learn English. I say this prayer in Spanish and then again in English. After praying I show the class a printed page with the subject for the day. One particular day we were learning about sea animals and reptiles. With a picture of each animal, I ask the students to raise their hands and tell me what they see and which animal they would like to learn. Then I say the animals name in English and have them repeat. I have found that the students enjoy this process and it is a good learning tool. I also use this method with verbs and have a ball for the students to pass around until I say STOP. At that time the student with the ball must repeat one of the words we have been working on. The students really enjoy this game. The last part of the class I give the students worksheets with word searches, using the words we have talked about in class along with pictures for them to color from Bible stories. When the class is mostly younger children, we talk about the story they are coloring.



## Gold Creek Arroyo de Esperanza Col El Salitrillo Pastor Luis Vazquez

We have a new student in this class. His name is Manuel and he is 7 years old. He lives close to the outreach location. One day I was teaching about the Good Samaritan from Luke 10: 25-37 (KJV) and how we can help someone in need. Several students came to class with scratches and some bruises on their faces. Initially, they were embarrassed to come into the class because of this, and I explained to the other students that this is a perfect opportunity to be a Good Samaritan and extend comfort and compassion.



Pastor Mario and Lety have been taking some time off, so as a result I don't have any updates on their ministry at this time.

July 14th was my wife's and my 9th wedding anniversary. We praise God for this time He has given us and all of His provisions. August 15 will mark 10 years of working with the children of Mexico. We are so grateful for all that God has done in our lives and the direction He is leading us. I began in Tepic helping out at an orphanage for 8 years before being lead to Puerto Vallarta to serve in 3 different churches. I praise God for the work He has given me. During these years while I have been serving, my wife has been working to support us. It is and always has been our prayer that we will have the financial support and provisions to be able to work together in these ministries and more. We continue to trust in God and His perfect plan and timing.



#### Please keep us in your prayers for:

- 1. The ministries that God has us doing for His kingdom.
- 2. That we will rely on God's will for our lives.
- 3. Complete healing for my fibromyalgia.
- 4. Continued safety from the violence in Mexico.
- 5. Our family's financial needs to be met each month

#### Please praise God with us for:

- Your Prayers
- 2. Our renewed health.
- 3. The work God has for us.
- 4. Continuing to learn Spanish
- 5. Those that financially support us each month.

Your support is always welcomed and much appreciated. Any tax deductible contributions for Carlos and Luz Elena's ministry here at Puerto Vallarta may be sent to the following address: (please be sure to note on the check that it is for Carlos Harris) Missions Support Team, PO Box 277, Waxahachie, TX 75168. For your convenience PayPal is another option at this link: http://www.missionssupportteam.org/

Thank you and May God bless you for your prayers & financial support on our behalf.

In His Love, Carlos and Luz Elena Harris

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2 Corinthians 6:18 (ESV)18 and I will be a father to you, and you shall be sons and daughters to me, says the Lord Almighty.

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