

Dear Pastor and Church,

We trust this update finds you doing well and growing in the Lord. We trust your churches had a blessed Resurrection Sunday and that souls were saved. Praise God we have a risen Savior!

The work in Nicaragua continues, and we praise God every day for the opportunities He gives to us. Janet and I have relocated to a different area of Nicaragua, about twenty-five minutes from Managua. This is an area that we have prayed about, and God opened the door for us with a wonderful place to live and to have ministry. Through directing Project 14, God allowed us to learn so much about what He has called us to do. Our vision and focus remain the same: win souls to Christ, train nationals, and plant churches. We are excited about what God has in store for us. Please pray that God will make this a very fruitful ministry and that He will give us the wisdom we need to navigate through these uncharted places.

We don't always understand God's timing. But many times after the fact, we can look back and understand completely. This is one of those times that we just don't understand completely: when God leads you to do something, but then there are what we consider to be detours. But, we always know that God has a plan.

Almost ten years ago I had cancer surgery, and God healed me through using natural treatment. However, since February, I have experienced infection from that surgery. Not knowing what it was, we came back to the States to determine the cause. After visits to the doctor and tests, they said I needed to have another surgery to take care of the problem and to make sure no cancer has returned. We would appreciate your prayers for a successful surgery and a quick recovery. The doctor says it could be up to a two month recovery time. We want to return to Nicaragua as quickly as we can. Please pray for Janet during these uncertain times—her health and patience as she takes care of me. She will need much grace to deal with me! She is an amazing woman, and we love serving the Lord together. We appreciate your prayers during this time.

Words could never begin to express how grateful Janet and I are for the faithful support of the churches that have partnered with us. To all the pastors, we say thank you for investing in Nicaragua. God has truly prepared a harvest, and the opportunities are great. Our prayer is always that God will give much fruit to your account. Also, we thank every one of you for your faithful prayers and financial support. May God bless you richly.



Because of Calvary,

Daniel and Janet Berdine

PRAISES:

1. Preaching opportunities in many churches and conferences
2. Helping church plants
3. Souls saved through preaching
4. God providing the money from a couple of churches to purchase furniture and the truck
5. Our new place and beautiful house in Managua. It was truly a miracle how God led us to it!

6. A truck to use for the ministry
7. We are 90% on the way to retrieve our tracts from the Nicaraguan government.
8. More time to learn Spanish

#### PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Health, successful surgery, and no reoccurrence of cancer
2. Our plans and goals for a Bible college and seminary for the pastors and future students
3. Pray for our three church plants
4. Safety and protection when we travel to different places
5. An opportunity to oversee and teach at the Bible Institute in Managua.
6. Have a profitable and open opportunity for the Church Mission Teams who are visiting us in Nicaragua in July and August,
7. Learn Spanish more fluently and be able to preach without an interpreter this year

#### PROJECTS:

1. \$1,400 for Pastor Francisco Barbarena Jr. and his wife Marcela to purchase a motorcycle. He was one of our graduates at the University. His church is celebrating three years in May.
2. \$1,400 for José Guido to purchase a motorcycle to travel back and forth to our house when he starts his training
3. \$5,000 for Pastor Ramon's church in Managua for building project

Extra \$100 monthly support for Pastor Carlos Murillo. He and his wife Valentina have one baby and are expecting a baby boy on April 15th. They only receive \$300 every month to live on.

God continues to give so many opportunities to preach in the church plants, local churches, and conferences. I count it an honor and a great privilege.



