

September 9, 2025

Dear Praying Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

First of all, I want to sincerely apologize for the delay of this letter, and I deeply appreciate your patience and understanding.

In September 2021, my wife and I began our journey of moving to Nicaragua. I remember packing the things we thought we would need and constantly thinking of all the unknowns of moving to a foreign land. After arriving here, my wife and I would pray daily for our children and often cry as we adjusted to this new life. After pastoring for 25 years, this was truly a different phase of our lives. But one thing was certain: *God had called us to this place.*

Looking back now, words cannot fully describe all that God has done over the last four years. By His grace, we have seen His power and faithfulness in ways we never could have imagined. It has been an amazing journey, sustained only by the help of the Lord. Janet and I want to say a heartfelt *thank you* for your faithful prayers and support. God has used you to enable us to serve here, and truly, only through His help, there is much fruit to your account!

This March, God allowed us to start a new Bible college in Managua—Fundamental Baptist College, Hyles-Anderson College of Nicaragua. We now have 17 students, and God is blessing tremendously. Already, He has brought 13 pastors from the States to teach, and we have hosted 4 mission teams. We have held pastors' and wives' fellowships, and just last Monday, God gave us the privilege of gathering with Pastor Andy Gomez (First Baptist Church of Hammond), Pastor Ken Fielder (Worldview Ministries), and Pastor Mark Eaton (Central Baptist Church), along with 57 pastors and 30 pastors' wives. What a wonderful time of fellowship!

As always, my wife poured her heart into hosting, adding her special touch of class and grace. I praise God for her—she is a tremendous blessing and partner in this ministry.

In April, the Lord enabled us to hold a 3-night evangelistic campaign in our community where we saw 50 people trust Christ as Savior! We are now preparing to launch a new church in January. Please pray for this great step of faith. God has also raised up 3 new church plants through the efforts of our Bible college students.

We would greatly appreciate your prayers for Janet's health. She has been experiencing recurring allergic reactions. Though she has done several tests, the problem is still not fully identified. Please pray that God will give her grace, strength, and healing. The demands of the ministry are great, and only by God's strength can she continue.

We also ask for prayer for our children—Valerie, Nathaniel, and Nick. We miss them dearly, but we pray daily that God will use their lives for His glory and that His grace will sustain them as He has sustained us.

Once again, thank you for your continued support—both financial and spiritual. God has placed you in our lives for such a time as this, and we are deeply grateful. We could never do what we do without your prayers, encouragement, and sacrificial giving. May the Lord richly bless you as you partner with us for souls in Nicaragua.

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### Answered Prayers:

- God has blessed the launch of the new Bible college.
- Souls have been saved through recent evangelistic efforts.
- 3 new church plants, God's provision for the pastors
- Mission teams and pastors have been a great encouragement to the work.
- Outdoor Kitchen for the College – \$1,000 (prayer answered, CBC- Pastor Stacy Wilder)
- Electric Gate – \$1,200 (prayer answered- FBC- Pastor John Wilkerson)
- Air Conditioner for Guest Room – \$400 (prayer answered - Pastor Robinson, Missionary to Haiti)
- "Adopt a Student" Program: \$20/month tuition support (prayer answered for this year, FBC- Pastor John Rainey)
- Gas Stove for my wife's kitchen - (answered prayer: TBC- Pastor David Thomasson)

### Prayer & Giving Opportunities:

- Support for National Pastors: Eight pastors currently receive \$200 monthly from their churches. We are praying for an additional \$50–\$100 monthly support for each of them.
- New Church Plant in San Antonio Sur on January 2026. Please pray for the salvation of souls, for God to raise up a pastor to lead, and for the provision of equipment and a meeting place.
- Flight Tickets for December - \$1,400
- Registration name change on our truck (To be put in our name)- \$3,000
- Motorcycles for Students & Pastors – \$1,500 each
- Solar lights - \$500

