

El Faro de Santidad Lighthouse Holiness Ministries

Delivering the Gospel of Liberty to those incarcerated in the prisons of México

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Once again, greetings from our corner of "His" field!

Ministering to Recently Incarcerated Americans

We are thankful for the opportunity to serve the Lord in the prisons of Mexico. Recently, a member of the prison administration spoke with me regarding three recently incarcerated U.S. citizens. For their own protection, they have been separated from the general population. I have been asked to act as their "godfather" and assist with their daily needs, as they have no family nearby to provide support. We are glad to help, as this opens doors to share the Gospel message with them. For privacy reasons, their names have been withheld, but I am



pleased to share that two of the three have already enrolled in our Bible Institute. While they may have joined simply to pass the time, we've seen this many times before. We are praying that through the grace of God and the power of His Word their lives will soon be transformed.

Women's Church Anníversary at Santa Adelaída

We are overjoyed to witness the continual spiritual growth in the women's church within the prison at Santa Adelaida. The inmate ladies' pastor, Miroslava, has truly become a dedicated woman of God, leading these women with wisdom and grace. Her commitment to the Lord and her fellow inmates is



inspiring, and she is doing a remarkable work in this ministry. Currently, about twenty-five women regularly attend the services and participate in the Bible studies. I do not believe that these women could have a better leader than Miroslava, given the incredible transformation the Lord has brought about in her life.

A few days ago, we celebrated the anniversary service for this church, and it was a truly special occasion. The church was filled to capacity, as family members and friends of the inmates joined us for the service. Seeing the support from loved ones alongside the spiritual progress of these women was heartwarming, and we are reminded that

the power of God's Word is reaching beyond the prison walls. This vibrant and growing church is a testament to the Lord's work through Miroslava and the devotion of these women to their faith.

Planting a Church in the Middle of a Cartel Community

As many of you already know, through Bro. Javier's connections, a parcel of land in the heart of a Gulf Cartel community in Reynosa was donated intending that it be a place of ministry. With that goal in mind, we began building a church. The property was enclosed by walls and covered in gang-related graffiti. It took a tremendous amount of effort to clear and clean up the area. After all the hard work, I am pleased to say that the church is now up and running. While much remains to be done to complete the building itself, services have already begun, and we are blessed with a congregation of about thirty people.



Javier, now my co-worker in our prison ministry, is also serving as the pastor of this church, leading the congregation with great dedication. Some might look at the unfinished building and congregation and say, "You still have a long way to go," but I say, "By the grace of God, we have already come a long way." We had not planned to build a church outside of the prison, but the Lord has opened this door, and we are following His lead. What's even more encouraging is that some of the former inmates are now attending these services, showing how God's work continues to flourish even after they leave the prison walls.

We ask that you keep this new church and its congregation in your prayers, as we continue to trust the Lord for guidance and provision.

Our Plea for Prayer

The picture you see here was taken on November 18, 2015, outside a courtroom in Edinburg. This was the day we adopted Joey. We had been his foster parents from the time he was discharged from the NIC unit after having been abandoned at birth. At the time of his adoption, we knew that Joey had special needs. His biological mother drank heavily throughout the pregnancy and had also been addicted to drugs for many years. Joey was born prematurely with microcephaly and tested positive for cocaine at birth. What we did not fully understand at the time was the extent of his disabilities.

Joey's medical diagnoses are extensive: he has Autism Spectrum Disorder, Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD), ADHD, a chromosomal anomaly, Disruptive Mood Dysregulation Disorder,



The advance of the journey we have been on over the past several years.

About 18 months ago, we had planned to relocate and one of our goals among other things was to provide Joey with some options we did not have here. Ultimately, we realized that for nearly any specialized care he may need, we would have to drive great distances. And as we were working on making the move, Joe's behavior became a bigger issue and was requiring additional medical care. Joe was eventually accepted into a special program, and after much consideration, we have concluded that with his present team Joey's care has greatly improved. So, for now, we remain here in Texas. Gary continues to work "hands on" mentoring Javier in the prison ministry in Mexico while Brenda is busy full time with Joe's schooling and keeping up with his many appointments. We both continue on a daily basis to deal with the tremendous challenges and struggles that Joey's diagnoses have presented for all of us,

There have been some who thought we had left the mission field, but I assure you, we have not! When that time comes, we will certainly let you know. However, for now, we need your help. Financial support is critical. Your prayers are even more important - for both the ministry and for Joey. Joey desperately needs a touch from the Lord, and we are also seeking His peace to calm our spirits as we navigate these challenges. We humbly ask that you keep us in your prayers, lifting up both Joey and this ministry before the Lord. Your support, both in prayer and in giving, means the world to us!

From our corner of "His" field,

Gary, Brenda, and Joey Morgan

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