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YOUR MISSIONARIES IN COLOMBIA

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Dear Praying Friends,

BUSTING AT THE SEAMS!

Each week our church is packed out, as people young and old are experiencing God's amazing grace. It's great to see new visitors nearly each week and a constant flow of people repenting and believing on Jesus for salvation, as well as following in baptism and discipleship. Leaders are being raised up and are serving in ministries both within and outside the local church body. The field is ripe in Colombia! We are needing more space and praying about our next steps. Would you pray with us?

Our Bible Institute is entering into its second semester this month. The 17 men in our institute all have a desire and calling to preach the Word, however and wherever God would see fit. Great days are ahead! Several of these are looking into training with me on a daily basis. Pray that the Lord gives us wisdom in training these, as well as the financial backing to allow them to dedicate themselves fully to the ministry.

In other news, there is a possibility we will be opening a children's home soon. It's an opportunity that the Lord seems to be dropping in our laps. We are praying for a family to help us lead this new endeavour. Stay tuned for details!

LEARNING TO SAY GOODBYE

It was good to have Jason Fowler with us for part of June. He is a young man from our home church (Lighthouse Baptist in Dawsonville, GA), and is preparing to return for a long-term internship to work in our ministry. It's amazing to see how God has worked in his life since I met him 9 years ago. Please pray for him. We have another individual and a small group who are planning to come this summer. If you'd like to line up a trip for your church or family to see the work here in Colombia, just shoot me an email or give me a call. We'd love to have you.

OUR KIDS, THE NEGOTIATORS

There are several small stores in the first floor of our apartment building. Well, Anabel, our 4 year old, found an umbrella toothpick one day, the kind they put in drinks, and took it into a store and came out with candy. We asked her where she got the candy, so she said, "I traded for it!" They're learning the Colombian way! :)

PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS

Our church, Iglesia Bíblica Bautista El Faro. We'll be celebrating our second anniversary in July! Pray for the spiritual growth of recent converts, as well as wisdom in how to accommodate everybody in our limited space.

Men preparing for ministry in our Bible Institute. (Alfredo, Andrés, David, Díver, Ernesto, Félix, Hernando, Javier, Jesús Alberto, Jhon Fredi, Juan Carlos, Juan Danilo, Kenneth, Leonardo, Libardo, Óscar, Richard...)

Trip to Chile in July. I was invited to preach a youth congress for some ministry friends, and Juan Danilo, one of the young men training with me gets to tag along!

Pray for increased monthly support. With all the ministry growth we've been experiencing, comes greater expenses. Pray that God would lead more folks to partner with us in reaching Colombia with the Gospel.

Pray for our family's health. We've been dealing with minor illnesses lately, and Aubrie has had some deeper issues since the beginning of the year. Pray we can get some answers and relief for her.

Thank you for holding the ropes for us as we minister in Colombia. God is adding much fruit to your account! We love you thank God for every remembrance of you.

Love In Christ Jesus,

Aaron & Aubrie Vance
(with Amira, Anabel & Aris!)

"I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, Always in every prayer of mine for you all making request with joy, For your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now;" Philippians 1:3-5



Worshipping together as the Body of Christ.



Some of our young people getting ready to pass out Gospel tracts in a local park.



Aubrie loving on the little girls in our kid's bible club. She's like a magnet!



Pray for Jason as he follows God's will for his life.



Amira, Anabel & Aris on Anabel's 4th Birthday.



God is doing big things in Bucaramanga!



Oscar, one of our men training for ministry, preaching in our weekly Friday youth meeting.



Alejandra is learning John 3:3, which says:

"Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."

Have you ever been born again?