



KINMAN KRONICLE

YOUR MISSIONARIES TO GUATEMALA

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Happy New Year

Happy New Year from the Land of Eternal Spring! We are very thankful for your faithful prayers and financial support during 2010, and for the many ways that God has blessed. We now have 3 locations where we are ministering – Sumpango, Ciudad Quetzal and La Gomera. The last couple months of the year were packed with events like Vacation Bible School, Youth Camp, MANNA Christmas celebrations and a new church plant. We would like to share with you a few recent ministry highlights:

Vacation Bible School

Under the Sea—Diving for God's Treasure was our VBS theme this year in Sumpango. It was a huge success with an average daily attendance of 260, including 304 on the final day. Many new contacts were made with first time visitors, and a total of 62 children accepted Christ as their personal Savior— Praise the Lord! Thanks also to the mission team from Lighthouse Baptist in Murfreesboro, TN, for coming and lending a hand.



Youth Camp

In December, we took the Sumpango young people to Lake Atitlán for youth camp. Our teens were challenged by the preaching of guest speaker Ray Rhoton, BBFI missionary in Costa Rica. Many decisions were made—12 teenagers dedicated their lives to the Lord, and one young lady received Christ as her Savior. On the last day of camp, church members, family and friends were able to join us for a special service with 7 teenagers being baptized.

Ciudad Quetzal

After much anticipation, we celebrated the inauguration of our newest church plant and MANNA Feeding Center. In October, MANNA representative, Chuck Ward, brought down a mission team from the US, including 6 pastors. They were able to take part in the special ribbon cutting and dedication service for the new building in Ciudad Quetzal. We invited people from the surrounding area to come, as well as from our first church in Sumpango, and we were thrilled to have over 160 in attendance!

In November, we began a weekly Kids Bible Club in Ciudad Quetzal with a lesson, craft, game and then lunch. We have been averaging over 70 in attendance, and people have continued to come and show interest in this new work - including kids, teenagers, moms and even dads coming and hearing the gospel! Lord willing, we will be beginning Sunday and mid-week services there in January. It is exciting to be a part of this new church plant!

MANNA Christmas

This year we had all 3 feeding centers take part in the MANNA Christmas offering. We had a combined total of 390 in attendance at the 3 Christmas celebrations. Each child received a present, and every parent and child enjoyed a special meal and heard the message of the greatest gift of all, Jesus Christ. Thanks to those who gave to bring Christmas to these Guatemalan children!

Thank you for allowing us to share what God has been doing here in Guatemala. We are looking forward to how He will work in 2011.

Saved to Serve,
Jerry & Mindy
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Youth Baptisms, Dec 2010



Youth Camp, Dec 2010



MANNA Christmas

