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Hello friends and partners. This is a supplemental News/Prayer Letter for the month of July. In the letter we sent out a couple of weeks ago, we highlighted the church we started with pastor Sergio Saravia in the downtown area of Tarija in 2020. As we reported in that update, the church is thriving, and the people are growing. It has been a huge blessing to work with Sergio in this church, and we look forward to many years of helping them as they take part in The Great Commission from Bolivia.

A second area of our partnership with Sergio has been developing a network of pastors in various regions of Bolivia and beyond its borders. To date, we have men that are part of this group from 5 different regions of Bolivia as well as Paraguay, Ecuador, and Brazil. Each of these men had become submerged in various aspects of the "Prosperity Gospel". However, they experienced revival in their lives and want to return their Churches to a solid doctrinal position. As we've noted in previous letters, they need someone to help them do that. We have taken on this role with Sergio and are working with these men through Zoom, What'sApp, and of course phone calls. Some of the men have been to Tarija, and we've met with them in person. On one of our upcoming trips to Bolivia our goal is to visit their churches to have a better understanding of their ministries. This will help us be better mentors and allow us to meet the people in their churches. In time, we hope to expand this type of outreach to some of the partners we work with through Baptist International Outreach.

Now, to the main reason for this letter... A third area we have worked with Sergio over the past 4 years has been in an effort to become part of the Chaplain ministry in the Bolivian military. This has been a tough nut to crack so to speak as traditionally the military chaplaincy has been controlled by the Catholic Church. That is up until now. We recently learned that Sergio has been accepted as a military chaplain. He will be one of a very few number of men who preach Christ alone for the salvation of mankind to members of the Bolivian Armed Forces. As you can imagine, this is a tremendous blessing and an opportunity to reach people who may never pass through the doors of a Gospel preaching church on their own.

We would like to ask you to pray for these ministries, our partners in Bolivia and other countries, and particularly for Pastor Sergio. He is a well-trained, motivated, and compassionate minister of the Gospel of Christ whose sole purpose in life is to Glorify God and reach people with the Good News. Thank-you for partnering with us and by extension men like Sergio. God has used you as a blessing to us and the partners who work side by side with us.

Thank-you, and may God bless you as you serve Him;

Jeff & Sandra



"WHEN WE WORK, WE WORK.
JAMES HUDSON TAYLOR
WHEN WE PRAY, GOD WORKS."