

Winning souls, baptizing & discipling nationals as we start a church in Querétaro, Mexico.

April 27, 2023

April 2023 Prayer Letter

Dear Prayer Warriors,

We are very thankful to our sending church, Frederick Baptist Church, for a very encouraging send off service on April 2. The church people there (along with many of our supporting churches literally all across the country) were abundantly generous in helping with our moving expenses, and we are very grateful for every special gift and support check we have received. We were able to purchase a vehicle and basic furniture before we arrived in Honduras.

On April 7, we flew down to Honduras. We praise the Lord that we had a safe journey and that we had almost all of our bags when we landed. We are also thankful that American Airlines worked diligently to get the one late bag to us. Currently, we are waiting for one tote of our belongings to arrive (4 of the 5 totes we shipped down did arrive at this point). Please join us in praying that this missing tub of kids toys and clothes would be found and delivered to us soon.

When we arrived, we finished purchasing what we needed to set up our house and had to make some minor repairs to our house. We have been working to adjust to Honduran life and culture, and are learning to live life in Spanish. We began formal language classes on April 24, and we have already been learning new things.

We are also glad to say we have 94% of our support goal coming in and we have some more support pledged to us at this point. We are thankful for how God has used so many of you to provide for our needs on deputation and now in language school, and we look forward to your partnership for years to come.

We also need to inform you that are US numbers are not a good way to reach us anymore. For this first month, our US carrier has not been nearly as useful as I had hoped, and I do apologize if I missed your call to that number. We can still be reached through iMessage/FaceTime, Facebook Messenger, WhatsApp, Telegram, and email.

We appreciate your continued prayers for us as we adjust and work to learn Spanish. We do pray that God would continue to bless and be with you all.

In Christ's service,

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## **Praises:**

- Renata's passport did arrive in time
- We did have a safe trip to Danlí
- Needed documents from the US did arrive before we left

## **Prayer Requests:**

- Our last tote to arrive soon
- Smooth visa process
- Rest of support to come in soon
- Quick and thorough learning of the Spanish language

But as it is written, to whom he was not spoken of, they shall see: and they that have not heard shall understand. Romans 15:21

