

Dear Praying friends,

You've prayed us through another home assignment in the US! We were able to visit all of our supporting churches and individuals in Ohio and Pennsylvania plus a few in Michigan, New York and Illinois.

We also made it to the Denver, Colorado area and our mission headquarters for debriefings and physicals. We're thankful for clearance to return to the field after passing exams and in spite of our lacking full financial support. Believe us when we tell you that we're quite tired of driving the many miles. We're also thankful for the two places for lodging this summer.....in Holland and in Kalamazoo, Michigan, provided by very special friends and family.

Dave's brother and sister in law in Texas, lent us their very economical diesel powered car that transported us more than 15,000 miles. Our heartfelt gratitude goes out to you who have helped in providing ways to make this time in the US very fruitful. God has shown Himself and His faithfulness in so many evident ways.

Another way God has provided is the way you and others have gotten excited about looking for special project funds to purchase the roof material for the new chapel at Camp Rio Lozano. Thank you so very much for your generosity in sacrificing and supporting that important ministry. The funds are almost completely raised and, when we arrive in Jujuy on Sept. 20th, we will be looking for the necessary 65 sheets of tin roofing. One thing you could pray about is that the walls would be up and ready for the roof installation. In spite of our handing over the camp to the leadership of the new missionaries on the field, Dave is still committed to finish the chapel construction.

A few churches have become interested in sending down a number of members to form a team to pour cement for the 3,200 sq. ft. of floor, perhaps to take place in July or August of 2012.

While at a church camp in southern Ohio and during some Sunday School hours with kids, we were able to teach that, even at their age, they can also be involved in missions by praying, giving and by telling their friends about salvation in Jesus. Can you believe that most missionaries make decisions to be cross-cultural workers before the age of 15? This reminds us of Mirian Mitingay, from a poor Guarani Native American family in San Pedro de Jujuy, near where Dave was born. At the age of 5, she came to us saying that she wanted to be a missionary. People in her home church used to laugh at her saying "She's just a little kid and she's just talking." Mirian is now a missionary working with children in Morocco, Africa. Her call to missions was THAT strong and she knew it. The retired missionaries who used to serve on our field are quite astonished that missionaries are now coming out of NW Argentina from among those they worked with and from those who used to be campers at Camp Rio Lozano. One family is planting a church in Bolivia and another couple is being prepared to work in Mozambique, Africa. God is at work

sending missionaries out from our area of the world and we praise Him for it! We're praying that God would continue to raise up new missionaries to continue His work in reaching the world for Himself.

One encouraging bright spot during this year's connections is our involvement in helping a young couple get closer to their full time ministry in Argentina. Please pray for them as they have interviews with our mission, World Venture, this October. Their gifts of leadership training and evangelism are much needed, especially after our projected retirement within 5 years. Also pray that their support might be discovered in God's good timing.

As you might have observed, we don't have very many years before our ministry in Argentina comes to an end. In fact, we will be busy these next remaining years to wrap things up. Our concentration now will be to continue training pastors and other church leaders through the Distance Seminary program which allows them to study at home.

Dave will continue to travel visiting a number of students as well as to write course material. He also plans, the Lord permitting, to continue acting as spiritual advisor for the regional church association in the Andes Mountains and being active as field team leader. Nancy looks forward to teaching her Women's Bible studies in the city of Palpala.

Our flight out of Chicago for Buenos Aires (via Houston, Texas) is scheduled for September 15th so we have only 6 days left to finish packing and saying goodbye to our Kalamazoo, Sparta and Chicago relatives along with a number of friends in the Western Michigan area.

There are many challenges awaiting us upon our arrival. Pray that we would be led by God's Spirit in all of the endeavors mentioned. We need to remember to pray for the Argentine national leadership, too.

As always, we ask that you pray for our two children. Sara and her family are developing their ministry in Albania, learning that country's difficult language, raising three children, forming relationships to communicate the gospel of Christ, and starting a new church in a city to the north of their home base of Korcha called Pogradec. Josh, our son, left for work with the Peace Corps. in Guatemala on August 10th. He needs your prayer for safety and opportunities to encourage the Guatemalan farmers that he works with.

His training in sustainable agriculture will help him in his future career of International development.

You've seen quite a number of prayer requests sprinkled throughout this letter but we can't forget the praise items, too, which are.....

1. Good physical health

2. Enthusiasm about returning to Argentina
3. Great friends who are awaiting our return
4. God's care for our family
5. The prospects of getting back to Dave's many seminary students
6. Nancy's desire to continue with her women's Bible studies

Thank you for your faithfulness in support and prayer for our ministry. We couldn't be in Argentina if it weren't for you. Mainly, however, we praise God for His goodness in giving us the joy of serving Him.

Dave and Nancy Greenman