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#### Dear Partners:

So much has been accomplished since our last report to you. As soon as God delivered Sammy from Covid 19; the family not only resumed the usual outreaches, their ministry grew!

Even with the restrictions imposed due to Covid-19, the work of the ministry has continued with many lives changed. Esavel Contreras has been a favorite speaker at Oasis of Love and we were blessed to have her at the church to bless all of those that attended. The pictures included will also give you a good look at how nice the renovation of the church looks. The numbers of people inside the church had to be restricted and masks had to be worn; but God's power was not diminished.

We traveled out to the Otomis community this month to minister and also to see the continuing progress of the School for the Deaf. Just one of many locations we oversee now as we have 7 churches working with us. Four of them are new! We have made 4 to 5 trips to our village churches. We rejoice to have our four new churches: Philadelphia, San Marcos, St. Phillip, and Olives. We also preached at a new Mission Church in Hidalgo that will be a part of our group of churches.

The Christmas Outreaches were smaller this year as we faced new challenges; the battle with Covid, and we were short on the number of Christmas boxes received. The church and others donated and we increased the number from the 119 Christmas Boxes received to over 250 gifts handed out. We also were able to distribute 100 boxes of food and 160 blankets for those that needed them.

While mourned the loss of Pastor Alfonso Ruiz in Guadalajara; we were blessed to be a part of the celebration of his life and ministry and preached services there. Martha preached her first Skype service online. We also took part in a leadership conference with Pastor Philippe.

Our next trip will be to Texas to visit family; and then on to Michigan for the Missions conference. For those who have followed us on Facebook you have likely seen the report of my mother, Eva's health. Mom has been an inspiration to all of us; a co-founder of Extensions of Jesus; a mentor; a friend; and a powerful minister of God's Word. Please agree with us in prayer for her health in these later years of her life.

As with all of our trips; the one into the US will be more than a visit and time of refreshing. We look forward to ministering in some of the churches while we are there seeing those we love and miss so much.

It can never be said too often that each of you that donates and lifts this ministry up in prayer are a part of this ministry. Acts chapter 4 gives a good example of this when the church faced the threats received by Peter and John for preaching in the name of Jesus. Their response reveals their heart and just look at what happened!

Acts 4: <sup>29</sup> Now, Lord, consider their threats and enable your servants to speak your word with great boldness. <sup>30</sup> Stretch out your hand to heal and perform signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus." <sup>31</sup> After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God boldly.

The place being shaken was a result of the church praying in one accord, and we see that God answered their request for boldness! This is what we can expect when we go boldly to our Lord Jesus and pray for boldness in the face of adversity. Your prayers make a difference. We praise God for you!

We look forward to a year filled with the manifested presence of God in your lives and in this ministry.

Blessings,

# Sammy and Martha Langston



**Praise and Worship Team @ Oasis of Love** 





Samuel Langston

May 24 ⋅ 🕙

What a powerful blessing to have Prophet Isabel Contreras with us at our church Oasis of Love this past weekend! We also want to thank our good friends David Jimenez and Landy Erosa for their help in making this event a success. The kingdom of heaven suffers violence and the violent takes it by force. We are taking our city for Christ and no shame in saying it!



Oasis of Love Church – Services with Isabel Contreras

## **Isabel Contreras - Preaching**



**Praise and Worship** 





Just one more picture of the group so you can see the tremendous difference in the way the church looks since the renovations. We were pleased to be able to host this meeting.