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This is our 1 year Missionary Anniversary Letter!

You helped rock the world in this past year.

Thank you for making this past year a great one. Trust me when I say this: we truly could not have accomplished what we did over the past twelve months without you. Some highlights:

- **Making the move to Spain** was one of the biggest testimonies of all. After all the hurdles and work we did while preparing in the states we made it to where God sent us and began working and learning immediately.
- **Helping the local church** with their activities and ministries has been a great way to serve while we learn about the language and cultures. Recently we've also been leading the student ministry by having services and activities for them, as well as, sharing the love of Jesus through street evangelism and feeding the homeless.
- **Kids school and our language learning** is now complete for the first year. It has been a blessing for all of us to learn so much. The kids had there share of trials in their classes, as you can imagine, but we overcame them all together and we're better for it.

I feel like I finally understand John 21:25 – "Jesus did many other things as well. If every one of them were written down, I suppose that even the whole world would not have room for the books that would be written."

I could go on and on – the stories, testimonies, and miracles are endless. We'll have the luxury of recounting all the Lord's deeds one day in heaven, but for now I must tell you:

We need partners like you so we can help the Spanish people experience God in a life changing way.

When you partner with us you help us reach those that go through life without a relationship with Jesus. We've seen hearts open to the gospel of Jesus Christ. Amazing things are happening here and these changes are amazing.

You can make a difference in Granada, Spain. You can change lives by helping us as a monthly financial partner. You can help spearhead progress and give toward one of the special gift needs or with a one time gift. **Will you partner with us today?**

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You are an answer to prayer. Thank You.

Krystal and I realize that your financial gift comes at a price – not just monetarily, but in what it represents: skill, talent, time, energy, and that you could be spending it on your own pursuits and loved ones. For that, we thank you.

We also realize that your prayers come at a price – and while we can't keep in touch as much as we'd like (Internet is definitely spotty here!) we want to let you know that your prayers – however long, short, loud, or soft – are powerful and effective. For that, we thank you.

How can we help you?

You've blessed us so incredibly with your sacrifice and thoughtfulness that Krystal and I wanted to setup a way to "give back" to you, small as it may be.

We've setup a simple website at www.royceministriesinternational.org where you can keep in touch with us, or better yet, just email us directly at royceministries@hotmail.com -- and please let us know how things are going at work, with your family, and if there's anything we can pray for you about. (We really mean it.)

A quick peek at what's next:

You can imagine how encouraged Krystal and I were as we recounted the victories, miracles, and breakthroughs we saw as a result of your generosity this year. We know the road ahead won't be easy, but we've got some God-sized plans:

- **During the next 30 days** we will continue to be serving, evangelizing, teaching, and preaching more and more as our language, influence, and opportunities continue to grow. We are expecting growth and fruit in all of these things. Will you pray for us?
- In the next 90 days summer is in full swing giving us time for more church youth activities to keep our youth strong and involved. We are also implementing prayer walks, worshiping in the parks and always evangelism. Sept 10 our summer will be over and the kids will be in another new school that is better and closer to our house which a huge answer to prayer. We will be able to meet lots of new families and be able to make friends during school events and activities, this is vital to what we do here through relationships and then discipling.
- For the last 6 months of this year we will reach many more Spaniards with the saving message of Jesus Christ. Begin planning times of discipleship through relationships and grow in strength and numbers with all the ministries we're involved in. We feel your prayers so please continue to believe God with us!

An opportunity like no other.

Spain is one of the most under reached nations in the world with very few evangelical Christians. I read an article the other day that said in Spain there are 350 cities with a population of 5,000 or more people that have no evangelical church in them at all. What a statistic! Here in the city of Granada there are 233,000 people to reach. Among these people there are 10-15 evangelical churches with congregations ranging from 10-150 people in each one. These stats show the great need and opportunity that we have here in Granada.

Would you give financially to make this happen?

Many of you know that we've been fundraising the last couple of months. We knew that we needed \$4,500 per month in order to do what God sent us to do. The Spanish government recommends that a family like ours needs about \$5,400 per month to live here. The reason for the fundraising is that we have averaged \$2,900 per month over the last year making up the difference with what we had saved. We must grow our support team to continue.

- We need monthly financial partners to partner with us so that we can get from \$2,900 to our budget of \$4,500 complete and be able to continue our ministry here in Granada. When you partner with us we change lives together and we can't do it without you! In the last two months we've had 5 new partners come on board with us adding \$185. Praise God! Can you partner with us and contribute to accomplishing the remaining \$1,415. We are praying and believing for God to make it happen!
 - Here's how we could reach our goal. Would you take one of these slots?
 - 5 New Churches at \$100 per month \$500
 - 5 New partners at \$100 per month \$500
 - 9 New partners at \$50 per month \$450

Our Goal is \$1,450 in new monthly partnerships by December 1, 2019!

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- **Special gifts** are always a great blessing as well. Maybe God would have you, your church, or small group give toward something specific that's not in the budget:
 - 1. Annual Car Insurance \$710.00
 - 2. Kids school uniforms \$1,165

- 3. Back to school supplies \$400
- 4. Youth Camp August 5 \$375
- 5. Health Insurance \$1,355 for 6 months
- **6.** \$8,000. Flights to visit the U.S. in 2020
- 7. 2 year Visa renewal \$116
- One time or annual gifts help us fill in the gaps of our budget and buy what we need when things arise like breakdowns, maintenance, clothes, health insurance, and all the other things life can throw at you. Over the past two months we've needed a starter \$200, other vehicle maintenance \$350, and kids summer shoes \$150 because these things come up. This is why we're so thankful to those who give so that we can cover things like this.

See what others are saying about our work.

"Thanks my friend for being a really good person. I can't repay you for what you've done for my family but I always pray that God would bless and protect your life and your family since you've shown that you're a good friend and my brother. I recognize your effort and love to serve people which comes from being a noble person and you are a noble man with a spirit of service. Gracias my friend!"

We are looking forward to another great year!

Would you help us get fully funded and reach Spain to share Jesus Christ's love and power in one of the most unreached nations in the world? <u>Please respond today.</u>

I will be committing \$150 to Royce Ministries International as a monthly partner.

I'll give through www.continuetogive.com/roycefamily or by mailing a check.

All gifts are tax-deductible and handled with integrity and accountability. We are missionaries with the Full Gospel Evangelical Association which is a federal non-profit 501c3 organization. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Giving by check?

Write checks to:

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