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But thanks be to God that though you were slaves of sin, you became obedient from the heart to that form of teaching to which you were committed. Romans 6:17

For I delight in the law of God after the inward man: Romans 7:22

*The statutes of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart: the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.* Psalms 19:8

# *More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than much fine gold: sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb*. Psalms 19:10

One of the evidences of being a child of God through faith in Christ, is the new attitude or "heart" towards the Word of God, the Bible. We now have a desire to learn of Him and from Him in the Scriptures and grow in this life-changing knowledge. We also desire to share the Message of the Gospel of Christ that has the Power to save us from condemnation and sin. We rejoice as we see this change in new believers and also as it motivates them to make life-changing decisions, such as coming to prepare for full time ministry. This is the case of **Josue Garcia** from Niltepec, Oaxaca. Josue learned about the Lord at a young age through VBS meetings held in his home and then later, as a

teenager, came to faith in the Lord as his Savior. After being involved with the church activities for several years, he felt the need to learn more of God's truth to be able to help others come to know the hope we have in Christ. His pastor, **Dr. Santiago Santos**, told Josue to consider coming to MITC in Cordoba to prepare for ministry. Josue is greatly burdened for his home town, since there is still much idolatry and sinfulness in the majority of the population. We are thankful to



the Lord for Josue's heart for the Gospel and pray that he will be a big help to the church and to Dr. Santos and his medical-pastoral ministry. Josue is presently a second year student in the Bible School. Please keep him in your prayers.

Gary Richardson and Eber Flores led their "multistate" (OH, IN, NE) work team last month and one of the purposes of their trip was to take part in the commissioning meeting for our Year in Practice students. As mentioned in last month's letter, we gave out the assignments and prayed for God's grace and



blessing for this special year in the students lives. The team also helped with the New Girls Dorm construction project, helped paint the Chapel and several sewing projects with the ladies. They visited the churches of **Neria**, **El Pochote**, and **La Cumbre**, **Belen** and **Vega del Sol**, preaching and sharing with the children in each place. This is the first visiting group of our school year and is always a special encouragement for the new students that have just arrived to prepare for ministry.

This month, we had our first **"Music and Technological Resources Congress"** for church and worship leaders in the region. The theme was "Exalt His Glory" and the central message was that



our worship must be Christ centered and our hymns have solid Biblical messages as we worship the Lord. We had a special team from Broadmoor Baptist Church to teach the workshops during the congress. Tyler and Aimee Hennessy, Ronnie Cates, Katie Mook and Brent Hammett, each taught according to their area of ministry in these meetings. There were classes

on forming choirs, voice training, leading worship with guitar, sound system setup, video presentations for church worship and many other very useful topics. Danny Hernandez was our conference speaker, emphasizing the previously stated theme and messages. It was a tremendous time of learning the Scriptures, of worship and fellowship. Over 500 brethren representing churches from many places in southern Mexico came to learn during this activity. The leaders that came were very grateful for this blessing that the Lord provided here in Cordoba.

The Lord gives us many opportunities and "instruments" to share the Word of God with unbelievers. As you know, medical ministries have been a great part of our mission work here in Mexico. The **Woodcreek Church Dental Team** has faithfully come for many years to partner with us for the extension of the Gospel. Led by **Dr. Chris Miller**, this group sets up three clinics in three days to do all sorts of dental work on people with needs. Each year with this group of brethren, we have been able to reach new locations where there is no evangelical witness. This time the places visited were Tezonapa and Neria, while the new village for the clinic this year was Xochiapan, a town up in the mountains above Cordoba. We were invited to go to this new place by former Veracruz congresswoman Gely Sahagun (who has also become instrumental for us to go places we have never been before). While the doctors work do the dental work, our students visit with the patients and children teaching the Truth of Christ and sharing His love. Drs. Miller, Stuttsman, Brodie, and Mason worked untiringly, seeing hundreds of patients in these clinics. We are very thankful for our brethren and this ministry of Woodcreek Church with us.

We thank the Lord for His blessing on these first months of the school year and for your prayers, love, and support, that makes it possible for us to do these things and continue to serve the Lord here in Mexico. May He keep us delighting in His Word and sharing it with all whom we meet each day.

Muchas Gracias, may God bless you.

In His grace, Dan and Chuy Hall

Chuy, Dr. Miller and Maggie in Xoxhiapan



## An Everlasting Gift October 2012

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