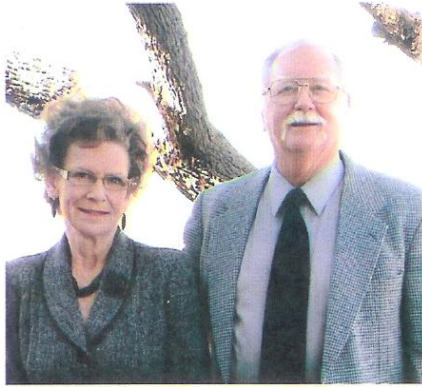


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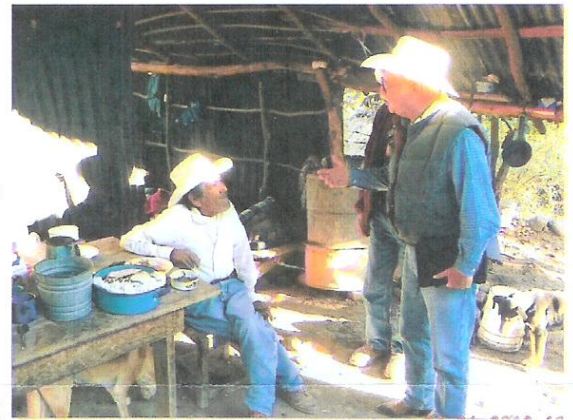
Dear Friends and Family:

Warmest greetings to you in our wonderful Saviour's holy and precious name! We pray that all of you are well and rejoicing in God's goodness.

We are thanking and praising the Lord for His goodness to us. Our hearts are filled with gratitude to God for each one of you who faithfully pray for us and generously support our ministries. It is our sincere prayer that He would richly bless each one of you for your kindness to us.

Ron has just finished teaching a class on missions at the prison in Nogales, Sonora. There were 35 inmates taking the class and 17 of them received certificates and seminary credit for their work. For the next couple of months former Director of the Baptist Seminary of Nogales, Arnoldo Benavides, will be teaching a class on the false cults. This is a very important series of studies due to the false cults that are getting into the prison.

The village work is going well. The services are well attended and the home visitation is producing results. Recently two men in the village of Nuri accepted Christ as their Saviour in their homes. Both of them are faithfully attending the services and are growing in the Lord. The drug related violence continues to escalate all over Mexico. Gonzalo and Teodola are a couple who accepted the Lord several years ago in the village of Palmarito, Chihuahua. Their grown sons are active in the drug trade and have been involved in several altercations where people have been killed. As a result Gonzalo's and Teodola's lives have been threatened. To get away from the threats they moved out to a village in Sonora near the coast where we have a ministry. They have lived there for a couple years, but now those who have threatened their lives have found out where they live and their lives are in danger. Please pray for them. They are a very committed couple who really love the Lord and are faithful witnesses.



Home visitation in the villages is producing results

Pat continues to work with the youth here in Arivaca and attends her ladies Bible study classes in Tucson. Recently a young man and a young lady from the youth group accepted the Lord and were baptized. In our little church here in Arivaca where our son David is Interim Pastor, five people have accepted Christ and been baptized in the first two months of 2012. We praise the Lord for the way He is working in people's lives in this little town near the Mexican Border. Thank you again for your kindness to us. GOD BLESS YOU!

In God's Great Love,

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P.S. Ron was hospitalized this past Wednesday, 2/29, for two days for kidney stones. The doctors put in a stent to drain the kidneys which has given some relief. In two weeks he will need to go back to have the stone removed and the stent taken out. All this has left him unable to travel but he is still able to organize the outreaches. Pray for Ron!

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