

God's Goodness: Seed Bearing Fruit

There is no other time of year like Fall. The arrival of cooler weather, the gathering-in of an abundant harvest and the celebration of God's goodness on Thanksgiving make this season a special time of year to reflect and give thanks. Recently, our thoughts have turned toward a phrase from Genesis 1:29 (NLV) which says, "fruit that gives seeds". If you think about it, being able to enjoy fruit, which a tree produces season after season, is amazing and awesome in itself. However, God's goodness really knows no bounds! Not only does He give us fruit to enjoy, but within the fruit itself there is an unlimited supply of future fruit contained in its seeds! The potential of the fruit is determined by what one does with the seeds! We are so honored to share with you some of the fruit from this season that you have so generously sown to help us train disciples through Palomares Ministries and Charis Bible College Mexico. The Lord continues to show us that students are indeed the "fruit" and at the same time they are the "seeds" which are being sown into many other people's lives! As pictured above, our second year students are already ministering in their local church teaching DE (48 lessons which teaches practical Biblical truths), showing God's love to adults and children in need and assisting pastors in their church to baptize, teach and mentor believers! Your support has provided the place where these students are receiving the Biblical training which fills their own lives with fruit and also teaches them how to share these truths with others! continued on p. 2...

WE ARE

- O Alex and Julie came to know the Lord while they lived in Puebla, México in
- 1982. They have 3 grown children: Amelia, her husband Jordan, David, his wife Lauren and Amanda. Alex and Julie attended Charis Bible College (CBC) where they graduated in 2009. July 1, 2010 they were ordained into the ministry and now reside in Querétaro, México where they serve as directors of Charis Bible College's First Spanish Speaking campus in México.





Meet Charis Bible College Student Javier Morales:

One of our second year students, Javier, is a great example of this principle at work. We met Javier when we taught our first Discipleship class in the fall 2010. Through the course he received the baptism in the Holy Spirit and was one of the first people to enroll in Charis Bible College México in 2012. A couple of months ago, he began ministering to a man (Carmelo) whom he had known for years. When Javier led Carmelo in a prayer to receive the Lord as his Savior, Carmelo's life was changed forever. He was so thrilled to have such love, joy and peace that he asked Javier if he would come to his house to pray for his wife who has been suffering with dementia. We had the privilege of accompanying Javier and his wife, Andrea (also attends CBC MX). As we entered Carmelo's home, we realized that he had gathered those of his family who would listen to receive Jesus as he had. And that they did! Seven members of his family were born again and baptized in the Holy Spirit and all filled with that same overwhelming joy. Recently, they have started attending

church, taking the discipleship course, and were among those who are pictured being water baptized! Javier and another one of our second year students, Roberto, are running the Discipleship Program (DE - Discipleship Evangelism) at the church we attend and have had about 20 people participating in the course.

This is the beauty of discipleship and the seeds we have sown together! Javier's life was forever changed by the truths he's learned from DE and Charis Bible College Mexico and he now he is able to raise up disciples who will raise up others too!

As we work and travel here in México, we think of you often praying for you and thanking the Lord for your continued support. To those of you who have sent us emails and facebook messages we would like to thank you. Knowing that you are thinking of us, means more than words can express! We especially would like to wish you a very wonderful Thanksgiving holiday and a joyous Christmas celebration!

Saturday First and Second year Students 2015-16

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