

DISCIPLING AND STRENGTHENING HEARTS FOR CHRIST

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## WINTER'S WORK BEARING SUMMER FRUIT!



November 12th of last year we began offering a free Bible study on Tuesday (DE) evenings for anyone who would be willing to attend. Several of our Charis Bible College students who had already had their lives changed by this same course sprang into action inviting people they knew to come and discover for themselves just how good God is! Over the course of the months that followed, we are happy to report that 20 people participated in the course with an average of 8-12 in attendance each Tuesday. Of that group, 15 people received the Baptism in the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues for the first time!

A man named Vicente (pictured above in a yellow shirt) has taken music lessons for years at a cultural center not too far away from where we are located. He waits at a stop in front of our building in order to catch the bus. One day he looked up and saw our window ads and took down our information. He called our office for information just in time to attend our last DE class which he enjoyed very much and made an appointment to meet with us the following week. However, Vicente was so excited he came to school the very next night. The conversation made it clear that he knew about Jesus yet didn't know that he needed to personally receive Him...

## Who We Are.....

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.





Celebrating with Food and Fellowship

.... as Savior and Lord! Vicente was not only born again right then and there, he also received the Baptism in the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues as well! What an amazing and loving God we serve who uses everyday things like people's routines and advertisements to change even one man's life forever!

Our DE group enjoyed a great time of praise and worship, food and fellowship. Each person testified about how the course has changed their life. In turn,

ight School Taking a Break

it was our great pleasure to share with them how all of you have joined hands with us to make the DE materials (pictured on pg. 1) and the bible study available to them. These DE students (pictured top left) asked us to express to you their appreciation for not only giving them their own copy of the lessons to share with others, but also providing them the opportunity to experience for themselves how much God loves them!

**CBC** México's Night and Saturday schools also celebrated the close of our first year! Fourteen dedicated part-time students studied approximately 136 hours in class and volunteered in their local churches for a total of approximately 350 hours. Those who came from León traveled nearly 3,698 miles. And each of our students have testified that are experiencing a much more intimate relationship with the Lord and a far greater understanding

Saturday School's Last Day of Class

Thank you for your faithful and generous support which is bearing precious fruit in the lives of the people of Central México!

of the Bible.

Blessed in His Service,

Alex & Julie

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