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MISSIONARY E-REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2023

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Dear Friends.

1st Corinthians 4:2, "*Moreover it is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful.*" January was stewardship month here. We taught and preached everything we could on this important subject, as our people need to start the year thinking about their responsibilities towards God in maters of faithfulness in Christian service and personal holiness. There awaits many rewards for His faithful stewards!

Souls were saved and new families were added during January. One such family, the Bran family, is composed of an older gentleman and his wife, who were away from the LORD for years, and were glad to get back to an unusual church such as ours, because we preach and practice the "old time" religion. Another 28 souls were saved in Zone 1 as we preached to a crowd of about 50 one Saturday morning. Some have expressed their desire to ride on one of our vans, which we have been considering since last year. However, there is another new route we started that already is already filled, so until we get us a new van, we'll just have to go teach and preach to these folks every Saturday morning.

Several new ministries started in January, including a Fisherman's Club to teach new Christians on how to win souls. This class is being taught by Brother John Luis Sanchez, one of our top leaders here. We also re started our Saturday Bible Club with 28 kids attending after a Christmas and New Year holiday season. Jaimie my wife was ecstatic to see old faces and some new ones too! Pray as she and her team of workers will do well this year reaching our neighborhood kids with the Gospel.

Finally, in January we reapplied for all the pertinent medical licenses and permits to operate our Naturopathic medical Clinic. These were all granted, praise the LORD! We also saw new patients come in, and the best part, I got to lead several of them to Christ! We have one special need and prayer request at this time: Sister Amalia

Merida, one of our most faithful teachers and soul sometime this year. We are asking you to help us she is ready for it, but funds are so limited (she is contribution, please be sure to mark your gift Mrs. Sue Highfill in Hammond, our secretary, and



winners, needs to get a prosthetic right leg raise \$5000 for this need. Her therapist said a single older lady). If you can make a "FOR AMELIA". All funds need to go to she will make sure these get properly allotted.

Thank you!

Brother Carlos Donate

1st Peter 4:10, "As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God."