



August 31, 2019

Dear Praying Partners:

Greetings from dry Honduras. We had a couple of weeks of <u>heavy rain</u> in some areas, but the rainy season came to a squealing stop yielding to a <u>hard drought</u>. In some areas all of the crops have been lost. Water is being heavily rationed in the cities.

The political protests have slowed down <u>for now</u>. For several months there were protests against the government almost daily. The gangs and organized crime took advantage of the situation. Travel was difficult as they took over roads and highways to pressure the government.

This shows the <u>condition of mankind without Christ</u>: spiritual dryness, corruption, perversion, immorality. Please pray for us and other missionaries as we try to share Christ with the people around us. He is the only answer to the problems caused by **sin**.

Please <u>pray for our young people</u> as they are easily attracted to the socialist and communist groups. We have been having monthly youth meetings alternating between the 3 churches in our area. Halbert is organizing them and we are having a good response. Our next one will be September 7<sup>th</sup>.

We made a quick trip to visit our family in Oregon in July. We attended the memorial reunion for one of my uncles, Leroy Duncan. We also were able to visit my Grandmother who is almost 97 years old. Back here, I was privileged to preach in my Dad and Mom's work twice while they were in the States for my Mom's medical checkups, also. Please continue to pray for my Mother's health. I was also asked to teach at a Men's Retreat for two churches from the large city two hours north of us.

Please pray for our upcoming Men's Conference in October. My Dad will be teaching. Also, please pray for a medical team coming from Heritage Baptist Church of Haslet, Texas in October. We will have the medical brigade in a new area with the goal of starting a new mission work.

**Thank you** again for your prayers and financial support. It is our privilege to be your missionaries in Honduras. May God bless you greatly.

Yours with Hope for Honduras

Leslie & Alba Priday



Leslie and his Grandmother in July



Aly our Grandbaby at 5 1/2 months July 18th