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Dear Pastor and Church,

Every month brings me closer and closer to the day that I will officially leave for Mexico. I have bought my plane tickets to leave on the 28th of May. I originally had planned to leave in April, but the Lord opened doors for me to visit a few more churches. I am excited to leave and be able to start living out the plan God has for my life. I have mostly everything of mine in Mexico, which is mostly books. I cannot wait to be there and to jump in!

As you know, because of the situation I am in, I can take short trips back and forth to Mexico. In my last letter I wrote about the trip a church member and I made in December. Upon arriving to Texas, an older couple in my church expressed that the Lord had been burdening their hearts with going to help in Mexico in our ministry. It may not seem like a big deal at first, but the Lord really moved in some great ways!

This couple is Eloy and Nilda Gonzalez. They are from Cuba and had been attending our church



for many years. In December, they chose to officially add their membership to our church. Eloy and Nilda were in Cuba when Fidel Castro took over. In Cuba, they studied to be doctors. Bro Eloy specialized in oncology and Sister Nilda specialized in lab work. They fled to America in the late 90s. It has been some time that they have been able to exercise their work as doctors, but the Lord

really tugged at their hearts

to use that knowledge down in Mexico with our clinic. This desire of theirs really encouraged me! What a beautiful thing to see my church get involved with our work. Being retired and with plenty of time on their hands, they chose to go down for a week in February, so I went along with them to drive them around and show them the life there. They wanted to go to see the cost of the life there so that they could take short-term mission trips to help us.





We left on the 22nd of February and came back on the 29th of that same month. Though it was a very short trip, they really enjoyed their time there. We had a medical brigade on the 24th of February, and the doctors were able to help us do consultations on those who were sick. We also had a church help in the outreach, and we had 7 professions of faith! This same church decided to go back and try to plant a work in this village.

Please help us pray that God would open door for them to come back help people physically so that we can also help them spiritually!

Praises:

- -For the safety in last trip
- -For those who got saved in Mexico
- -For the new mission being started

Prayer Requests:

- -Funds for vehicle in Mexico
- -House to rent in Mexico
- -To raise last ¼ needed of support

