



The Jordan Family

SERVING THE LORD IN THE
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

November and December 2023

“Thank you for 10 great years!”

I cannot stress enough throughout this letter how good God has been over the last 10 years. As I write this letter we are excited to celebrate a ministry milestone with you. We officially moved to the field January 6, 2014, which means that we have had the privilege to serve the Lord with you, our faithful supporters here in the Dominican Republic, ministering to both the Dominican and the Haitian people for the last 10 years. God has brought us through some really tragic times all the while blessing us immensely with many souls saved, baptized, added to the church, old ministries strengthened, new ministries started, people trained and much more. As well, even through personal loss, our family has grown with Sophia already turning 10 and the addition of Alyvia now 7 and Paul who is almost already 2. Of course we recognize all that we have been through to make us stronger, but we choose not to focus on that. We make our focus the Lord and His high calling our prize! I am encouraged to report to you what God has done over the last 2 months since getting back from furlough. I am excited as well, about the hope and prospect of growth across our ministries in this New Year.

November started with us arriving back to the Dominican on the 7th. We spent the first week back getting our house back opened up and everything functioning as much as possible to make life comfortable. The very next week we hosted a group of 6 from Moore, OK. They were a huge blessing to us while they were here, helping with various house projects. They also were able to help gospel blitz the new area of town that we are starting a church in. In the week that they were here, we were able to put in the hands of people in that area over 6000 gospel tracts announcing the new Bible study and church that we will be starting. God has already given fruit from that time, as we have a family of 4 that have started coming to our church in the mean time. As well as that family coming, we continue to receive contacts from people interested in meeting. Please pray for Brother Isais and his family as they continue their training and preparation leading up to the start of this work. We were also able to visit Brother Negaud and his work while they were here. On Friday night, we had an evangelistic service and had 5 visitors in the service with one young man getting saved! I praise God for the work that Negaud continues to do in reaching his people for the Lord.

We then finished November with Thanksgiving among missionary families. It was a joy to be able to spend time with 8 different missionary families that minister all over the country. My wife and Sophie also had the opportunity to go to Puerto Rico for a short time to be able to visit her Aunts and cousins. Both her Aunts that she has been closest to are up in age. It was a blessing for her to be able to go and see them.

December was also packed with trips and activities. Bro Spencer and his wife came the 7-11 and we were able to go and preach at the church in Hatillo. On Thursday night, 3 young people accepted Christ as their Saviour and 2 young ladies rededicated their lives to the Lord. On Saturday, we met with the national leaders in Barahona and were super encouraged by their reports of faithfulness and desire to continue forward. Pray with us as we continue to train them to be able to ordain them in the near future. It is our desire that each church would be indigenous with a qualified, ordained Pastor leading them.

Later that month, we had our annual Christmas activities with our night of Christmas caroling on the make shift hayride. That night we were able to give out over 500 gospel tracts, as well as a lot of candy and cheer throughout our neighborhood. That activity is quickly becoming one of the most anticipated activities each year for both our church and community. We also had our Christmas banquet and Christmas service with many visitors in attendance, special music, and presentations from the kids. It truly was a very Merry Christmas.

In closing, I ask special prayer for our Evangelistic soul-winning campaign that we are doing through this month, ending with our Missions Conference at the end of January. Pray with us that we could see many souls saved, and that our people would be encouraged with a renewed vision to reach the lost!

In Christ your servants,

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