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Uruguay

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Dear Ones,

Greetings from Colorado! Yes, I have been in the States now for a little over 2 weeks. The flight went well. There were few restrictions because of COVID, but other than being very long, it went very well. It has been good to be with my family. I have already seen 2 sisters and a brother. Another brother and his wife will be coming into town next week. It has been good to touch base with each of them. Thank you for praying that our time together would be profitable for Eternity.

It was a joy to be here for the mission's conference in my home church, Beth Eden Baptist. A very special time. How good it is to see what God is doing here and in other parts of the world.

We are very thankful that things are beginning to open up in Uruguay. The COVID cases are very low now with close to 75% of the population being vaccinated. Please pray for wisdom as different ministries begin. The College, FEBU, started this Monday both in person and online. There are a couple of classes that have been made available, online, to the local churches. My coworker Tim is teaching one of them on The Christian Family. We are thankful for the opportunity that FEBU has, to be of service to the local church.

Some of the churches have been able to start services. Monte Hebron, the little church I attend is still on zoom, due especially to the size of the meeting room. Again, please pray for wisdom as these steps are made.

Thank you for praying for Luisa, Rosana and the family of Rubi, Isabel and Cecilia as my coworkers seek to continue visiting and studying the Word with them. Pray that the different complications that have come up in their lives would be cleared up so that they can continue weekly. Pray for the Salvation of each of them.

Would you pray for Nancy, my neighbor? She has read and studied the Bible with me and the others for more than 2 years. Just before I left Uruguay, due to some misunderstandings concerning COVID, she turned away from everything: the different Bible studies, attending church on zoom, even returning the Bible that she was using. Pray that God would work in her heart using the Word that she has heard and studied. Especially pray that God, in His Grace that, would be Glorified.

We are excited that David and Silvia Hock, missionaries with BMW, are arriving in Uruguay on Aug. 11 to join our team reaching out to the towns on Route 7. They will be staying in my house in San Jacinto while I am gone with the idea of finding a place to live there by September. We are very thankful for this young couple. This is truly God's provision and answer to prayer for the continued need in Uruguay. David is a missionary kid from Uruguay and Silvia is an Argentine believer. Pray for their trip, a place to rent in San Jacinto, and the many other details that will arise as they settle into a new country and a new ministry.

I will be in the US until September 30. If you are in the Denver area I would love to get together.

Thank you so much for your love, prayers, and support in so many ways.

May God in these uncertain times use you to His Glory!

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