

## **The Jordan's**

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**Sicily Update for May 2010**

Dear Friends in Christ,

April was such a fast month and filled with many activities it's hard to realize that May has already arrived. We will bring you up to date of the happenings since our last update.

**April 4<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday** we had great services with a good number in attendance. We had asked the Lord for visitors that Sunday and praise the Lord we had 2 new families visiting with us. After the morning services the ladies had prepared a delicious meal and we all had a wonderful time of fellowship.

**April 11<sup>th</sup>** - following the evening service Diego Reyes accepted the Lord as his personal Saviour.

**April 12<sup>th</sup>** – some of the men of the Church helped us load a rented Van with a bedroom suite, dining table and 6 chairs, refrigerator, boxes and personal items to carry to Mazara del Vallo to set up our apartment.

We are so thankful for Bro. Johnny Gooch and his dear wife Gwen who went with us to drive the rented Van. They enjoyed meeting some of the dear people in the Italian church and fellowshiping with them.

**April 15<sup>th</sup>** Bro. Gonzalez, talked with one of the men in his squadron at the Base, which was very troubled and needed the Lord in his life. Praise the Lord Chris Cabrera accepted Christ as his personal Saviour. Bro. Gonzalez is now having a discipleship class with him and showing him what it means to be a Christian. Please keep Chris in your prayers.

**April 19<sup>th</sup>** we returned to Mazara del Vallo for a Surprise Bridal Shower for Priscilla Galioto. This is the daughter of Missionary Sal Galioto. Mrs. Galioto had asked Linda to speak to the ladies that night on "Being a Godly Wife" and share with them some of the blessing that Linda had during our 48 years of being married. The Shower was a real blessing and she was truly surprised. Her wedding will be June 12<sup>th</sup>. During the time there for the shower, Linda and I were able to change our residence and get established with a family doctor before having to make application for the renewal our Permesso di Soggiorno. That is permission to stay in Italy for 2 more years. This has to be renewed every 2 years and it expires May 11<sup>th</sup>.

**April 30<sup>th</sup>** Bro. Chris Holbrook, one of the men in our church, was promoted to Master Sergeant and we were able to attend the Promotional Service. Bro. Holbrook is part of an Air Force Squadron stationed here at Sigonella Naval Air Station.

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>** Linda and I traveled back to Mazara del Vallo after our Sunday evening services to be here early one Monday morning to begin the process of renewing the Permesso di Soggiorno. Thank the Lord everything went well and we must return May 19<sup>th</sup> to have our fingerprints and pictures made at the Police Station to finalize all the process for the Soggiorno. Yes, you don't get everything done in one day here in Italy. Please keep all of this in your prayers that there will be NO PROBLEMS and we will have the Soggiorno's soon.

We thank you so much for your faithful prayers for the ministry here in Italy and for your faithful financial support. Until the next Update from Sicily, may God richly bless each of you.

In Christ,  
The Jordans

