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Greetings from the good ole' U.S. of A.

Before January of this year I began making plans to visit my supporting churches in June. I had put in for my permanent resident papers and in late September of 2006 sent all my papers to the government in Mexico City. I thought they would surely get them done within three months. I thought wrong! I was told that I should not leave the country, but I thought that all the rest of the Mexicans were leaving, so why couldn't I?

They didn't get my papers finished, so I left! Wouldn't you just know it? They began looking for me by July but I had not finished visiting my churches. Now the government has requested that I make an appearance, therefore I had better go.

I had scheduled to be in my supporting churches in Indiana in the month of September but because I have to go back to Mexico, I cannot be in them. Our son Jerry Jr. is now on deputation and the majority of the churches that I was supposed to be in during the month of September have graciously allowed him to take my place. I am very thankful to them for doing that. Some churches could not have him at this time, and I can understand that. All of our churches have been so kind to us for many, many years and they all are a blessing to us. I shall try and come back to the States next year and report to those we could not reach this summer.

Crescencio Galaviz was invited by my home church, Bethel Baptist of Greenfield, Indiana, to be in a missions week in July. Jerry Jr. translated for him. Crescencio arrived back in Mexico just in time to be in the big hurricane. The full force of it hit just 30 minutes from the area where they live and have their ministry. I do not know if they have received damage.

Delia and I met up with our son in August and it has been a blessing for mama and me. He only had two churches scheduled when he arrived, but has been working diligently and already has churches scheduled through November and some are scheduled for 2008. His telephone number is: 903-239-1000.

In His Name,

The Jerry Shaw Sr. family in Mexico

Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost.

Titus 3:5