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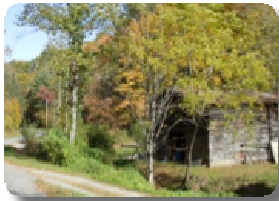
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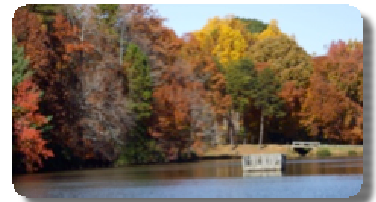
Greetings from the road,

The last couple of months have been amazing. The Lord has done wonderful things! God provided a way for Itzen to be here with me until the end of the year. We are waiting to hear from INS to see about her residency, but at this time she is allowed to be here. That is a great blessing for us, and it is an answer to prayer. We thank all of you for praying for this issue, you have all been a blessing to us.

This month we have been driving from conference to conference, and from state to state. We have had the privilege to see the beauty of this country through the Fall time. We started out in Sumter, SC, went to Milton, FL, spent some time in Welcome, NC, and were blessed with yet another conference in Woodlawn, VA. We have made wonderful friends



throughout all the eastern and mid-western states, and now it is time for us to go back. Since Itzen is only allowed to be here until the end of the year, we have understood that it is the will of God for us to return to Mexico and continue serving there. We have estimated that, with the support of seven more churches, we would be at full support; therefore, we ask that you pray that the Lord will provide the rest.



Currently, we are driving towards our home church in Indiana. My ordination is scheduled to be on November 23rd. As soon as this event is over, as well as Thanksgiving, we will be heading out to Guadalajara. On our arrival, we will begin working with the Bible school immediately. I will be teaching many music classes which have been put on hold since we left, as well as many other subjects. I will also be a substitute teacher for a while, since my father will be having surgery in December. This will be a total of 16 classes that I will be teaching from our arrival until my father has recovered. Itzen will most likely be giving some women's classes, as my mother will be tending to my father.



Please pray for my father during this operation, since it is a delicate one. They have found not only a one-inch stone in his kidney, but they have also found a significantly large tumor on it. The doctors still don't know if the tumor is malignant or benign, but either way it must still come out. Not only is this procedure delicate, but it is also challenging, since my father is a bad diabetic. We do not know the day of his surgery as of yet, but we will let you know as soon as possible. I ask you to please pray for my mother at this time, that the Lord will give her strength during the next few weeks.

In His Service,
Jerry & Itzen Shaw