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Missionary Update

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas!

We are experiencing countless blessings. We are **moved** into a rental house that is nestled up against the area of Villa Lucre. The Panama government granted us our **two-year visas** on November 8th. Every applicant for permanent residency visas have to go through this two-year trial period. As long as we prove to be law-abiding, they will grant us our permanent ones. We also had the blessing of having a **group** from our home church in Kansas come for a visit.

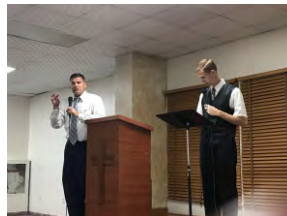


Missionary Story

Our pastor came down November 7th-16th with twenty-six people. It was a wonderful time of service and fellowship. The group was able to see almost all the missionary works we support here in the country, do a little site-seeing, visit a Panamanian Indian reservation, participate in six church services, and do quite a bit of evangelization.

Three different days they were paired up with Spanish-speaking soul winners. We were able to see over thirty people trust Christ as Savior. Seven of these professions were in Villa Lucre. This is the area we are beginning to reach for a church plant. We were also successful in blanketing the 4,400 homes in Villa Lucre with gospel flyers.

Since the group left, we have been busy following up on all the contacts that were made. The Panamanian people are often quick to receive the Truth, but extremely slow to do anything with It. Please pray for the ones that we are leading to Christ to allow us to disciple them.



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We had to say many goodbyes to those we had served with for the last year. The move to the big city was very eventful. It involved a breakdown and a minor accident. Fortunately, the van was the only one that suffered in both incidents.

We have been kept quite busy with the move, the visiting group, attending three conferences, and beginning to evangelize in Villa Lucre. The kids are doing well. Delight was blessed with her parents and four of her siblings as part of the visiting group.