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## **Report February 2016**

Beloved brethren,

I pray that as you receive this report, you and yours will be found in the best of health. We at this time are rejoicing in His blessings.

This was a good month for us as the church has been busy doing the Lords work. It seems that almost everyone is helping and cooperating in our endeavor to reach new souls.

Our visitors have continued to come on a regular basis with the exception of Nancy who works sometimes. Whenever she does not work she makes it a habit to come. She still is very interested and we continue to have sporadic home bible studies with her but again her job is a problem.

The sister from El Salvador has not returned even as she says she wants to attend but says she can't due to her job cleaning hotels. We pray that she will consider her Lord and the worship that she is missing and do more to make arrangements.

Our young sister who worships in Grand Prairie, continues to bring her boyfriend and now he is more active in asking questions and participating in class. He seems to be interested and seems to want to study more. We pray that maybe he will be interested in home bible studies but at least to continue coming.

We have also started two new evangelism home bible studies. We are at this time working out of Brother Luis Aguillons home and also my sons Abels home. We rotate one Friday at each home with one free Friday in between. The free week is for us to invite neighbor, friends and anyone else we can. The bible study is one that is on the New Testament with the first one dividing the new from the Old Testament. This helps to establish that we are New Testament church only and we are evangelizing in this manner. Our first bible study we had 15 people with 5 of them being new visitors. At my son Abels home we had 4 new visitors. These are people we had never had contact with before. We pray this will help us to reach more people and the brethren who are participating are excited about the prospects.

The sister and her son who were visiting with is while her son gets treatment for cancer, have now decided to place membership with us. They will be here for a while and have decided to work with us. She has begun to be very helpful in all things as needed. The son is 12 years old and is learning to lead hymns and also very eager to help where needed.

My son Abel has become very instrumental in the work here as he helps me with the personal work and with the new converts. I am giving new convert classes to Grace who obeyed last month and he is giving new convert classes to Luis Enrique who also obeyed last month. He is also going with me to any home bible classes I give and has opened his home to the evangelism classes we are having. God has blessed me with a good Christian son who sees the need of preaching to the lost. Please keep him in your prayers.

My kids' classes on Saturday continue with now 4 kids who come to my house. Our study is on "How to Study the Scriptures". I love the way these kids form church are so smart and willing to accept His word more easily than many adults I know.

Brethren, thank you so much for all that you do for us. May our Lord prosper you with His wisdom and His word and may you always have the necessities of life.

In His Name,

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