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Dear Brethren:

I pray that my letter find you doing well. I also thank our God for giving me the opportunity once more, to write to you again, to let you all know about our work in Dallas – Fort Worth and other places. I am grateful with every one of you, for your spiritual and financial support.

Brethren, Our weekly Bible classes with our brother Gerardo, and his wife Diana is continue to go very well. The Bible class is every Friday at 8:00 PM, sometimes we get there about 7:30 or 7:45. We studied for about one hour and a half, sometimes a lot longer because they have so many questions. Concerning Alma Castillo, the past two weeks she had been available for our study on Monday, and I went out for a gospel meeting. I hope and pray that we may be able to continue the Bible class with her. She visited our services three times this month.

My Bible class with Brother Miguel is also going well. Concerning Brother Adrian and Sister Mayte, they haven't change. They keep struggling to continue in the service to our Lord, many material things had been overwhelming, they came to our services only once this month. We have been in touch with them with phone calls and text messages but only she responds. We will keep trying, we refuse to give up on them and their four kids.

Our new Brethren Gerardo, Miguel, keep reading Bible verses every Sunday before the morning lesson. Victor Manuel, Jose, and Juan Jr. are also doing the same. Brother Miguel and Gerardo keep helping in leading prayers and participating in passing the Lord Supper. We are trying to keep them active, we are very excited about it. Sister Diana is eager to start teaching the children Bible classes. Also, it's good to see Jose Olivares, (sister Idalia's husband) keep attending our worship services.

This month Juan Romero and his wife Ruth started visiting with us. They are a young couple, I married them in July of 2015, just few days of my heart surgery. Back then they showed interest in visit our congregation in a later time. They already came twice this month, we had expended some time with them, we offer to visited with to talk more, or have a Bible class, we haven't hear nothing yet.

Brethren, we just got back from my gospel meeting from Matamoros Mexico. This meeting was very emotional for me, in the Calixto Ayala congregation is where I was baptized. Only few Brethren are left from my days there, well, I just left 40 years ago. It's true that I was there only 5 years, but Brother Arturo Rodriguez who instructed, guide me and help me to be what I am today, still there with his wife Maria and most of his children. He is now 82 years old, even when he is very slow, his faith is stronger than ever. It's a big congregation with a lot of intellectual young Christian man and women, the future is very bright for the congregation. The attendance was great, many Christian from several congregations in Matamoros, and also from Brownsville, Reynosa, Valle Hermoso visited with us. My wife was able to go with me to this meeting, we want it start heading back home very early on Monday morning, but we cross the border around 1:00, the brethren just didn't want it let us go. My biggest surprise was not finding few Christians left from time there. But to find their sons and daughters, and their grandchildren, I was amazed and happy. I thank our God for helping us to do this work, and I thank every one of you for your participation in the work.

God willing my next gospel meeting will be in Pasadena Texas. I will be there April 4-10. Please keep us in your prayers. God Bless you all.

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