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## My dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

The months have been consumed quickly and we are finished in 2016. As is our custom each month, I am writing to tell you about the work I do in preaching the gospel in Chile and in neighboring countries.

I always thank God for all of you, who have fellowship with me and support my work in the gospel, so that the Word of God preaches in every place where the Lord allows us to reach.

# REPORT OF THE WORK DONE IN THE PREDICATION OF THE GOSPEL IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2016

#### Limache Church Of Christ

In the church of Christ in Limache, where I am a member and one of the evangelists, we continue to work on the building of the saints. Teaching the following topics:

- An expository study of the Gospel of John, taught by Brother Rubén Toledo.
- Characters of Old Testament Acab, Uza, Josue.
- Lessons on "Death" and "The Hades". Luke 16: 19-31.
- Lessons on "Baptism" Romans 6.
- "Treasures in Heaven" Luke 12: 16-21.
- "The Transformation of the Heart by the Renewal of the Understanding" Romans 12: 1-2.
- At the same time we present other lessons according to the needs of the congregation.

I must always mention that the brothers Ruben Toledo, Rodrigo Acevedo and Emilio Acevedo Jr. provide a great service in the teaching of the local church, this allows this servant to work in teaching the Word of God in other places in Chile and South America.

#### Death:



On December 1, our sister Ana Muñoz died at the age of 82. Our sister Ana was for more than 15 years a faithful sister in Christ, she was the only believer in her family. Together with my wife I was able to attend spiritually in his agony and pray together in the final moment of his life. I also had the opportunity to speak the gospel at his funeral, in front of a large group of people.

# **Baptism:**



On December 21, she was baptized, for the forgiveness of her sins (Acts 2:38), Adriana Villagra, 65 years old. Adriana was visiting the congregation in Limache for two years. We praise our God for his mercy and great salvation that we have in obeying Christ.

### **Other News:**

- I am in contact with the brothers of the archipelago of Chiloé, the churches of Christ in Ancud and Achao. On December 25 these cities were shaken by an earthquake of 7.6. The brothers have not suffered any damage, thanks to the mercy of God.
- I pray for your prayers for Brother Josue Hernandez Acevedo, from the island of Achao, Archipelago of Chiloe, southern Chile. Josue is with acute anemia product that is being affected by internal bleeding. He has been hospitalized and has undergone several tests, but still cannot find the origin of his disease. Please do not stop praying for our brother.

### Perú

- I continue to teach Bible lessons to the brothers in Sullana (Peru), through the internet. Every Thursday we do the Bible classes. This has served to hold firm the faith of our brethren.
- The brothers in Peru inform me that they are holding meetings in the town of Mallares, 10 miles north of Sullana. The new brothers we baptized on our October trip remain faithful and are gathering every first day of the week, beginning the new church of Christ in that place. All this with the help of preachers of the church of Christ in Paita. We glorify God by the power of his word.

# **Preaching in Buenos Aires, Argentina**

From December 2 to 4 I traveled to the city of Buenos Aires, the church of Christ in the locality of Moreno paid the expenses of the trip, for the purpose that shares the teaching of the word of God with them. There were three days of meeting where we had good attendance and the brothers showed great interest in the study of the word of the Lord. The brothers Timoteo Guaymas and Ramón Vera preach in this congregation who do a great job in that city.







Brother Ramón Vera & family Moreno Bs. As. Argentina

# **Preaching Trip To Dominican Republic In January**

If God permits, I will be traveling to the Dominican Republic to meet with the brothers Rubén Amador and Nino Estevez where we will be working with several churches in Santo Domingo. My plans are to travel from January 2017:13 to 30, God willing.

Brother Agribelto Estevez, preacher of the church of Christ in Barinas (Venezuela) tells me that he is working in Santo Domingo, the capital city of the Dominican Republic. In this city have obeyed the gospel a group of sectarians (Pentecostals). The brother believes that I can be of great help in teaching the Word of God to these new brothers, given the work I do with sectarian groups in South America. There are also faithful churches of Christ that will receive much encouragement through our visit and teaching. I pray your prayers for these plans.

Dear brothers and sisters, as you can see, the Lord opens wide doors for the teaching of his blessed Word. For me, the help I receive from you each month is very important. I thank you very much for your support for my work in the preaching of the Gospel.

Together we are carrying out this great work of preaching the Gospel everywhere, where doors open to teach. Thank you for your fellowship in the preaching of the gospel. God bless you!

Please, do not stop praying for this servant and the work he performed for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

His brother,

Emilio Acevedo