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## My beloved Brethren:

It's my prayer that my letter find you in the best of health under the care of our God, and heavenly Father. I pray that your work is going well, and your congregations keep growing under your care and leadership.

Brethren, I am very happy to tell you that our attendance continue to go well. My wife and I will continue giving to our Brethren words of encouragement for a little bit longer. They all know that we should not neglect the assemblies, but for some the main problem is not getting a bit early from work to make it to church. Others are not having enough time to deal with traffic, to come home and getting ready to come to church. I encourage them not to give up, just keep trying, and putting their difficulties in the hands of our good Lord. He have promises that He will take care of us, if we just pray trusting in Him. Others are struggling with the difficulties of this world, with the anxieties and trials of this life.

Our brethren Jose stop attending again, but sister Idalia is going strong, she is now attending in every service. Sister Alma Castillo is getting better of her health issues, but she is also attending in a regular basis.

My wife and I already starting again our Bible class with our sister Alma, the class is now on Wednesday or Thursday at 9:30 in Alma's house. The class with Gerardo and Diana continue the same on Friday at 8:00. With Brother Miguel every other Sunday. I continue talking with my Brother Jorge and his wife Nereyda. I am still hopeful that, at some time comeback to study with them God's word.

Eduardo Cantu is no longer visiting with us, we don't know why he stop attending, neither why he didn't gave us the chance to study God's word. The young lady call Eva also haven't return to visit with us again. We have no way to contact her, hopefully she come back someday and visit with us.

Twice this month we visited with the congregation at Pleasant Grove, once with the congregation in Garland, and once with the West Dallas congregation. This brethren always giving me the time to teach, or help in any way. We continue to enjoy visiting and worship with them, please keep all this brethren in your prayers.

Brethren, we just finish our last gospel meeting of this year. Brother Jose Reyna from Brownville Texas was the speaker. The congregation was grateful with his work, he preached about holiness, marriage, and parents responsibilities with their children. The attendance was really good from the local members, as well from several congregations from around. We also have several first time visitors, we are so glad for this result. After every service, we gather in different houses, and shared our food with our Brethren, with glad and humble hearts.

Please, pray for our work, we thank every one of you. God Bless you all.

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