

Guevara Family Ministry Overview 2018-2019

Mission: Full time missionaries living in Siguatepeque, Honduras.

Mission Board: Bible Basics International

Length of time on the field: 2005 to date

Ministry Focus: We have been able to narrow our focus to the following ministries.

A. Mo.Bi.L Bible Institute. (30% ministry time)

Mo.Bi.L stands for “Movilizacion Biblica para Lideres” (Mobilizing Bible training for leaders). The difference between the already existing training Centers established in Honduras and Mo.Bi.L is that the training is taken to the churches. This allows pastors and leaders who could never afford to go to established training centers to receive high quality training.



- We have two new groups added to our 4 year training schedule.
- ILAMA GROUP (11 MEN): This group struggled a bit last year due to many unexpected events. This delayed the process with them a bit, but we are on our way this year slowly but surely.
- LA PUNTA, COLON. We have started with the new-to-us LRI curriculum to train pastors. Here in La Punta we were able to meet with a group of 12 men where 4 different ethnic groups were represented. We began the 4-year process of teaching them some very important hermeneutical principles to study God's Word. This is a remote location in Honduras where there is no electricity and no running water and the men crave biblical truth. We are blessed to be able to train in this location.
- BLOSSOM CREEK. We also started another unique class at the near the Blossom Creek property. We have a group of 16 men

from 2 different denominations. At the end of our first 3 day module I asked the men if they had experience any argument or disagreements due to their own denominational background. The thought for a bit and said that they had not. I asked them why they thought that this had been the case, and one of the men stood up and said, "it's because we have stayed on the line of God's word, not adding or taking away anything from it." Praise the Lord!

B. Youth Ministries: (10% ministry time)
We have seen a turn-around of Missionary Teens in our area (group size ranges in number from 15-25). We started our series on "Questions" where we allow each teen the opportunity to write down on paper some of the questions that they have about different topics, and we have been able to take them to God's word to find truth. We continue to be involved in serving projects and discipleship with the teens.



C. Local Church Support: (25% ministry time)

- This past year Megan transitioned out from the leadership committee for the ladies' group at our local church. She has continued to serve on the teaching rotation for their weekly meetings and has also been available for consultation and counsel for the current leadership committee. It has been a joy to see the discipleship process continue to grow and develop in this way.
- Our church underwent a change in leadership towards the middle of last year, and the elders asked David to help them organize and plan. David was able to teach several lessons on Church Membership and an Advent Series.
- The past couple of months we have seen God begin to move on behalf of the music ministry at church. This is something we have been burdened about for years. God led us to facilitate a short, 7-week study on praise with a small group of leaders as a foundational step towards the growth and development of the music ministry at our local church. It has been a delight to hear the feedback and testimonies of how God is transforming our ideas and understanding of our praise in order to help us as a church to praise and worship Him as He desires and deserves.

D. Blossom Creek: (5% ministry time to increase in the near future)

The Lord continues to amaze us at what He is allowing us to be a part of the ministry of Blossom Creek and the potential to serve as a tool to expand the Kingdom of our Lord is overwhelming. The 150 acre deed has been signed over to our Honduran Association, and now we begin the process of officially structuring the different areas of ministry, going public for fundraising and inviting teams to partner with us in developing the property. Our primary focus is building a ministry training center that will enable us to host conferences with the pastors from MoBiL and continue training them to better handle the word of God. Our long-term goal is to see Honduras start sending missionaries overseas funded by Honduran resources. We ask you to pray towards this end.



E. Short-Term Missions: (30% ministry time)

•Calvary Bible Church

We hosted a youth team from Calvary Bible Church in Smithsfalls, Canada. These young people helped us break ground and build relationships with the public school in the Blossom Creek community through a VBS style outreach. We were also able to plant 1000 new coffee plants at the farm.



•Business Men from NC

These group of 5 men came to encourage us in our ministries and to give us advice in regard to Blossom Creek. Their contribution was very valuable to us.

•Caldwell Christian Academy

A group of athletes and Spanish students came from Caldwell Christian Academy in Greensborough, NC, to run a sport camp for the public school

students in the Blossom Creek community and to participate in the different ministries around the farm.

- East Side Baptist Church

East Side Baptist from Indiana came to serve a group of local pastors by leading a 3-day counseling seminar. Many pastors in the rural areas have a pastoral heart but lack the tools to be able to counsel their flock with the different issues in their communities. We hope this will be the first of many such seminars to help equip the pastors to deal with these and other issues.

- Triad Christian Fellowship

For the 3rd consecutive time TCF has come to bless us as they minister to the people at Blossom Creek. They were able to do a VBS style outreach in a different school on the other side of the mountain from where Blossom Creek is located.



- Salem Baptist Church

A group of men come down to help us pour the foundation for the future training center at Blossom Creek. They worked shoulder-to-shoulder with Honduran nationals to accomplish this goal.

- Wordless Ministries

We ministered to the local public school teaching English and presenting the gospel as well as leading a community outreach through sports.

** All of these short-term outreach ministries were able to visit with people in the communities, sharing the love of God and the Gospel, making meaningful connections that enhance our footprint there. We praise the Lord for the opportunity to be able to pour into both people groups, U.S. and Honduras.

As with any new opportunity there are many challenges ahead. We want to be found faithful in the work that the Lord has laid before us. May He alone receive the glory and the praise!

Short Bio:

David is a Honduras national who was born into a Christian family. He was saved at a young age and was later given the opportunity to study at a Christian college in North Carolina. There, David earned his B.A. degree in Youth Ministries. God placed the desire in David's heart to go back to Honduras as a vocational missionary to teach, equip and live out the gospel among his own people.

Megan was born in Ohio. Her family followed the Lord's call into the mission field of Zambia, Africa, when she was 11. She later attended Bible College in North Carolina and received her B.A. degree in Family Counseling. Together with David and their four children, they have immersed themselves in the Latin American culture in order to love and serve God by loving and serving others.

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Thank you for making the ministry in Honduras possible through your prayer and support for our family.

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