

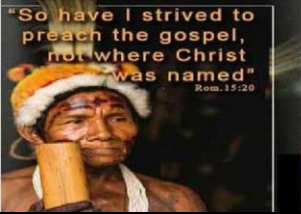


"Behold, I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it;" Revelation 3:8

COLOMBIAN BAPTIST NEWS



LAMB MINISTRIES



Villavicencio/USA



December 2020 - February 2021



Jim and Carmenza Gage
Quarter Report

HOLIDAYS WITH FAMILY

"Oh, what fun..."



Christmas for a missionary, without the family, can be a lonesome time. However, this year, we could fly home December 15th and spend our holidays with the family.

Our kids surprised us by renting a lakeside cottage in North Carolina and took us there for an enjoyable time together. Even those that couldn't come were able to unite via the web. So, this is how we form wonderful precious memories.



Carmenza holding grandson Joshua.

2021's PROJECTS

Future Youth Camp in EL GUAMO, Colombia



Bro. Edgar Rubio, missionary from the Landmark MBC, Clarksville, Arkansas donated 2 1/2 acres for a future youth camp in El Guamo, Colombia. He was able to acquire some acreage and hopes to begin a missionary outreach there. The young people are our future in the Lord's work. We must reach them while their hearts are still tender.

UPSIDE DOWN WORLD

2020 EXPECTATIONS

DISAPPOINTMENTS

BUT

LAMB MINISTRIES HEADQUARTERS
CONSTRUCTION INCOMPLETE

2020 Youth TRIP Canceled
Due to COVID-19 - Association of ...

GOD IS STILL IN CONTROL

CONTINUE TEACHING AND PREACHING VIA WEB



Special services



Bro. Gage Preaching



Carmenza Teaching ladies

While quarantined in Colombia due to the virus restrictions, we continue to teach and preach via the web. Here are a few of our activities.

Sundays, we hold weekly church services at the Sembrador MBC, Pompeya, and attend, when possible, the Grace MBC in Bogota via zoom.

Each Monday thru Friday, 3-4:30 pm, we meet for Bible studies and prayer.

The ladies meet Mondays at 8 pm for Bible studies and prayer.

Lamb Seminaries hold classes online for the Ecuadorian and Colombian campuses.

We periodically hold special services with guest speakers.

2 Associations are functioning now, one for Colombia and the other for Latin American Churches and works.

Help needed to finish 2nd floor



At the beginning of 2020, Bro Douglas Wiersema, a building team, and our youth group had made plans to come to Colombia and finish the second floor getting it ready for classes and Church services. Of course, due to the virus, that was not possible. However, we would like to contract a local constructor to complete the work. We believe that approximately \$4,500 to \$5,000 should be enough to complete the task. We would appreciate any help you might be able to provide.



Bro. Esquivel's homegoing

Bro. Gregorio Esquivel went home to be with the Lord Saturday 23rd of January. He faithfully ministered to the Lord's churches and helped me establish the work in Villavicencio in 1978. At the time of his passing, he was the Co-Pastor at the Sembrador Missionary Baptist Church.

"We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord. 2 Corinthians 5:8"