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Life at Refuge Ranch

“Children’s children are a crown to the aged...” (Proverbs 17:6)

While I do not yet feel “aged,” I do certainly feel crowned with blessings by the five grandchildren that the Lord has brought into my life (for now)! While I knew my oldest girls would grow up and become wives and mothers, I could have never imagined the joy that has flooded my life watching them be mothers themselves!

They each have fought battles that many of us cannot imagine in order to not just survive, but to thrive. They have sought healing for so many hurts, so that they may now comfort their own children, and I am so proud of them! I certainly wear the loving title of “Abuelita/Abu/Grandma” (depending on the grandchild) with much gratitude and humility and treasure each and every hug and kiss!



“The plans of the Lord stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations.” (Psalm 33:11)

Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusades Update

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son...” (John 3:16)

Time and time again the Lord reaffirms His love for the lost and His passion to see that love put into action as we meet the needs of others in Jesus’ name and share with them the Good News of Jesus Christ! The arrival of our new medical mission ministry directors, Kevin and Yueminis Gonzales, is one of those confirmations of the Lord’s faithfulness to His work here on earth!



Kevin and Yueminis have obeyed the Lord’s call, leaving their native country of Bolivia, to move to Mexico and join the staff of Fishers of Men as the directors of the EMMC’s, the medical mission branch of the ministry.

Kevin is a trained general physician and pastor, bringing an effective mix of knowledge and experience to meet the unique needs of a Christian ministry focused on strengthening the local church through free medical attention. Yueminis’ support, compassion and experience in finances complement beautifully and bring very helpful talents and abilities to the ministry.

Throughout the last 21 years, the Lord has done great and mighty works through the EMMC’s, and we know that His purposes continue with great things to come for His honor and glory!

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