

Fwd: prayer letter from Puerto Rico

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Dear Brethren,

The attached is a translated report for Missionary Mauricio Lopez from Puerto Rico.

Bro. Carl, GPA
Luke 19:10

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Missionary Lopez, Puerto Rico Letter

Lopez Family

Dear Brethren, please receive our greetings full of gratitude and joy. We want to share with you how God has been working in recent months within the ministry that God has entrusted to us.

During the month of September, we were invited by Redemption Baptist Church to participate in

teaching at their marriage retreat. Melanie had the opportunity to teach the women, while Mauricio taught both the men and the couples in general. It was a time of great edification and joy as we shared with them.

In October, we attended, along with another couple from our church, the marriage retreat at Caguas Bible Church. We greatly rejoiced to see how this couple was encouraged to join us. Also, as a church, we attended a Missions Conference held at the Fundamental Baptist Church of Aibonito, where the brethren were challenged and strengthened by the Word of God and by fellowship with other believers. During that month, Mauricio was also invited to participate in a Youth Activity at another church, where two of our young women were able to attend and be edified. During this month, different Baptist churches on the island came together to celebrate the annual Women's Jubilee and Men's Retreat, where, in addition to attending as a church, Melanie participated as one of the speakers.

In November, by God's grace, we celebrated the 39th Anniversary of our church under the theme: "Moving Forward Patiently According to the Promise." We had the blessing of having Pastor Luis Montalvo preach. At the conclusion, we shared a time of fellowship with different games, greatly enjoying ourselves as a church. We also celebrated Thanksgiving and received a visit from one of the daughters of one of our church brethren, which was a very special moment to remember God's goodness together. In addition, Mauricio was invited to preach at a Missions Conference at the Fundamental Baptist Church of Cidra.

During the Christmas season, we visited several of the brethren who, due to health conditions, have not been able to attend church regularly. On each visit, we sang Christmas hymns, shared a devotional, prayed together, and enjoyed a time of fellowship. Taking advantage of the fact that many families visit the public square to see the Christmas decorations, we prepared nearly 100 gift bags with candy, New Testaments of John and Romans, a devotional book, and an evangelistic booklet. Four people made the decision to receive Christ as their Savior, and many more heard the gospel. It was a great opportunity to sow the message of salvation. Our last activity of the year took place on December 31st, where we held various activities and ended the year in prayer as we began the new one.

Throughout this time, we have continued visiting families, praying for their needs, and sharing the gospel. We give thanks to God for seeing how He continues to work in people's hearts. In addition, Melanie continues to support the Admissions Department at Logos Baptist Seminary. We deeply appreciate your steadfast support, both in prayer and through your offerings. Your commitment makes it possible for us to continue with this work that God has entrusted to us.

Mauricio y Melanie

Teaching the ladies at Marriage Retreat**Celebration of Church Anniversary****Preaching at Missions Conference of the Cidra Fundamental Baptist Church****Preaching in the public square***Prayer Requests*

- Wisdom in ministry decisions
- Spiritual and numerical growth of the church
- Youth group
- Brethren to take on responsibilities

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