



Mexico News Update

Upcoming events:

~ Church Anniversary/ Revival in Pedregales – May 4-8. 2011. Evangelist: Dolores Hernandez
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Sankey Share Support

Thank you so much to those of you who are faithfully sending in your share support each month. Please give through your local Bible Meth. Church or Treasurer Monte Stetler P.O.Box 18128 Elsmere, KY 41018



Sankeys, Stetlers, and Bros. Hedstrom and Rundell at the Mirador overlooking the city of Saltillo, Mexico.

Sankey Family Highlights:

- ~ Our sons will be finishing up their school year at Stone City Christian Academy in the next few weeks.
- ~ Please see page 2 for details of our future ministry plans.
- ~ We were so blessed to be able to attend Dayton IHC this year!



May 2011

Marc & Melodie Sankey
Jordan, Cameron and Logan

*Bible Methodist Missionaries
in Mexico*

Spring 2011 Bible Institute Classes

The Lord gave us a wonderful time at the Mexico Bible Methodist Institute Classes last week in Saltillo, Mexico. 25 students were present for the classes; some needing to come and go as schedules demanded. Students included: current pastors and wives, young people, new converts, and lay people from various BM churches

Our Bible Institute President Eliezer Balderas presided over the activities of the week and did a wonderful job, working with the Stetlers to coordinate and organize the event. He also did a great job teaching several classes.

We were so privileged to have 2 visiting professors with us: **Conference President Walter Hedstrom and Union Bible College Professor Rusty Rundell.** They taught (and translated) with anointing and passion for their subject matter; also with a heart of concern for those they were ministering to.



The Choir of Bible Methodist Pastors and wives; Inst. Students during the Music Class Marc and I team-taught

Professor Rundell taught courses on **Romans** and translated for Bro. Hedstrom's classes. Professor Hedstrom taught courses on **Leadership and the Bible Methodist Discipline.** President Eli taught a course on **Church Administration.** Steve Stetler taught a class on **Christian Life.** Marc taught classes on the theme of **Church Planting** and I directed 2 **devotional/scrapbook sessions** for the ladies. Beth Stetler gave a devotional in one of the ladies' sessions. Several resource books and study aids were given to our Bible Methodist pastors during these Institute Classes, thanks to generous Student Aid donations from many of you. Thank you to each one who is giving to **Mexico Student Aid** – those funds are put directly into the Bible Institute Classes and are such a blessing to us in the organization and planning process and a special blessing to our pastors and students as well.



Walter Hedstrom teaching one of his classes/Rusty Rundell translating.



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Prayer Requests

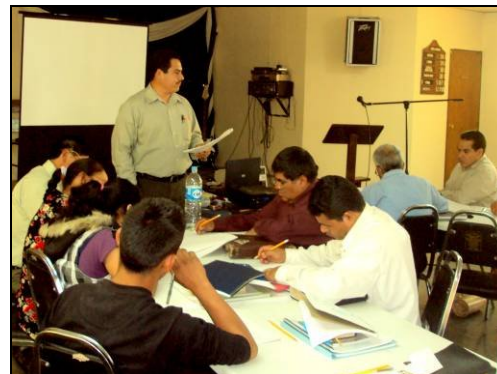
- ~ Conference President and Pastor Refugio Sanchez and family
- ~ Bible Institute President Eli Balderas and family
- ~ All of our national pastors and families as they reach their own culture with the Gospel message.
- ~ that God's Kingdom would continue to advance during this time of unrest in Mexico.

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Scenes from the Classes



Pastors during class



Pastor Dolores teaching his computer class



Marc teaching his class



Helping the cooks in the kitchen



Pastor Dolores' daughter, Kenya

God Leads Us Along....

There are times in life when God's will leads us through seasons of change.

We believe God is calling us to return home to the USA this summer. We are so grateful for every moment spent working with Bible Methodist Missions in Mexico and thankful for the privilege of partnering with our Mexican brothers and sisters to see their country won for God.

We will continue to serve as Mexico Field Director through the end of our term in December of this year. Marc will be making several trips this summer and fall to continue to supervise the mission work. We want to thank you for your faithful financial support of our family during our 2nd term in Mexico and would ask that you continue that commitment through the end of this calendar year.

Lord willing, we plan to visit each of the Bible Methodist Camps this summer to thank you for your support and to update you on the Mexico mission work. We will look forward to the privilege of seeing you there!

*Marc & Melodie Sankey
Jordan, Cameron & Logan*

