

BREAD OF LIFE FRONTIER

3rd Quarter 2002

Ground Breaking In Matamoros

We give thanks to God for Jud Stone and the youth group from Minot, North Dakota, who came for a repeat trip to Matamoros. The last time they were here, in January it was just above freezing. This time, in July they braved the brutal heat of the summer sun in temperatures nearing 100 to break ground on the first project of the new land acquisition in Matamoros. They cleared brush, mixed cement and help carry cinder block to build a restroom facility on the property. They were hosted by the Hermana Gloria from the Las Palmas Church. In addition a trip was made to Monterrey where they were able to see the new church plant and meet with Pastor Leo Hernandez. We thank God Fro the sacrifice of these young people and for the work they accomplished.



Aztec Pastor Training Conference

After we visited last spring with the pastors and leadership of the Aztec churches it was clear that they needed additional training . We were hoping that 12 peoples would be able to attend the training conference in Matamoros, but God's plan is larger than man's plan. Thanks to God this past July, 39 members from 5 different Aztec villages packed into two vehicles and drove to Las Palmas Church in Matamoros for 15 days of training. Pastor Juan Roque, along with three seasoned conference leaders, Abel Cardona, Rafael Solis, and Eduardo Valadez, led the training in very basic themes, such as:

1. How to develop leaders.
2. How to develop a Sunday School program.
3. How to study the Bible effectively.
4. How to develop themes for study.

Classes were held for six hours each day. Afterwards, in talking to the pastors, we found that they were extremely edified and were anxious to return to their villages to share their knowledge with the local church.

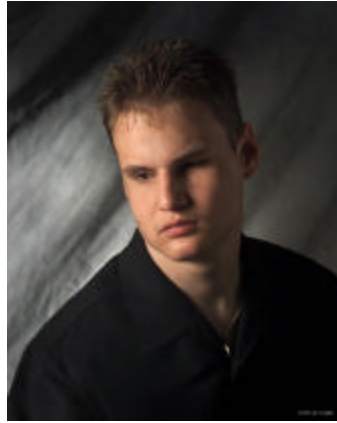
Please pray for these leaders and that God would greatly multiply the harvest from the seeds that have been sewn.



Ministry of Harvest Labourers

We give thanks and praise to God for the ministry of Danny, Lynn, and Cody Leger (Harvest Labourers), and the way God is using them to minister. We came to know them as they ministered to the Aztec communities of Taxicho and Tamazunchale during the medical/evangelism outreach this past May. Pastor Juan Roque invited them to Matamoros in July to minister through worship, praise, and teaching. As 17-year old Cody preached with a passion and ministered in music with Grupo Alabanza, the Las Palmas praise band, spiritual renewal was taking place. Tears were poured out as God melted hearts through his ministry.

To quote Pastor Juan Roque commenting on Cody, "He may be physical blind, but spiritually his vision is 20-20."



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Future Calendar

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| <i>Youth group from LasPalmas Church, Matamoros, going to church plant in Monter-</i> | <i>Sep. TBA</i> |
| <i>Scouting trip to Aquilastec to prepare for Fall Medical /Evangelistic</i> | <i>Sep. 20-22</i> |
| <i>Spanish Outreach Conference in Houston, TX</i> | <i>Oct. 1-3</i> |
| <i>Group from Lake Jackson, TX to work in Matamoros</i> | <i>October TBA</i> |
| <i>Fall Medical/ Evangelism Outreach in Aquilastec, Hidalgo</i> | <i>Nov. 8-10</i> |
| <i>Number of Groups coming to work in Matamoros</i> | <i>Fall TBA</i> |

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Champagne Served In Aztec Country

No, we're not talking about the bubbly. We're talking about the youth group from Windsor Road Christian Church in Champaign, Illinois. Under the leadership of Greg Hunt, 21 youth mixed cement, carried stone and cinder block, and helped with construction on the classroom addition in San Felipe and on the new building construction in Pepeyocatitla. The group had opportunity to worship and to get to know their Brothers and Sisters in Christ. A strong bond developed between the group and Pastor Ladislao Hernandez of El Alfarero Church, San Felipe. The group's desire is to host Pastor Ladislao and his family in Champaign in the near future.

Dr. Corrine Koehler, who accompanied the group, was extremely busy giving medicines for various

stomach ailments among the Aztecs.

Our prayer for the group was that God would open their eyes and show them what He wanted them to see. Based on their responses, a renewed vision for missions resulted. Please pray for these young people and their leaders that the fire for missions will burn mightily as they move forward in their lives.

