



May 5, 2020

Dear Friends:

My how times have changed. Because of COVID-19, we have been under strict lockdown in our city since March 16<sup>th</sup>. At first, we could not have meetings of over 50 people. Then they said no more than 10. Then they closed all non-essential businesses and meetings and we could only go to the stores, banks, pharmacies, or buy gasoline on two days a week depending on the last number of your id card. This Sunday the 3rd they made it even stricter, limiting us to one day every two weeks. We have been doing combined services with my parents' works and ours on the internet, everyone from their home. This has been challenging as not everyone has a smart phone or computer. But we are doing the best we can in the circumstances. I have preached, my Dad has preached, Bro. Danny Jones, long time missionary to Monterrey and now McAllen, Texas has preached, Bro. Oscar Pineda, missionary two hours north of us and several Honduran preachers.

Our city has had only one official case of the COVID-19. Some experts believe that there are around 500 cases but people don't want to report them. Due to the National lockdown, after prayer and discussions, we made the very difficult decision to cancel our annual Youth Camp Easter Week for 2020. The next week they announced the strict lockdown, so now we know it was the correct decision. That was very disappointing.

Recently I was privileged to preach in the chapel service of the Norris Bible Baptist Seminary! But I was here and they were in Fort Worth, Texas! Praise the Lord for modern technology! What a privilege to share with these leaders in training!

**Thank you** for your faithful prayers and financial support. It is our privilege to be your missionaries in Honduras. May God bless you greatly,

Yours with Hope for Honduras,

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