

Missionaries to México & India – Dan & Carrie Kaighen

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Dear friends and church family,

March 27th was my 70th birthday! Your prayers and financial offerings are now supporting a very healthy and ACTIVE Senior Citizen! Carrie (NOT a senior citizen) and I spent my birthday delivering Bibles and preaching in TWO conferences in Campeche, Mexico. The first conference was a “Family Conference” Friday through Sunday. The second conference was a “Fires of Evangelism Conference” Monday through Wednesday. Dr. Tom Wallace was also there, and he made me feel young. He is 93 years old and still preaching. Hallelujah! We passed out 500 BEAMS Bibles to 54 Pastors. Pastors from Belize and Costa Rica came and took BEAMS Bibles back to their churches. Amen!

While in Campeche, we went Soulwinning and I sat down with Magdalena on her front porch. In Spanish I told her the old, old story of Jesus. **She sweetly called upon the name of the Lord.** A couple of days later, Pastor Eric and I made several visits. We were getting into the car to return back to the church, when I saw an old man sitting out in front of his house. I thought, “Hey! There is someone for whom Christ died.” The pastor and I spoke with **Ernesto and he also received Jesus into his heart and life.**

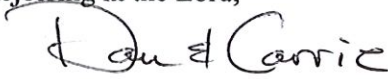
On the airplane, Carrie and I sat beside a precious lady named Juana and her young daughter. Carrie told her the story of salvation and **she opened up her heart to Jesus and got saved.** Several of you have been praying for Daniel, the man who got saved and baptized in July 2023. He still comes to church with us most Sundays. He brought his friend Jesus Eduardo with him to church in March and Jesus got saved during the invitation at church. They introduced me to their friend Humberto. Last week I went to his house and explained God’s simple plan of salvation to save sinners from hell and eternal separation from God. Jesus Christ died and rose again to pay for Humberto’s sins and for the sins of everyone in the world. **Humberto bowed his head and became a child of God.**

I don’t know what you did on “Good Friday”, but I woke up at 4 a.m. and Carrie took me to the Monterrey Greyhound bus station before 5 a.m. I boarded a bus bound for McAllen, Texas. Why? A church in Longview, Texas donated a 70-passenger bus to Iglesia Bautista Las Torres. This is the church that is directly in front of our house/office here in Monterrey. We had driven it to the border at McAllen, TX back in December but had not yet been able to cross it over into Mexico. So, with much difficulty, (I crossed much earlier on a different bridge only to be told that I could NOT cross a bus on that bridge. It took 4 hours of waiting in line to get back into Texas to go to another bridge) I finally crossed it over into Mexico at 8p.m. on Good Friday. I arrived home in Monterrey at 1:30 a.m. Saturday morning! Praise God the bus is in Mexico.

We took a trip to Kentucky to be with some of Carrie’s family on her birthday. It was a real blessing to be with her brother Tom, wife Ginger and their children and grandchildren. We enjoyed playing a family game of softball with ages 4 to 70. It was great fun. That night we sang hymns and I gave a short Bible study with the family and we rejoiced in the blessings of God on each and every one of us. Amen! As we drove back into Mexico we took in many donations for the people. Crossed the bridge with no problems. Glory, hallelujah!

BEAMS purchased 5000 more Spanish 1960 Reina Valera Bibles for us at the end of March. We paid for them here in Monterrey, Mexico at the Bible Society and made two trips with the 1992 Ford van to bring them all to our office. God has given us a great privilege in passing out Bibles and we love it. Thank you to all who support us and support BEAMS. May God bless you all richly as you serve Him.

Rejoicing in the Lord,


Dan & Carrie Kaighen

