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International Ministries

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

It has been a good month. Though we are still at about 55% of our support raising goal to be full time in ministry the Lord has provided a gift to help pull us out of the financial rut we slumped into this summer. Please continue to pray for us that the other 45% of our support would come in so that we can focus more time and energy on the ministry.

Within two days of the Lord providing we were at the inauguration of Ernesto Soto's Tamale shop when someone broke into our Jeep. It was about 10 yards from where we were standing. A van pulled in between the jeep and us as if it was going to park. The van had the radio on high and it was blocking our view of the jeep. When it pulled out, our rear passenger window was broken and the diaper bag, digital camera, and Perla's cell phone were gone.

Perla and I have decided to remember that week as the week the Lord provided and not the week the devil tried to get a foothold.

This past week we went and did all of our grocery shopping and after we purchased all of our groceries and loaded them up the jeep wouldn't start. It was the fuel injector and a few other things. I had to have it towed to the mechanic and then pay \$600.00 in repairs.

I say this was a good month because despite our trials we have seen the Lord's hand at work in our lives and in the lives of the people around us. The fact that Ken and Esmeralda were able to come rescue us from the Wal-mart parking lot and lend us there car for the week while our jeep got fixed was a clear sign of God's provision. Then one of the mechanics drove by after the shop closed for the night and let us put the jeep inside the building so it wouldn't get stolen. That was another clear sign.

We got two rottweiler puppies to help decrease theft at our home (someone tried to rob us this week while we were inside the house but a neighbor ran him off). Right now they are young, but within a few months I imagine they will be a pretty effective alarm system!

We celebrated Isaac Renteria's fifth birthday this month. It was his first birthday party ever! He seemed to really enjoy himself.

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Our Children are growing up fast. Abby has a doctor's appointment tomorrow to get some vaccines. Mark III is in love with the puppies. He spends most of his day outside chasing them around.

Mark is almost three now. He has grown out of his 2T clothes and is in need of 3T's and up. So if any of you have those sizes or know someone who would like to get rid of those sizes we would sure appreciate you sending it to us.

God cares for you, so turn all your worries over to him.

Be on your guard and stay awake. Your enemy, the devil, is like a roaring lion, sneaking around to find someone to attack.

But you must resist the devil and stay strong in your faith. You know that all over the world the Lord's followers are suffering just as you are.

But God shows undeserved kindness to everyone. That's why he appointed Christ Jesus to choose you to share in his eternal glory. You will suffer for a while, but God will make you complete, steady, strong, and firm.

God will be in control forever! Amen.

1 Peter 5:7-11

Your Servant in Christ,

Mark Livengood