

LANE FAMILY

Missionaries to The Dominican Republic

Acts 4:12

November/December 2022

Please pray with us for:

- **Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva**
 - wisdom in decisions
 - teenagers to stay faithful
 - several adults in need of good jobs
 - spiritual growth and unity
- **Lost souls in the Dominican Republic**
- **Vanessa and her sons with the death of her husband, Larison**
- **Rosamund and his children with the death of his wife**

Dear friends and fellowlaborers,

We hope you all had a blessed holiday season! One of the greatest blessings for me in the last two months was when one of our young men, Franklin, approached me and asked me if I would be willing to teach him verse by verse through the book of John so that he can be a better witness for Christ. It has been a privilege to see him being filled because he is hungering after righteousness.

Souls Saved!

Right before Thanksgiving God gave me the opportunity to preach the chapel service at one of our local Christian schools. I preached about endurance using Hebrews 12:1-2. I explained to them Jesus is our example of endurance and why He endured. At invitation we had three young men raise their hands for salvation. Hands went up all over the building when I asked if they would be willing to endure for Christ. It was a great morning in the Lord!

Tragedies!

It seems like this joyous time of year is always marked by tragedy as well. I have been a part of many funerals in the last two months. One of my best friends here Larison passed away

tragically from a long standing illness while traveling to Haiti to visit family. He left behind a wife and 3 sons. Please pray for us as we minister to them.



One of things we always wrestle with during the holidays is attendance and participation. This year I was fully expecting our worship services to be empty on Christmas and New Years. But I was truly blessed at how our people have matured spiritually and filled God's house both services.

Our Christmas celebration was special again this year. Teah put together a drama for our young adults to perform. She made all the costumes and organized the practices. It was a about a nativity scene that was missing the baby Jesus figurine. It gave Pastor Carlos the perfect springboard into the message. There is no true Christmas without Jesus.

Thank you for reading, praying, and giving!

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