

LANE FAMILY

Missionaries to The Dominican Republic

Acts 4:12

May 2022

Please pray with us for:

- Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva
- For lost souls in the Dominican Republic
- For Anderson, Yordan, and Yina as they grow in the Lord
- For Laura's salvation

Dear friends and fellowlaborers,

God is doing some great things here in Jarabacoa, DR. This last month the "Carnival" came to town. It was quite a spectacle to be sure. Where most people would see a bunch of rides that should be taken out of commission, we saw opportunity.

Teaching Them

One of the things that is close to my heart is to immediately begin to teach our teenagers that preaching the Gospel is their responsibility. After laying down the ground rules we loaded them up with Chic Tracts and headed out. Most of our current youth group is between 12-14 years old and come from horrible home situations, if they have a home at all. So we were very proud as they handed out about 100 Chic tracts, and then somewhat terrified as they rode the rides that somehow were still in operation, while they ate their weight in cotton candy.



Salvations!

This last month saw several first time visitors at Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva. Two of these young men, Anderson and Yordan (pronounced Jordan), first came to our Sunday morning service. Both of them sat in front of me and I could tell they were under heavy conviction as Pastor Carlos preached. Anderson kept trying to leave, as I would quietly tell him to set back down and listen. When Pastor Carlos gave the invitation Anderson practically ran to the altar followed by Yordan. When the worship service was dismissed I was able to hand Jubal to one of our ladies (Teah was teaching Sunday School) and take Anderson and Jordan aside. I asked them why they went forward at invitation time. Immediately Anderson said, Because I want that change Pastor Carlos was talking about. Jordan just silently shook his head yes in agreement. By this time Pastor Carlos had joined the conversation and asked them several questions. Both boys then began pouring their hearts out to the Lord.

Yina (pronounced like Jeana) is a young Haitian girl that has been coming to church for about the last five years. She has now graduated to the youth group where she is super active and attentive. She knows her Bible very well. This last Sunday she went forward during invitation. I went up and asked her why she had come forward. She looked me right in my eyes and said, "I'm a sinner, and I need Jesus in my heart." I went through some verses with her that she has memorized from years of Sunday School, and afterward she prayed and asked Christ to save her soul.

We know the angels have been rejoicing this month. Never forget that the search for the sinner is not over until the sinner has been found. Thank you! Joshua and Teah Lane

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