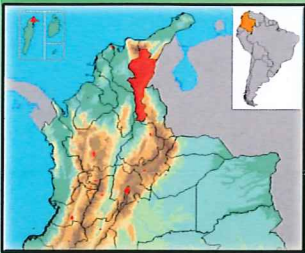


THE HART FAMILY IN COLOMBIA



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Praises:

- ◆ For Souls That Were Saved
- ◆ For Those To Be Baptized
- ◆ For The Injured Recovering
- ◆ For The Trip To Bogotá

Prayer Needs:

- ◆ For Free Course of the Word
- ◆ For Servants In The Work
- ◆ For The Presidential Election
- ◆ For Travel, Health, & Safety

Dearest Brethren Who Share The Burden For Reaching Colombians With The Gospel,

It is great to be writing you again from Valledupar, Cesar, Colombia. The weather is a bit changed. It has rained some, and there have been some pleasant breezes to accompany us. This has been one of the most difficult times of the year with the yearly music festival and visitors coming in from all over the country. Still, we trust the Lord for fruit and evidences of lives that have been changed by the precious blood of Jesus Christ our' Lord.

Persistence

Thank the Lord, we now have Bro. Luis Enrique with us, and soon will have his wife who he will wed in July. We have been going through local barrios, evangelizing, looking for land, rental properties, and the possibilities of relocating. The owners of the building where we are at present, have not been willing to allow us to make modifications in order to accommodate a larger number of people without a sizeable increase in the monthly rent.

Daily Struggles

We find a growing number of people from Venezuela out on the streets. Some sleep in boxes and makeshift housing. Many ask for money at the red lights and such. Near the house where we live, we saw one young man riding on a bicycle with a child who had come over the border just three days before we met him. Also, a couple who is returning to Venezuela, has been with us off and on for a few weeks. Yet, another family where the dad is a construction worker, visited the Church with his family a couple of weeks ago.

With the constant influx of more and more migrant people, the economy is really struggling here. Some are hoping to get to go to Canada or the U.S. to find employment. Please pray that that we will be a positive influence since the family structure here is really torn apart. Due to that and other reasons such as the violence over the years, families have suffered at times great tragedies. Many are things we have never been through, nor can we easily relate to. Please help us pray that hearts will be open to the gospel and that people here will accept the Lord.

Good Things At Church

There are many children who have suffered being abandoned and things that are even worse. Yet, there is a group of them that comes to Church and Sunday School. One Sunday Morning, two young boys responded to the invitation and accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as their' Savior. There were two others recently that have made the decision to follow the Lord in Believer's Baptism. Please pray that the Lord guide us in having another baptismal service.

Other Things To Be Thankful For

We thank the Lord that the sister that was run over by a motorcycle has made progress in her recovery. Though she has not completely recovered and is still in therapy. Please keep her in your' prayers. As for prayer that we had asked for a young man that was injured in another motorcycle accident, he has been recuperating from his injuries, but not from his spiritual condition. Please pray for the health and safety of all of us. The bronchitis I had lasted about a month. I am thankful to have gotten over it.

Personal & Family

We were able to go to Bogotá and have needed medical visits and check ups. Also, thank the Lord, I was able to get my passport renewed. Hannah's passport has expired, and we will need to get it renewed. We are nearing the end of the year for home school. If anyone knows of reading books for 11 year old boys and 15 year old girls, we would greatly appreciate your' help. **Thanks for your' prayers and faithfulness.**



The Hart Family
Michael, Martha, Hannah, & Timothy
Acts 10:35