

The HANSEN Family

to the South American Region of Magallanes

November - December 2018

"But the centurion, willing to save Paul, kept them from their purpose; and commanded that they which could swim should cast themselves first into the sea, and get to land: And the rest, some on boards, and some on broken pieces of the ship..." Acts 27.43,44a

Our deputation has come to an end and we have escaped the sea of doubt and the sea of discouragement. We are flying out to Chile on the 10 of January. It was just told to me from a pastor who was a missionary that once you land on your field that it will be like a helicopter crash. It seems like that would summarize the last two months with things thrown outside the helicopter we've picked up the pieces, had to drag bodies from the wreck to safety and radio back to headquarters for a pick-up. It has been really busy with the holidays, extra meetings, ordination service and preparing to leave for the field.

Being on deputation for the last 2 1/2 years we have visited with 150 churches. We were in 31 out of 50 states and we traveled by car, RV, plane, boat, and train but not helicopter. We have put 60,000 miles on our RV and about 10,000 on our car. We have raised support and we look forward to the upcoming journey to Chile.

In November I had the privilege to visit the following churches in Ohio and Michigan to present the ministry; Cornerstone Baptist Church, Faith Baptist, and Liberty Baptist Church. As always, the people and their pastors have a heart for the work being done on the foreign field.

In December I had a visit with a supporting church of ours in San Jose which was having a meeting. During the meeting, the whole church went out for some public ministry at a nearby plaza. What a great time as we saw six souls saved during that street preaching! Some watered by passing out tracts, some planted by preaching the Word; while others reaped by leading souls to Christ and God gave the increase. I also had the opportunity to present at Dillon Baptist church. The pastor that I was saved under, John Haveman, is currently their interim pastor. It was befitting that we presented the ministry last at this church.

Please pray for our trip as we head out to Chile. Pray for us getting set-up in furnished housing. Pray for us in language classes and finding the right tutor. Continue to pray that God helps us in setting up a church.

We want to thank all the churches who support us and those that have promised to support us as we reach the field. Thank you!

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