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THE VOLCANOES

Whole communities live in the shadows of 3 volcanoes currently erupting in Guatemala, with more than 180,000 people around Volcan de Fuego. We live a couple of kilometers from it. And when these volcanoes explode, there is nowhere to run and nowhere to hide. The people who live here are really, really scared – they just don't have an option to move. One lady said, not only does she not have money to go anywhere else, but she says they'd be trapped by the lava anyway if the volcano erupts. She went on to say, *"On this side, there are two or three rivers, so when something like this happens it flows into the river, when the time comes to leave we can't because we're stuck here."*

In 2018 over 3,000 died, covered in hot ash, lava and rocks. Volcano Pacaya in the city has been blasting out fire high into the air. Many flights have been diverted to El Salvador as aircraft cannot land. Volcano Toliman is also spurting out fire, but is quite some distance from us. To the left of our house we have Volcano Agua (Water). Agua has had no historical eruptions, but its name originates from a devastating mudflow on September 11, 1541. The mudflow destroyed the first Guatemalan capital city established by the Spanish Conquistadors, which is now known as Ciudad Vieja (the Old City) where we live. The catastrophe prompted the establishment of a new capital city at nearby town of Antigua, which then moved to the City. So, you see, we are surrounded by volcanoes, and when they erupt quite regularly, our windows and doors shake! Please keep us and the locals in your prayers.



Volcano Pacaya



Volcano Fuego (Fire)

GREAT NEWS!

We are soon to be grandparents again! Antonia is due to have a baby boy in the last week in May.

OUR CHURCH AND COVID

A new member to our church is a camrman who works for the local cable television. He has now allowed our services to be videod and is shown twice on Sundays on television. Three times each day our church is also now advertised. This has brought some new members to the church. However, we continue to evangelize and hand out tracts. Covid or no covid, the Gospel is reaching many people. It's been a tough 2020 for everybody, but what I find interesting is that the Lord says in Luke 21:28, "When you see these things BEGIN to happen, stand and look up for your salvation draws near." For certain things are moving cery fast and they really began in 2020.

COVID HELP

Our church members are still receiving weekly groceries, but the numbers have gone down from 22 families to 6 families. This is because of your generous givng we are able to help these people, and also others outside of the church. We still need your help. Please mark your donations "Virus" and send to one of the addresses below. The families have asked us to pass on their gratitude to all of you.



CHILD SEX SLAVE TRADE

A couple of months ago I (Jeff), had over an hours talk with a missionary working in Ukraine rescuing children being used for sex. I was physically shaken when he told me that the town of Antigua next to where we live is the “Hot-Spot” for this trade for the whole of Central America! I found this almost hard to believe, but after an hour talking with him I knew that I had to do something to help stop this evil trade of children. I first prayed about it and was led to “Operation Underground Railroad” a non-profit organization run by Tim Ballard, who has been across the world rescuing these children. One can google this and read more. In the local paper this month, they quoted that over 10,000 children, yes, 10,000 children went missing in the last two years!

At my age I am not an Arnold Schwazenegger going into dangerous places to rescue children, but what I can, and anyone else can do, is become an intecessor. They are now added to our daily prayers. As I write this, we are dealing with a young man on FaceBook who has 5,000 young teenage girls on his frends list and shows himself as living in our town. He has yet to be located, and I am sure he will be. He threatened a young girl of 13 years of age to pose semi-naked, and later told her to pose fully naked or he would put the first photo on the internet. We thank God that her mother saw the photo on the computer, and we have handed the matter to the hands of the police.

PRAYER REQUESTS

1. For our finances
2. Funds for our church members “Marked “Virus”
3. For our health
4. Financial support for our Pastor Juan Carlos.
5. That Anonia’s and Edwin’s baby will be born safely.



God bless you all, and thank you for your continued support.

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