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**Dear Pastors and Friends**,

Manifold blessings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. The summer was a busy one. Finishing our bathroom project at the church, Elizabeth's wedding and medical check-ups were among them. Kathy's check-up was "perfect"—as one nurse put it. We are grateful for all your prayers.



## **REDEEMING THE TIME**

When someone approaches you seeking the truth it makes me think of 1 Peter 3:15, "But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear..." While waiting for my car to be washed, some of the workers had been given some literature from one of the false cults which they were all reading and discussing amongst themselves. You could tell they were hungry for the truth. One of the men ask me if I was a preacher. I shared with them that I am a missionary preaching the Good News. Then they asked about the literature. "Is it good?", one asked with a serious face. "Not at all amigos". "What's wrong with it?" One thing led to another, and another man asked if we

could have a weekly Bible weekly study. Pray for these men for their salvation.

## CRITICAL NEED

Please, pray that the Lord would provide for a more dependable vehicle. Our 14 year old SUV is all too frequently in the repair shop costing us money and precious time. As we have only one vehicle that we use for both family and ministry, it needs to be dependable. We are needing \$5,000 to trade our 14 year old SUV for a more dependable vehicle. We have set up a special fund with our IBFI Mission Office. Any amount the Lord would lay on your heart is well appreciated. Please mark your checks VALERIO VEHICLE FUND. We thank the Lord for those who have so graciously responded to our special needs through the years. This is the time we need to address this critical need.

We are looking forward to the fall and all that the Lord has in store for us. Thank your for you prayers and financial support. Together we have seen and will see the Lord do some wonderful things.

For Dominican Souls, Ron and Kathy Valerio

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