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VITAL STATS ON HONDURAS

Population: 6,500,000+

Pop. Growth Rate: 2.34%

97% Roman Catholic

Dear Praying Partners,

March 2011

This has been a time of many answered prayers for which we give glory to the Lord. Lena's surgery went very well on her right index finger. She now has a plate and four screws in it. This is to fuse the middle joint and eliminate the tremendous pain she was experiencing. The base joint of her right thumb is healing very well as well as the repair on her wrist.

The ladies conference was wonderful. Martha Johnson from our home church, Victory Baptist church, Weatherford Texas, taught and Lena translated (only two weeks after surgery). There were 57 women from across Honduras. It was exciting to see the response to the three-day conference, every women was bless and changed. The ladies were very grateful for the lessons that help them so very much.

I preached in Colonia Matta Sunday night and then there was a supper honoring us, what a blessing. There is no doubt of the love of the people in the church for us. I will be working more and more with the mission work, Maranatha Baptist mission and will be helping start a new mission in Barrio San Francisco.

We will be back in the states for a month for the rest of the therapy for Lena's hand. We will be in a mission conference in Pensacola Baptist Temple, Pensacola, Florida, and preaching in a special service at Victory Baptist Church, Weatherford, Texas before returning again to Honduras April 5th.

Please pray for our travels, health, ministries and protection for our home. April 15th Lena and I will celebrate 50 years of marriage. April also brings youth camp, special services and preparations for a May wedding. Please pray for David and Litsa's wedding May 21st in Siguatepeque. David lives in Fort Worth and Litsa in Siguatepeque so plans are being made by long distance. The legal paperwork has been a nightmare and Litsa will not be able to go to the states to live with David until next November.

Very Important Prayer Request: We did not get our permanent residence as promised to us. After costing another \$1250.00 last week we were told that they have to review all our paper work again. They also told us they expected to charge us more money before completing the job and giving us our Permanente card. We are very disheartened after telling us two years ago it would be no problem to meet the requirements, just an easy process in a short time. It has been very, very complicated and now well over \$4000.00, plus almost a year and a half later we still do not have our card.

We appreciate your prayers more than words can express. You are a most important part of the ministry in Honduras and our effort to serve the Lord.

Yours in Christ.

Harold and Lena Prida