



*Wise men still seek Him*

December 21, 2023

Dear Family, Friends, and Churches:

Thank you so very much for your prayers, financial support, and messages of encouragement. It has now been almost three months since my beloved Mother went to heaven. We were counting on her to get through Thanksgiving and Christmas time. It has been more than a year now since my beloved Alba went to Heaven. In between them have also gone one of my sisters in law and several friends in our home church. My Dad and I went to Texas for a week in November to have a memorial service for my Mom at our home church. It has definitely been a very hard year. We are even more anxiously waiting for the time when we are all reunited with Christ in the clouds. Our oldest son Steve is living at home with me and working online. The three of us had Thanksgiving at our house and will celebrate Christmas likewise.



My Dad and I both are continuing in the ministry here. The new man in the mission Iglesia Bautista Calvario, is helping with the preaching and leading the music. We had our Christmas service Sunday night the 17<sup>th</sup> with Christmas hymns, special music, a Christmas sermon, and a potluck dinner afterwards. We praise the Lord that we had increased attendance and several visitors.

I didn't get around to decorating the house or sending out Christmas cards this year. Alba always made Christmas cookies, fruit cake, torrijas, naca tamales, and of course between her and my Mom made Christmas Day lunch. They are so immensely missed in multiple aspects!! So, let me take this opportunity to wish each of our family, friends, and supporting churches a very blessed Christmas celebrating as a family the Birth of Jesus Christ, our Promised Savior and Redeemer. His birth was made great by His Death on the Cross for our sins and His Resurrection from the dead

Thank you again for your faithful prayers and financial support. May God bless you greatly. Please note the new address of the IBFI where you send our support and correspondence. The new address is: **IBFI Mission Agency, PO Box 151259 Fort Worth, TX 76108.**

Yours with Hope for Honduras,

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