



# On the Wings of Prayer

“Because thou hast been my help,  
therefore in the Shadow of thy wings  
will I rejoice:” Psalm 63:7

Our special Thanks go out to each of you who have given and prayed faithfully for us, as well as, the many ministries and missionaries of the IBFI. Your generous Christmas gifts are a special blessing and an answer to prayer in meeting special needs. God has supplied every need of the IBFI Mission office during the past year, and we thank Him for using you to be a blessing. I am encouraged by the good reports from our missionaries and excited about what God will allow us to do for Him in this coming year. May God's richest blessings be yours in 2012.

John Peoples, Mission Director

December 2011

- **Melissa Houston (Croatia)** is preparing for her ministry in Croatia. She plans to start Neighborhood Bible Clubs, as well as, work in Vacation Bible School, music, children ministries, and women ministries in the church. Melissa will be working with Johnny Leslie family and the Scott Holcomb family.
- **Darrain and Mari (Mexico)** report that they arrived safely on the border. They are getting Mexican license plates on their car, so they can travel more safely in Mexico. Their plans are to begin a new work in San Miguel de Allende, Guanajuato in central Mexico. They request prayer for wisdom as they begin a new work.

- **Daniel and Tammy Coates (Guatemala)** have a new addition to their family. Jayne Moriah was born on November 23rd. Mom and baby are both doing well. The Coates had their VBS and report a high attendance of 130 with 39 souls saved.
- **Bill and Sharon Smith (Brazil)** report that the Bible Baptist Church in Caracarai celebrated their thirty-third anniversary in Brazil. There were 150 in attendance with one soul saved. The Smith's are on furlough and request prayer for their works in Brazil in their absence.
- **Flo Martin (Guatemala)** report that the work is growing with new workers and leaders being trained. The Tropical depression in October caused a lot of damage to the country. Flo request prayer for the Guatemalan people and their spiritual needs.
- **Harold and Lena Priday (Honduras)** report the Lord has blessed their Vacation Bible School with a high of 110 children and 40 souls saved. The Lord continues to bless as the Hondurans assume leadership positions in the churches.
- **Leslie and Alba Priday (Honduras)** report special services to emphasis missions in their church in Barrio Abajo. They have a goal to support two more missionaries. During Vacation Bible School, they hope to reach many children for Christ and their families. They have their VBS in December.
- **Prayer Request** For Ted Johnson who has recently been hospitalized for Transient Ischemic Attack. He is doing better now. Please remember each of our missionaries in prayer.

Happy New Year!!