



The Houghton's

Missionaries to the Deaf of Mexico



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Dear Pastors and Praying Churches,

Down South- One year! Can you believe its been one year since we have arrived in Mexico. The Lord has done so much here in this short time. A recap of the year with 8 souls saved, a church building, out reach to teens and young children. Our visas have been put on hold after finding out after the third trip and all that we were missing a very important piece of paper. We need a letter from the secretary of religious affairs saying that we are on a church roll as ministers or leaders in the church. The church that has agreed to be our host church here in México has sent the letter to them. After talking to a lawyer about this he said it could take weeks to years depending on the when they decided to get to it. So until we can get this letter we are continuing to do the same with the visas we have. This means going back and forth every 6 months to renew them. We are looking into another type of visas until we are able to receive the ones we are looking at. Please pray in wisdom in this as we look to God for direction.

Evangelism – We had a new visitor on Sunday. Leonel came with his uncle. We are so excited about that and praying that is the beginning of him growing up in church and deaf. We have also been praying and working with another little boy name that is 7 please pray that he will start being able to come to church. We have had the chance to talk to someone about opening a school here in Mante for the deaf. Please pray as we have meet with the leader of the school in Reynosa and are seeking the Lords leadership in this considering we are finding more deaf kids.

Answered prayer and prayer requests – Pray for unity in the church and among the deaf. That we will be able to reach more deaf. That we will be able to receive the letter from the government so we can get the visas we need. Pray that more deaf souls will become saved. Also pray as we seek the Lords leadership in the deaf Christian school. Also for strength and finances as we move houses.

Future events- We are hoping to do a summer outreach and praying for wisdom and help. Moving houses as we have been here one year and our contract is up.

Thank you so very much for your continued support!

Reaching the Deaf so they might **HEAR**,
David and Crystal Houghton