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TRAINING PASTORS & MISSIONARIES FOR EFFECTIVE MINISTRY

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Dear Supporting Churches,

Thank you for your faithful prayers and financial support. Because of your unwavering sacrifice and God's abundant grace, the ministries of Frontier Baptist Missions, Inc. continue to expand, reaching new countries with the life-saving message of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

This summer, God granted me the privilege of spending two weeks in the Philippines, where I had the opportunity to preach in six different churches. It was a joy to witness firsthand the fruit of our labor, especially in three of those churches, which were planted by FBMI missionaries. Seeing how God is using our missionaries to reach the lost and disciple new converts was an encouragement beyond words. In Angeles City, I had the distinct honor of preaching at the Graduation Ceremony of our Seminary Extension of Trinidad Baptist Seminary (TBS), alongside my dear friend, Pastor Miller.

Upon returning to the United States, God provided another wonderful opportunity to minister in Atlanta, GA, at Iglesia Bautista Tierra Santa—a Spanish church that my family and I started 13 years ago. We recently opened a TBS Extension there to train men and women to serve God more effectively. I had the privilege of teaching a oneweek module course to Spanish pastors and leaders on Hermeneutics: The Art of Interpretation. The spirit was great, and the attendance was strong, for which we give God all the glory.

We are also praising God for the start of a new semester at Seminario Bautista Trinidad this August. Our Orientation Night was a blessing, with new students eager to grow in their relationship with God and serve Him more effectively. This semester, I am teaching two courses: The Book of Acts and Christian Counseling. It is my prayer that these courses will deeply impact the lives of these students as they prepare for ministry.

Please continue to lift us up in prayer, asking God for His wisdom and power to be fruitful in all that we do. We are truly blessed to be your missionaries, and we thank you for allowing us to serve in this capacity.

## **Prayer Needs:**

1.Barbara Conrad - Please pray that we might have wisdom to know how best to serve my mother-in-law with her many health needs. 2.FBMI Home Office - We are asking God to send a new missionary family to join our team in Texas. 3.God's Provision - For the ongoing ministries of FBMI.

4.God's Protection and Provision - For FBMI missionaries serving in 18 countries around the world.

Thank you again for your partnership in the Gospel. Your prayers and support are vital to the work that God is doing through Frontier Baptist Missions, Inc.

In His Service,

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