



# Uruguay

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Dear Friends and Praying Partners,

As most if not all of you know, we are back in Uruguay after spending the summer months in the States in order to visit our supporting churches. After spending the first three weeks in Arizona, we then drove around 10,000 miles during the following nine weeks. In order to visit all of our supporting churches and our families it's always necessary to spend a lot of time in the car. However, we thank the Lord for safety on the highway as well as for His blessings on the services as we reported in all of our supporting churches as well as in a few new ones.

We arrived back in Uruguay on September 1st. Much of the time since we've been back has been spent looking for housing and working on our residence papers. Regarding the housing situation, we remain in the temporary housing that we moved into when we arrived here in late March. However, it looks like within the next few weeks that we'll be able to move into an actual house and get settled in. After six months of living out of suitcases and boxes it'll be a joy to unpack everything once again. As far as the residency papers are concerned, we praise God that we were finally able to turn in the final papers and receive our temporary ID cards. It'll take several more months to receive the permanent ones but it's a great blessing to have these as they will allow us to get things in our name like a bank account, contract for the phone, etc.



*Our Uruguayan ID cards*



*L. to R. - Lucia, Ivonne, Jesús*

We have just began a discipleship course with a couple that made a profession of faith in May before we left for the States. They seem to be excited about having someone sit down with them individually and help them to understand God's Word. At our first study we took the time to explain to them a little about God's Word like the Old and New Testament divisions, how to find the different books using the table of contents, and what we mean when we speak of chapters and verses. They were quite happy to understand all of this as they had been confused whenever attending church services and had no idea whatsoever how to locate the verses in the Bible. Please be praying for **Jesús and Ivonne** as we lead them through this course.

We appreciate your prayers for us and trust that you will keep praying. Over these next few months we will be organizing the music program of the church as well as getting prepared for **the beginning of the Bible institute**. If any churches would like to assist us in purchasing needed materials for the institute such as the courses (which cost \$100 each for all the materials), a spiral binder, and other supplies, the gift can be sent to our mission board marked "Education Fund". Someone has already generously given to purchase a laser printer for printing the syllabi. If you have any questions regarding this need, please don't hesitate to ask. Any funds that come in for the institute that are not needed immediately will be set aside to be used down the road to purchase more courses and supplies for the institute. Thanks again for your prayers and support of the ministry God has given us!

Co-laborers in Christ's work,

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