



WINTER NEWSLETTER



"I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD." JOHN 8:12



What an AMAZING blessing to hear beautiful southern gospel music, testimonies of faith, and how God sent His one and only Son, JESUS CHRIST, to be the Savior of the world from the Kingdom Heirs and Second Generation Quartet concert hosted at Beulah Baptist Church. A huge thank you to Kevin Sherrill, Lou Ann Dyson, corporate and individual sponsors, Beulah Baptist, and all the MANY volunteers who worked behind the scenes to help support PROJECT HOPE and the mission in Peru. Praise God, we give Him all the glory!

ROOTED IN GRACE & LOVE ADDING NEW TEAM MEMBERS

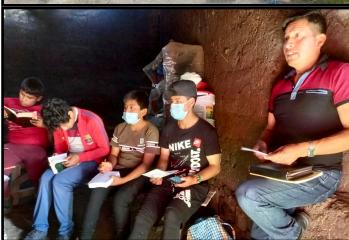
Wilbert and Delfina Salas Yupanqui met in seminary. Wilbert had an opportunity to learn about the saving grace of Jesus through conferences that he attended and by hearing the evangelical pastors on the radio. He surrendered his life to the Lord in February of 1996. Delfina had an opportunity to visit a missionary and soon helped her with a project working with children. One day while Delfina was hearing the story being taught to the children, she met Jesus. Their passion and faith continued to grow and they both felt the Lord leading them to attend seminary. They completed their studies in 2004 and have since served the Lord faithfully in Peru serving as missionaries. The Lord has blessed them with two children, Luz and Christian, who also have a heart for missions and making Jesus known. In January 2022, Pastor Wilbert and Delfina joined Rooted In Grace & Love as full-time missionaries serving the people in Peru. Their heart is to make disciples of Jesus Christ and to share His love with many in their home country. Please join us in praying for their family as they make the transition to Curahuasi, Peru.





WITNESSING GOD'S MIRACLES

Each week the mission team is witnessing miracles. Daily Bible classes are being led in five remote villages with adults, youth, and children. Food is still being delivered to families struggling from the effects of the virus. Lives are being forever changed as many have put their HOPE and FAITH in JESUS CHRIST. In 2018, the missionaries had an opportunity to minister to a young man who could not see. A church in the United States donated the PROCLAIMER box which audibly reads through the Bible. We were able to give him one along with a mobility cane to help him navigate and scan his surroundings to be able to walk and move around. That day, he shared with us his willingness and commitment to listening to the proclaimer. In January of this year, on one beautiful Sunday morning (five years after first meeting him), the young man and his younger brother WALKED to church (with the cane) all by themselves and shared their heart for JESUS. What a miracle and reminder that God is faithful and His Word does not return void. (Isaiah 55:11)



YEAR 2022 BACKPACK MINISTRY

Lord willing, the government is trying to open classrooms again in March, after being closed for two years. Please join us in prayer as we distribute backpacks to 1000 students in March. The mission team is preparing the backpacks now by filling each one with necessary school supplies, food, and a new Bible. School is free in Peru, but only if parents can afford the necessary school supplies for their child to participate. Pray for the team as they continue to work with village leaders and school directors to identify families and students in the greatest need.

PROJECT HOPE: 2022

We are working now with the church leaders to re-launch PROJECT HOPE, a weekly discipleship program for the high school students. In 2019, Rooted In Grace & Love began this exciting ministry to provide nutritious meals and Biblical discipleship to impoverished and undernourished high school students. This year, we hope to be able to feed approximately 200 students each week and continue to disciple them daily through God's Word. Pray for the Lord to lead and guide our team as we work to re-launch this program.

Please continue to pray for the protection and health of our missionaries. Pray daily for PROJECT HOPE. Thank you for your partnership, support, and prayers for this ministry.

We truly covet your prayers as our mission seeks to minister to the people in Peru.

If you would like more information on partnering with us through a mission trip or other ways you can help support the ministry, please contact crissy.heath@rootedingraceandlove.org.

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