

# Darrell & Buffy Ratcliff

YOUR MISSIONARIES TO MEXICO

Dear Praying Friends,

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Words cannot express how grateful we are for all your love, prayers, support, cards, emails, gifts, and other acts of kindness this past year. We believe that only in Heaven will you truly be rewarded for all you have done to help us reach precious souls with the Gospel. Thank you for making a difference in our lives personally and in the lives of so many people that we have been able to reach because of your love and generosity to our ministry.

We are so excited that we got to hold evangelistic campaigns with several churches in southeastern Mexico. In Villahermosa, we had 17 different evangelistic events in different bus-route areas of the church, preaching the Gospel to around 1,600 people, with about 1,250 indicating that they were trusting Christ as their Saviour. Later, around Merida, Yucatan, we were scheduled to help a church hold an evangelistic event. However, my son and I both got a bad stomach virus, and I could not even go to the evangelistic event! So, I encouraged the church to go ahead and try to hold the event anyway. They used our costumes and megaphones and applied the evangelistic training instructions that I sent to them prior to the meeting. The Lord blessed with over 240 visitors in attendance, and the majority of them trusted Christ as their Saviour. I try to encourage pastors and churches to also do evangelistic events midweek to reach people for Christ. A church in Minatitlan took the challenge. We invited people from the surrounding areas and outside the nearby schools to join us for an event in a well-known place. We had competitions, games with fun prizes, and several piñatas (a Mexican paper mâché figure filled with candy, which the kids hit with a stick until it breaks and the candy falls out). The Lord blessed. Well over 200 people showed up, with the majority of them receiving Christ. Then, with a church in Coatzacoalcos, Veracruz, we preached the Gospel to over 430 people, with over 320 of them receiving salvation. Thank you so much for helping us to make a difference!

It is so hard to believe that it has been 19 years since God gave us our precious baby girl Alejandra, who was born on January 27, 2007. On February 8, 2007, she died in my wife's arms. Of course, we miss her so much, but we are so thankful that she is in a wonderful place of no more hurt, pain, or sorrow, a beautiful place called Heaven, where we will get to see her once again. We have written a tract about her life, and through that tract and through sharing the testimony about her life during personal and mass evangelism, literally tens of thousands of people have been impacted and have come to know Christ as their Saviour. With God's help, we want to do more. Let us all do more to help people get to that wonderful place called Heaven.

The Lord has given us so many amazing opportunities to train churches to share the Gospel of Christ. I would like to remind you that we have a bilingual website (English and Spanish) called [PredicaACristo.com](http://PredicaACristo.com) that we are hoping and praying will help to spread the Gospel, not only in Mexico, but in other countries as well. We would ask that you would please pray about an evangelistic idea that the Lord has put on our hearts. We have so much material (books, videos, audios, etc.), and we would love to get it into more churches and Bible institutes. The idea has to do with the following: many of us have been impacted by books, audios, or videos from churches, their libraries, etc. that have helped us in our relationship with Christ. So, we want to encourage churches and Bible institutes to have libraries or other possibilities where they could lend books and material out to their members and students, thus influencing and training Christians to do more for Christ. Please pray that we would have God's wisdom and grace as we encourage churches and institutes to get this evangelistic material into the hands of their people.

Please pray fervently for many upcoming evangelistic campaigns and meetings that we will have in 2026; pray that we will see a great harvest of souls for Christ. Praise the Lord for the thousands of people who heard the Gospel and were saved because of your faithfulness in your love, prayers, and support this past year. Thank you so much for helping us to reach others for the Lord.

Yours for souls,

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Philippians 4:13



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