



Hello Everyone,

Greetings from our family. We hope everyone is doing well in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ.

It is an honor to be able to share with you all the good things that our God is doing here in Oaxaca, Mexico, and how He has been working in our lives and in the lives of others as we see how men and women are being transformed by His Word and Spirit.

My wife, Esther, and I are doing well, learning different things in life everyday. God has been teaching us a lot about marriage and about how to deal with different challenges day by day. She is helping me a lot with the ministry plus taking care of the kids and doing things in the house. She is a great woman of God and a beautiful wife and mother. Manny and Nataly are doing really well. They're in school and taking music lessons at the culture house of the city, learning how to play guitar.

Before the pandemic began, I started working with a friend, going inside the prison, visiting the men and women here in our country. Here in Mexico, prisons are very different than other places. The spiritual need in the prisons in Mexico is great. Men and women are very open. They want to see something different in their lives. They want to experience the love of God and to see how He can make a difference in their personal lives. I remember when I was in prison. I wanted to be someone different but I didn't know how to do it until God used Dave Schonberg. One day Dave brought me the good news of salvation. It was the best day of my life. That day God showed me His love and how much He cared about me and for all those who are lost.

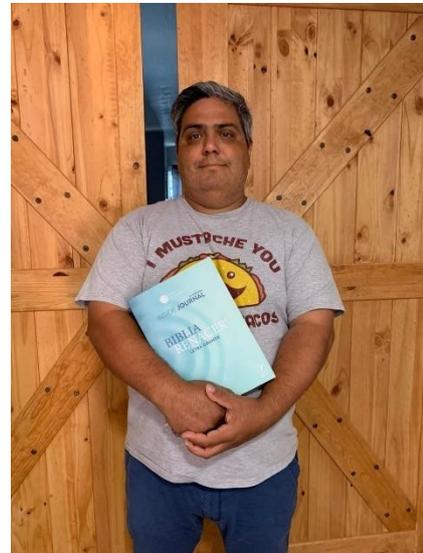




My wife and I pray that God will use us to bring love and the Word of God to these men and women in prison. Last year we looked for a way to bring Bibles to the brothers and sisters inside of prisons. We believe in God and we know that His love is for all. We have a vision and a mission that God gave us which we want to obey and accomplish. This year we started to work with an association that focuses on bringing Bibles and Bible studies into prison for our brothers and sisters. We believe God wants us to make sure there is a Bible in every prison in

Mexico and that men and women will have the opportunity to know Him. Here in Oaxaca, we hope to be able to open a program that will prepare men and women for the Christian life so they will be ready to live a different life when they are released, and so they will be able to bring the Good News of salvation to others.

One of the goals is to prepare leaders inside the prison to be able to teach others. As you know, a lot of things since the beginning of the pandemic have changed. We have to do things in a different way. For us that means raising up leaders inside prison walls.



We would like to thank Prison Fellowship for the help with the Bibles that they sent to our ministry, and also to all the brothers and sisters that have a heart for our brothers and sisters in prison here in Mexico. We also want you to be part of this vision. We need more Bibles for all those in prison. We need to share the love of Christ and to teach others that God sent His Son to die for us and to pay for our sins.





The name of our ministry is "Sembrando Palabra De Libertad," which means Sowing the Word of Freedom. Here is our mission and values:

MISSION

- to develop relationships with churches, other ministries and correctional facilities
- to provide Bibles and discipleship resources to every jail and prison in Mexico where there is an open door.



VALUES

- to love and care for the church and individuals both inside and outside of jails and prisons to steward resources faithfully so as to make the greatest impact
- to value the Word of God, the Bible, as the primary vehicle for communicating God's love, character, and plan for humanity to be reconciled to Him through Jesus Christ
- to pursue our mission with excellence and a sense of urgency.



We trust in God and are really grateful for all that He gives us. We are grateful for the work He has put in our hands and for the vision He gave us. We thank Him for all of you and for being a part of this vision. We send you our love. Please pray for the men and women that are in jails and prisons here in Mexico.