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May God bless you in this new year,

We are excited to report some highlights on what God has done and is doing in Burgos, Mexico. We have seen much progress in 2006 in ministry programs, facilities, and partnerships. We are full of hope for 2007.

2006 Highlights

Cristo Es La Roca (multi-purpose church facility): Completed 4300 sq. ft. of roof, 6900 sq.ft. of floor, constructed and installed 40 windows, playground equipment (trampoline and see-saws)

Programs: 55 sponsored children, 20 Bible College students, Children's discipleship programs in 5 communities, 3 regional outreaches, 8 Level 1 English students, 2 summer Vacation Bible Schools,

Local Church Support: Pastor and Leader training, Bibles, Sunday School curriculum, Craft Supplies and Sports equipment, some financial support

Mission and Partnership Opportunities: 3 Mission trips, 8 Family trips, 55 Child Sponsors, 6 new Church partners, increase in Monthly Donors

Family Ministry: school supplies, clothing, food, blankets, coats, hygiene products, movie nights in 3 communities



Each of these numbers or programs represents a person or family that is being impacted by the love of Christ in a tangible way. We are amazed at the Lord's provision through those who are partnering with Burgos Missions to serve and minister to this region.

The new year holds exciting possibilities, and we are anxious to pursue them. Burgos Missions received a \$25,000 grant from Hillview Christian Ministry to begin work on dormitories to host mission groups, camps, and other programs. We will be adding to the playground equipment to help host the large groups of children that attend programs at the church. Plans are in place to begin a youth ministry at the church as well as to expand the nursery and children's ministry on Sunday. Construction will continue on the Church facilities. The Bible College will continue, and we hope to open classes in a second community in the spring. The Child Sponsorship Program will continue to provide help to children and families at a personal level. English classes will resume and classes are hopeful to open in a second community. Spring Break, Summer and Fall Mission Trips are being scheduled. Family ministry will continue in 5 communities and we have been asked to begin programs in 3 others.

All these plans are in the hands of God, and we will follow as He leads. The plans also depend on donations received by Burgos Missions. Though we are attempting to do much, we are a small organization which survives solely on giving from family, friends, and churches. We are overwhelmed by the generosity of those partnering with us. What has been accomplished this year is beyond us and is amazing. Thank you for all you've done. We pray that the "seeds" that are being planted into the lives of families in Burgos will grow and grow and the blessings will return to you as well.

Three ways to help in 2007

1. Pray for the mission team, families of Burgos, and plans for the year.
2. Partner financially with a monthly contribution.
3. Sponsor a Child.

For more information on partnering with Burgos Missions, contact us at info@burgosmissions.org or write us at Burgos Missions, PO Box 537, Lockhart, TX, 78644.

God bless you, Matt, PJ, Trinity, and Micah Burton, and Julie Kirkpatrick

