Our December Prayer Letter

Dear prayer friends,

Bon Nadal i Feliç Any Nou! (Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! in Catalan, the language of Northeast Spain)

We hope that this season the love of Christ may speak to your heart and it may give you opportunities to share the hope we have in Him for eternity and in the midst of circumstances. Last week, I had the honor to preach in the Spanish service at our church in Minneapolis and reflected on the fact that God decided to speak to us directly though His Son (Hebrews 1:1-3). What a Messenger He chose! What a message of hope through Him! We look forward to spending some time reflecting on our great God and His Great Gift of salvation.

We visited Massachusetts for a week, and I presented at a church and had good conversations about our ministry. We have also had chance to spend time with family and friends in Minnesota. We have enjoyed personally sharing what we want to see God accomplish through us. I see God impacting our hearts with excitement and impatience (urgency sounds more spiritual, doesn't it?).

Excitement—because I get to tell about our vision and it becomes more real. I get to think about it, hear feedback for our strategy, and discover more ideas for ministry. In a way, I envy missionaries that spend many months or years developing a support team and presenting their ministry. I am appreciating what I am learning, and the partnerships that will help us be more effective.

Urgency—because I want to get back and get to work. I am excited to see how God is going to use our ministry. In fact, shortly after our last email, I was able to spend some time with leaders of different ministries in Minneapolis and hear

about how they are going to implement discipleship and church planting in their ministry. We had a great time learning from each other, and I am eager to put it into practice.

Some updates:

- Please continue to pray for my Mom, Dad, and sister as they are still talking with doctors and trying to find the best way to process the information they have been given.
- please continue to pray for our support raising and team building. We are excited to see how God has worked in your hearts toward our ministry. We are at about 65% of our stateside support goal and have 100+ prayer partners! Praise God!



Pray for:

- Health, so we can meet with friends and people as a family. We
 have been sick nearly 3 weeks, and Maddy has needed to stay with
 the kids and missed meeting individuals.
- Safety as we travel down to Florida on the 2nd of January until possibly the 23rd of January.
- Wisdom in planning a trip to Las Vegas in February. There are some churches that we could visit there, and if we travel there will be probably by plane. We want to use our time and resources in the best way possible.
- More opportunities to connect with people and churches. Especially since we are 2/3 of the way through our time here! Our departure date is February 27!

If God is laying our ministry on your heart and you would like to join our ministry project through financial support either continually or one-time, please visit our mission page through the button below. We have been so encouraged by many individuals who have indicated interest in sacrificially giving to our North Spain project.

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We wish you a very merry Christmas and pray the Lord blesses you and yours in 2019!

Love,

Victor and Maddy Ramirez