

March Prayer Letter

Hi everybody!

We have been in Spain nearly a month and are deep in the search for a permanent place of ministry. The first few weeks were packed with meeting local believers and learning their perspective on ministry. We have visited several locations in the Pamplona area, as well as other towns in the state of Navarra. Our future home will become the center of our ministry so we must wait for God to open the doors to provide the right location.

We are considering an unreached village in the state of Navarra called Peralta, but to make it happen, we need a part time job and a home. While smaller and farther away from Pamplona than the suburbs we have been looking at, we see lots of potential in Peralta and surroundings for ministry. In a village, forging relationships can be more natural in order to begin a ministry. However, we are being careful not to force our own solution or fail to trust God with our path.

I have had the chance to meet with ministry leaders that serve in the Comunidad Autónoma of Navarra. They meet frequently to discuss prayer requests, challenges, and collaborative projects. It was helpful to learn about

the progress of the gospel here. At the end of the meeting, one of the leaders told me that in Navarra they “want people who work hard and not leave after a short while. Is that you?” At first, I thought to be funny, but it was not the time. I praise God for helping me hold my tongue. I know that this will not be a short-term investment. I am looking forward to working hard to let people know that God loves them and sent His Son to provide the way of reconciliation with Him.

I appreciate the heart of the question and the warning that goes with it. There are many that serve in Spain and with little numerical success. Will my family and I be ready to endure the long-distance race we have before us? Right now, I boldly say yes! I pray the answer is yes many years from now. I don't doubt God's purpose for our lives. He is the one that will move hearts as we labor. I realize that I also need to encourage you who are part of our team. Together, we have a hard race ahead and need to pray for, challenge, and encourage each other. During our difficulties, we have a great God who is accessible to us. What a hope to combat discouragement!

Prayer Points

- Pray that God provides a part-time job soon! This is huge!
- Pray that we are able to secure a home that meets our needs
- Pray for Peralta, that God would pave the way for us or provide another location
- Pray for my family as we are staying with them during this time



Thank you SO much for your prayers. Our journey here, although long, was blessed. One suitcase didn't make it until a few days later, but actually lightened our load while traveling!

This time is crucial as we eagerly await God's placement. We praise God for His provision through you that allows us to seek the place He would have us serve. Thank you for bearing with us—we look forward to sharing how He works it all out!



All for Jesus!

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