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Dear Friends,

We hope this letter finds you doing well as the summer starts. We're doing well and gearing up for what the Lord Jesus has prepared for us, and we hope to get in a few days of vacation time too! In Ephes. 5:16 it says we should be: *"making the most of your time, because the days are evil."* (Eph. 5:16 NASB) This involves some planning on the calendar to keep it all in order. But there will always be more things that need to

be done. We need to be wise and prioritize, so that we get the right things done. We can't do it all. We hope that you will do that too. May God help you to *"make the most of your time"* this summer!

**Puebla del Río Church ministry.** Salud and six Puebla church ladies just got back from a retreat (May 31-June 2<sup>nd</sup>) for women from Seville-area churches at the Christian camp north of Seville. They came back encouraged by what the speaker taught. About 50 women from 5-6 different Evangelical churches in the Seville area went. The Saturday the ladies were gone, Jordi gave a men's study and fellowship time to the men from church on what the Bible says to Christian



men about their responsibilities and we went out for supper. Now the men want to repeat the study and fellowship time – and even have a men's retreat at camp sometime this year! Also, the church's bi-weekly cell group met at our house in May, with 15 people in our living room! Jordi has been with the church for 2 years now and has 2 years left to complete the 4-yr. transition time we proposed when we brought him on. It



is going well, and we're all encouraged by how the Lord has used him in the church. His wife, Sandra, helps with the praise music too. **Please pray for Jordi and Sandra and their ministry in the Puebla church.**



**Other ministries.** For the past 8 years, Salud has volunteered once a month to team-teach a weekly Bible study for a ministry that works with retired & elderly people (anywhere from 8 to 15 adults). She has just finished the last study at the end of May. On June 11<sup>th</sup>, I finish teaching a 6-week class at the Seminary on the doctrine of Salvation (Soteriology) and will be done until the fall classes. On June 1<sup>st</sup>, I helped start a 2<sup>nd</sup> cycle of the expository preaching circle with 8 men from 6 churches in an overview of *Jonah*. The plan is to meet from Sept. to Jan. and do one chap. each time then 3 volunteers will preach and be evaluated by the rest. I've also helped the past 12 months with a Bible project by writing the introduction summaries to all the NT books, the 6 poetical OT books, and this summer need to try to finish the 33 other OT book introductions.



**Family news:** On May 24<sup>th</sup>, we moved **Jonathan** to his apartment in Jaén, about 180 miles east of here. He started at the hospital on May 27<sup>th</sup> as the Resident Intern Oncologist. It is the residency that he hoped and prayed to get, and the Lord worked it out! Now he and **Irene** are just a few miles away from each other (and can go out several times a week instead of once a month like it has been for them these past 2 years). We're very happy for them and how God is working in them. We look forward to their wedding in just 5 months! **Please pray for Jonathan as he adapts to working and attending patients at the hospital, and for he and Irene as they prepare for their wedding on Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>.**



**Elisabeth** has finished her 3<sup>rd</sup> yr. at the Univ. of Granada. She'll be home for the summer, and work in July at the English day-camp near Seville where she has worked the past 3 summers. In Aug. she, Jonathan and Irene will be dorm counselors for one week at a Bible camp for teens. We're proud of how she helps in so many ways. **Pray for God to help her continue growing into the best teacher she can be.**

**We again thank all of you who pray for us and/or support us** to serve God here in southern Spain. Without you we couldn't be full-time in the ministry. May **God bless you** for that, and also **bless you** with *"making the most of your time"* with Jesus Christ all of this summer!



In Jesus' love and service, **Frank, Salud, Jonathan and Elisabeth**