

June Prayer Letter

Dear Family and Friends,

My ears are still ringing! Wow, kids can really be loud when they are having fun! We just spent the week at a camp run by Dan Leatherwood and his family, fellow missionaries in north Spain. This past week, about fifty children had the opportunity to be cowboys and cowgirls and learn many Bible truths. They were just as excited to start the week as we were and as sad when it was all over. For the Leatherwoods though, the fun goes on for two more weeks with two more camps. I'll tell you why we aren't staying those weeks at the end!

We keep discovering more facets of Fraga. There is an ethnic gypsy church in town, which I had some difficulty finding at first. I met with the pastor and explained our desire to establish a work here in Fraga. He asked me many key theological questions and we agreed that we can meet together, just not work together.

Many of the social groups that I would like to join have stopped for the summer. September looks like it will be a very busy time when *everything* starts again. However, I was able to go to the last meeting of a book club and see what that would be like. I also attended a theatre master class for teenagers and adults; and witnessed the local perspectives on current topics such as relationships, stereotypes, and genders. Seeing the participants' reactions to imaginary interpersonal scenarios, I left feeling burdened. How easy each scenario would be dealt with if an individual's identity is not found within, but rather in the person

and work of Jesus Christ.

We have visited a church in the largest town near us, and met several Christians with connections or with relatives here in Fraga for us to meet with. There are a few other churches somewhat nearby that we can plan to visit, but this month is going to be otherwise busy!

We didn't continue at camp because I will be joining an evangelistic outreach in the south, La Nucia, Alicante. This event is organized by Decision Spain—the same ministry that helped kickstart the church in Monzón about three years ago. I contacted them for information about launching a similar event here in Fraga in the future and they invited me to participate in one. It will be a great opportunity to see the ministry and get some ideas for our town.

Prayer Points

- Outreach in La Nucia, Alicante (1st to 10th of July). Salvations, many gospel conversations, safety.
- Connections with people here in Fraga that would help us start Bible studies.
- My mom has been diagnosed with ALS. Please pray for my parents specifically for strength, peace and discernment in the decisions that they will have to make.

- Our cousin Austin was in a motorcycle accident this past week. He was seriously injured, but he is slowly recovering. Please pray for 100% healing and for his wife Ruby.

We would love if you could help us pray for these things:



Nathan turned 1 at the end of May and some of Victor's family from Mexico came to visit!



Donovan also had a birthday this month—he's now 3!



We hiked up the mountain, kids in tow, at Cowboy Camp!



Cowboy Camp was a blast, and we enjoyed participating in Dan's ministry!

We pray that your summer is also going well, that you are finding ways to share the love of Jesus as much as you can with those around you. Thank you so much for your love and support through prayer and through gifts to our ministry.

All for Jesus!

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