

## God's provision in the nick of time!

Finally, I'm here in Tarapoto! Thank you all for your prayers and support. It ended up being a very difficult journey to get here.

The day came, January 27th, and I was to embark on a plane to take me to Lima, Perú. I had been waiting for my test results to come back for the PCR COVID19 test I had sent; they had NOT arrived yet! I was so worried, and I prayed, and God answered my prayers to provide a PCR test result for me. I ended up taking an antigen test also, and both tests came back negative for COVID19. It was just in the nick of time; praise the Lord!

Then, I got to Peru, and I had to go through customs; they didn't even ask me for my test results, they just let me pass on through!

Next, I had to get on a plane to get to Tarapoto. I ended up missing my flight, because there were two flights to Tarapoto scheduled very close together in time. LATAM is one of the worst airline companies ever! When I went to recollect my checked bags, they had lost one of my bags (it had my computer and other very valuable things in it!)!

I had to spend all night in the Lima airport (not recommended ) and they kept telling me that they didn't know where my bag was and that I would have to keep going to other agents to get assistance. I basically spent that night crying and praying that God would help me get my bag back. I had even told them to call the airport in Tarapoto to see if it had gone ahead of me, and they told me that my bag had not. I was a stressed-out mess!

God answered my prayers again, and after writing an official report about the terrible service I had received, I got on a plane to Tarapoto. There was a man helping with the bags and I asked him to check to see if there was a unclaimed bag from the day before; and there sure was! My bag had gone to Tarapoto without me!

God is good, I have no idea why I had to go through all of that, but maybe to keep me humble. I got really sick with a fever and a cough (maybe from the whole terrible experience), but I am getting better now.

Thank you for all your prayers, and keep praying for me to find a house or apartment to live in.

There's a group of young Americans here from a mission called Link Year, and they're helping us with children's ministry and English classes. They'll go back to the USA at the end of February. Many of them are just dipping their toes in the sea of living the Christian life. Pray for them, that their faith would be made strong, and they would have a great desire to keep serving the Lord Jesus Christ.







These are pictures from our day we went to the orphanage to do a Bible lesson. There's a bunch of Link Year kids, and Jennifer Fowler (Pastor Delwin and Techy's daughter) is helping to translate from English to Spanish.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

Philippians 4:6-7

God bless you all! Amber