



## Updates from Ed and Rosa

Our hearts are grieved as we read before us the front page of the Chihuahua newspaper.

There is an article on the terrible drought in the mountains of Chihuahua. This drought has caused the death of 250,000 heads of cattle and is reeking havoc with the already destitute economy in the mountains. This drought has caused incredible suffering not just to the adults but especially to the children who are abandoned, mistreated, and wandering the streets.

This is not the only drought in the mountains. There is a “drought” for living water of the Holy Spirit!

There are a lack of churches and Evangelists to go forth and tell the people that Jesus loves them.

But we have Good News! There are many people who are going with us and helping to support us as we reach out to our extension in the mountains, giving unto children and adults alike, the physical and the spiritual water.

We were so blessed with the Hart Baptist Church in Michigan who came to visit us in Chihuahua City. They not only helped the main campus of Lily of the Valley, but they also went with Nohema, the Director of the Guachochi Extension, to give food, clothing, blankets, and the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the people in the mountains.

We had a “trip within a trip”. This wonderful team spent three of their days in the mountains of the Guachochi area. They returned with tears of joy and compassion in their eyes as they shared how the Indian people waited in line for hours by campfires in the freezing cold in order to receive the physical blessings of our team.

Then Enrique Gonzales, a local missionary who is fluent in the Tarahumara language, presented the living water of the Holy Spirit. By the Grace of God many of them, like the Woman at the Well in John 4, received the living water of salvation.

At this current time the government of Chihuahua is setting aside thousands and thousands of pesos in order to help with this devastating drought. We also want to do our part at the Guachochi Extension. We want to con-

tinue to send the basic necessities that our friends in the mountains are in such great need of and obey and love what Jesus commanded us to do in Matthew 25 "...for I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink..."

We have an advantage over the government in that we also can and will receive children that are suffering in the streets and need more than the physical food. They need a home and the love of a loving family. We continuously pray and this particular scripture is pressed on our hearts:

Arise, cry out in the night, as the watches of the night begin, pour out your heart like water in the presence of the Lord. Lift up your hands to him for the lives of your children, who faint from hunger at the head of every street. Lamentations 2:19

Together we can join hands and not only pray for rain but with your financial help we can bring food and the living water to alleviate the physical and spiritual drought that is so apparent here in the surrounding areas of Chihuahua.

May the Lord greatly bless you as you continue to bless us through your support and prayers.

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General Administrators

## How can you support us?

If you feel lead by the Lord to support this ministry, donations can be made to our San Diego office, marked Lirio Chihuahua. Thank you!

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