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*You are cordially invited to attend
Spanish American Evangelistic
Ministries' Annual Banquet*

*Celebrating 45 Years of Ministry to the
Spanish Speaking World
1964-2009
Friday, February 6, 2009*

*Speaker Jorge Mercado, President
Colegio Bíblico, Eagle Pass, Texas*

*Tickets \$45 per couple
\$25 per single*

*Oz Glaze Senior Center
13969 Veny Webb
Horizon City, Texas
Doors open at 6:00
Dinner at 6:30*

For reservations to the banquet, please send in the enclosed reservation form by January 26. The reservation form is in the return envelope.

There will be music, inspiring testimonies, a dynamic speaker, good food, great fellowship, and an evening well spent in support of S.A.E.M.

Please join us!



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IMPORTANT NOTICE:

If you would like to receive a year end statement of your giving to SAEM, please email your request to Bety at staff@spanam.org or call the office at 915.852.2525 or drop us a note.

**In Loving Memory of
Mary Charles
by
Mike and Gary
Kuhlman**

**Charles Reimche
by
De Loris Reimche**

Spanish American Evangelistic Ministries



And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night.

This verse has become my favorite concerning the birth of Jesus. It is rich with meaning. Those shepherds who were the first to hear the good news of the birth of the Savior, Christ the Lord, were not ordinary shepherds because their flocks were not ordinary sheep.

There was a tower on the road between Bethlehem and Jerusalem called the Migdal Eder - the tower of the flock. The sheep pastured there were temple sheep destined for temple sacrifice.

If a perfect lamb wandered into that flock within thirty days of Passover, it was offered as the Passover lamb.

How fitting that the first men to see the lamb who takes away the sin of the world were faithfully guarding the sacrificial lambs in fulfillment of the prophecies.

Micah 4:8 And thou, O tower of the flock, the strong hold of the daughter of Zion, unto thee shall it come, even the first dominion; the kingdom shall come to the daughter of Jerusalem.

The tower of the flock - Migdal Eder.

And further in Micah 5 verse 2 we read those beautiful, ancient words: But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel: whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting.

Jesus is Lord! rejoice, O Earth, the Lord has come!

Be blessed as you worship the Lamb in the beauty of holiness this season and forever!

Dorma for the staff at S.A.E.M.

Praises:

For another year to serve the Lord! Even so, Jesus, come quickly!

For wonderful contacts and shared vision at the National Missionary Convention, Tulsa, November 20-23

For radio spots on Spanish Christian Radio in El Paso/Juarez

Prayer requests:

For hearts to be open to the gospel of Jesus through the faithful preaching of the evangelists who distribute our tracts. That many would come to faith in Jesus.

For mission supporters for Isaac our pressman. He works here by faith, earning only a fraction of what he could make in the secular world as a skilled, experienced pressman. Pray for the Lord to continue to provide for and bless his wife and four young children.

Feliz Navidad =
Faylees Nawveedawd
Merry Christmas!

“Thank you for helping me grow as a new Christian. You are helping me understand the Bible better so that I can obey Jesus.” 11/08 from a prisoner in a Texas facility.

To our dear friends and family,

Donna and I write to you, expressing our thanks for your being with us in this Mission. We are here to testify that it is great being a Christian and serving the Lord. That’s what life is all about. I ask of every Bible class, of every church service, youth meeting, 5th Sunday Rally or Singspiration: “Was the kingdom of God advanced? Was Christ glorified?”

Occasionally, we are complimented about some deed done in Juarez. That’s nice to hear. Yet, and still, there is something better to do, a more efficient job to be done. I know it, and you know it.

There have been some wrong turns made. I got confused on some of the streets in Juarez. So, what this does is, it makes me resolve to improve. What do you say in light of the Old Testament passage which compliments the women, saying, “Many of the daughters of Jerusalem have done well, but you have exceeded them all.”

Doesn’t that mean we could all do better?

All we should want to do is hear, “well done, good and faithful servant” from God. There is no reason on earth why we could not exceed past records, for “I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.”

This is a plea for excellence, God helping us.

We Love You,
Edward and Donna
Weckerly

Operation Care of Newcastle Christian Church, Newcastle, OK and others from all over the USA brought clothes and toys for the needy in Juarez.



**Operation Care
providing food for an
orphanage in Juarez.**



Dear Ones,

As we reflect on our true gifts this year, we are thankful as always for our salvation in Jesus Christ. We both remember what it was like to be lost. And we are so grateful for the gift of peace with God through Jesus Christ.

We are thankful for the gift of service. The Lord has used us even in spite of ourselves and we are so thankful.

We are thankful for the gift of the Church. We are thankful we have been made children of God and have brothers and sisters in Christ all over the world.

We are thankful for the gift of the Word. We live in a world that is floundering on all levels because they have rejected the Truth. We are so thankful for the confidence that the truth of God’s Word brings. What a gift

we have received in being able to see through the “fog” of the world’s wisdom. And we are grateful.

We are thankful for the gift of God’s provision through His servants. We live by faith and can do so gladly and with confidence because God has given us His great and magnificent promises. And we are thankful.

We are thankful for the gift of your love, and prayers and faithful service.

May God bless you this Christmas with the gifts of peace, joy, love, and hope that are found only in the person of Jesus Christ. And be thankful.

David & Dorma

A Word of Testimony
December 1, 2008

Pablo Briones is an on-fire evangelist to the people and children of Juarez. For 11 years his mission called Ministerio El Pescador has ministered to the addicts and homeless in Juarez. Pablo preaches Jesus as the only Way. “Jesus is the answer.”

Three times a year Pablo and the church at Niquel 1485 S in Juarez host a party for children on the street. This month they expect 600-900 children to attend. He believes by faith that, “Someday they will be in the church.”

S.A.E.M. is helping by providing children’s tracts and hundreds of toys collected from your donations of small toys and stuffed animals. Each child receives a package with a toy, candy, and a new piece of clothing.

Pablo’s favorite tract is *El Pecado* or *The Sin* in English. He has distributed thousands of these tracts that describe the consequence and remedy for the sin of all mankind.

This zealous preacher prayed just this morning, “God where are your doors? Please open them for me.” Pablo prayed the same thing for the ministry of S.A.E.M.

Preachers like Pablo Briones and ministries like El Pescador are the reason we labor with hope. People are being saved for eternity. What joy!

Announcements:

We apologize for the delay in receiving the November newsletter. The USPS requires a quarterly audit through their office in California of all bulk mailing lists. The purpose of the audit is to correct addresses in order to save the post office the expense of forwarding or returning bulk mail. Unfortunately, the audit held up our mailing.

Thank you for sending us your change of address when you move. Also, if you prefer, contact the office to receive this newsletter via email.

Join EXO Ministries this summer for an exciting opportunity to lead a VBS in Veracruz June 9-13. You’ll be blessed as you invest in the lives of the children of southern Mexico and tour this scenic area.

For more information contact Ron Cochran at ron@exoministries.org or call 915-594-0947. You don’t have to speak Spanish to participate in this learning experience.