

THE WEARS FAMILY PRAYER LETTER & UPDATES

November 2015

Espresso Updates



Declaring His Glory

We have been to several missions conferences throughout the year but the missions conference at Grace Baptist Church in Plymouth, IN was unique. It was where I met Carlos. We met for coffee and spent some time chatting about his life as a child.

You see, Carlos had a childhood that was likely different than yours or mine. Besides drinking espresso with milk for breakfast, he was born in Porto, Portugal. His dad died and his mom abandoned him when he was a baby so Carlos lived with his grandma. She could only do so much for him so he was placed into an orphanage. It was a special orphanage. It wasn't run by the government, but rather it was started by a missionary.

One summer Carlos went to a christian camp where his life was changed forever. At 16 years old Carlos put his faith in Jesus Christ for salvation. Carlos "received the Spirit of adoption."

Salvation wasn't the only way Carlos's life was changed. He met another missionary family while attending the summer camp. This family treated Carlos as one of their very own children. They brought him back to the States so he could finish his studies.

What's amazing to think about is that Carlos was saved because God used people like you to share "His wonder among all people". Mission minded individuals, like you, gave \$5, \$50 or even \$300 or more a month toward missions. On behalf of Carlos and countless others changed by the good news of Jesus Christ, thank you for your faithful, monthly giving towards "declaring God's glory" throughout the earth.

Our family is also pleased to welcome Grace Bible Church, of Lansing, MI and First General Baptist Church of Waterford Township, MI as partners with our family to "**declare his glory among the heathen, his wonders among all people,**" Ps. 96:3.

Privileged to Serve,

David & Michelle Wears

Prayer Requests

- **Partners** in declaring God's glory in Portugal.
- A properly functioning **vehicle and safety** in travel.
- The Holy Spirit to begin working in the heart of those in **Alcochete, Portugal**.
- **Spiritual and physical health** for our family.

Deputation Goals

- Learn basic Portuguese.
- Leave for Portugal by 2017.
- Save \$40,000 for moving expenses.

Other News

- We are at 18.5% support.
- Two more churches partnered with us!

Portuguese

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