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Thurston Summer Report



Evangelizing after the 8.8 Quake

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Lina has been working with young people for a few years and now it is beginning to pay off.

A group of girls, along with a couple that came from Brazil, went to minister in Concepción. Concepción is a city in southern Chile about eight hours from Santiago. This is where the earthquake and tsunami destruction had hit hard.

This is their report: "We saw many houses completely destroyed. It was like being on the set of a war movie. Many



people were living in tents without water or electrical energy, a lot of children were afraid. No one can even bathe. Their hearts were so open and warm to the Gospel. We shared the Message and spoke about Jesus with more than 400 people and over 300 of them indicated they had accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

In one area of Concepción, we went to a camp and 160 children came out to see us. We were dressed as clowns and we all sang, danced, and played together. We also painted their little faces in flowers, little hearts, dogs, etc, and told them stories about Jesus.

The most exciting part was the children accepting the Lord as we prayed with them. Some from our group also shared the Gospel with their parents. We also brought pastors so that people could be directed to local churches."



Conference participants

In April, I attended the annual International Internet Conference that took place this year in Rio de Janeiro. It was great to see our 28 partners from Europe, Asia, and the United States.

We found that as a group we were reaching monthly over 43,000,000 people for Christ. That was exciting news.



Death and destruction in Concepción

We were thankful the Lord protected us during the quake.

Our home suffered some damage. We had cracks in various walls, pillars, and had to repair the house roof and replace part of the studio roof. We praise the Lord everything has been repaired.

Prayer Requests

1. Paulo Cesar and Mary Jane are still praying for their monthly support.
2. Continue to pray for Lina's health. It seems her ALS has leveled off.
3. For Lina's women's prayer groups in 18 different cities and 11 different evangelistic groups.
4. For the continual recording of our video Seminary.

We praise the Lord for the new server which should be operational by the time you read this.

As partners and friends, thanks for your prayers, your concern, your willingness to back us in this international ministry. Your missions investment is working.

Jim & Lina

Reaching the World while Focusing on Latin America