THENCKINNEY FAMILY MISSIONARIES TO BOLIVIA SOUTH AMERICA January / February 2024

Dear Prayer Partners and Supporters,

In just a few short weeks, we will be reaching the 4-year mark since our arrival to Bolivia. Even now, God continues to amaze us with His provision for His work here. Since our last letter, God has provided the funds for both the wall and the main structure for the church in Quillacollo! The land has already been cleared and leveled. We are hoping, within the next 1-2 weeks, construction will



begin on the outer wall. After the wall is complete and we receive the necessary paperwork, we can begin construction for the main structure. In addition, Jacob has continued to have more opportunities to preach and teach at the church we are assisting, as well as in other churches around Cochabamba.

In January, both Jacob and I received our visas as well as our Bolivia ID cards and driver's licenses. This is a huge answer to prayer, as this means we are now permanent residents of Bolivia! We cannot apply for the boy's visas until April 15, so please be in prayer for that process as well. There have been some changes to how the visa process works, and we can no longer submit their visas ahead of their current visas' expiration date. Pray that even with the changes, we can still get their visas completed before we leave for furlough in late May.

Earlier this month, we received news that Jacob's dad had been taken to the hospital by ambulance and was not doing well. After several weeks in the hospital with little improvement, it was decided to switch him over to hospice care. Please keep Jacob's family in prayer as they make decisions on care until he passes. Also, we would appreciate your prayers for our family as we pray about the possibility of traveling. Despite what happens, we will still have to be back in Bolivia by April 10th for the boy's paperwork, or we will lose their visas. While this may have been unexpected for us, we know that God is not caught by surprise, and He will give us grace for the days ahead.

Your servants for Christ's sake,

The McKinney Family

Missionaries to Bolivia

Prayer Requests

- Construction at the church
- Jacob's dad and family

Praises

- Funds for the construction project
- Jacob and Shera's visa approval



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