



Los Elegidos Ministries: Los Elegidos Bible Club - Los Elegidos Radio - Los Elegidos Outreach

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Dear sisters in the Lord, this meeting will now come to order . . .

Our special word for today is “thrombosed external hemorrhoid”, the last thing you want to hear a doctor tell you as he’s examining you or your husband. Those are the words my wife heard, and later she would share with me it was the ugliest thing she had ever seen. I asked the doctor how is this even possible when I felt like I was in the best shape of my life in years, felt so healthy working out at the gym with my wife three times a week, jogging up to 40 minutes on the treadmill. He said sometimes it just happens . . .

(Spiritual warfare?) I was invited to preach/teach at a youth detention center known as “Vida Jovenes” (photo-right) not more than a block from our home. Days later I was in pain. . .

God had already given me a “word” to minister to these kids (20+ boys), then two Fridays ago at 3am I wake up with T.E.H., days before I was to share. Last Wednesday I had surgery and we are now praying no more slicing and dicing - it was very humbling, embarrassing, painful, and I was not able to walk, sit, not much sleep, and no desire to eat (lots of fasting) for fear of passing something. Through all that pain my prayer was, Lord please heal me so I can go minister to your kids - I had seen them briefly before I got sick and they *all* seemed depressed. I spoke to the directors on Monday and they said to please come by when I was ready, to heal up completely.

(Update: went back to the doctor this morning - I’m healing and on the right track, no more surgery - please pray I heal up completely - thank you for your prayers!!!)



Last month our concert was a huge success and as always God got the glory. This was my first experience dealing with a very well-known international artist, and unfortunately there was a “bit” of pride in this person’s demeanor, actually, a lot of pride . . . so I gave it to the Lord and asked Him to please take care of business. The concert itself was awesome, 500 people showed up, over 100 kids went up for prayer, healing, salvation... I had no idea about this (I was managing things outside) until a few days later when a very good friend told me most of the kids went up crying for a touch from the Lord . . . our prayer is that those were tears of

repentance, healing, submission to the Lord . . . praise God we met all our expenses with the help from our beloved back home!!! With God’s permission we hope to do our next concert in Sept. or Oct., as the Lord leads and if the Lord tarries . . . pastor Fidel said please come back and minister to the youth in his community . . . to Him be the glory.

That same night after the concert said (prideful) person ate some “tacos de cabeza” (my wife and I had carne asada) and puked their guts out that night and the next day, all day . . .

That’s when I finally *saw* for the first time, this person humbly minister in a very special way to the abused girls at my friend’s shelter (El Refugio) just down the street from our home. Thank you Lord for taking control.

God has a way of working things out even when they seem to be out of our grasp, and don’t ever forget prayer changes things - God will use even tacos to get someone’s attention. Praise Him!

My wife Maribel (photo-right) and our three college leaders continue doing an outstanding job preaching, teaching, making sure our kids understand the Word and the times (last days) we are living in . . . bible exams are the norm, bible lessons, and all the time we are praying with our kids that they walk the walk . . . talk is cheap.

Our biggest problem still is with our jr. high girls (12-15 yrs) wanting to hook up with guys, literally. One of our girls was “sexting” with some 14 year old at school, then mom and pop found out and the hammer came down . . . please pray for Anna, that God remove that spirit of immorality (Jezebel?) off of her and she surrender to the Lord. Two months ago she told me that was exactly what she wanted, we prayed and she repented and cried, only for her to fall back into that mess . . . also PLEASE PRAY that all the constant LYING being spewed forth by our girls stop, this needs to stop!

That they walk the walk and be light and be used by God to reach others, in Jesus Name!!!





Vida Jovenes - (photo-left) Just a few days before I got sick with "T.E.H." we had the extreme honor (Matt25:39,40) of blessing our "mijos" with a ton of bacon, eggs, hotcakes and syrup - director boss told me later they were so happy to eat something *different* than just rice and beans, to God be the glory! Most of the kids there (11-18 years) have been through drugs or have committed a crime and instead of being held in the youth prison (near the university), their parents have chosen this as a last resort to save their kids - these guys just need the love of Jesus and restoration - please pray that the Lord give me the words to speak to bring healing to His youth, God willing in two weeks.....

Both directors there told me they are ALWAYS in need of food and clothing, and that goes for every other ministry we are involved with, which now numbers 11 in the area. We have been "called" by God, along with our beloved back home to bless these ministries, youth, heartbroken people . . . all the Lord desires of us is obedience.

(Update: today they had Costco hot dogs wrapped in bacon with ice-cold Coke (unheard of!) with all the fixins - thank you for blessing our new kids!! A special treat for them!!)



Radio Vida Nueva - Radio Los Elegidos (91.9 KCSB-FM Santa Barbara, Ca - Sundays 7-8am) has been on the air and heard around the world since January of 2023, totally produced by the kids, at times my wife, various artists throughout Latin America, and sometimes I get a shot at it.

We were recently picked up by local Christian Radio station Radio Vida Nueva, also heard around the world and broadcasting locally here in Ensenada via the internet. I was surprised to learn (I'm old school radio) that a LOT of people prefer to listen via their cell phones then turn on a radio - please continue to pray that each program we produce (15-20 hours of production) would reach the lost, minister to the backslider, and set the Spanish-

speaking community free!

We broadcast from 8-9pm on Saturday nights in Ensenada to infinity and beyond, God is faithful!

(<https://zeno.fm/radio/vida-nueva-ensenada-bc/>)

Van Gogh - a photo (right) taken over two years ago with Samson on our way somewhere, and our van has taken a real beating (2006 E350) these last two years (serving us since 2018) and we really feel it's time to look for a "newer" used van - if ANYONE out there knows of any schools, groups, businesses, or non-profit that may be letting go of some of their "older" vans PLEASE let us know - we are now in need of a much better van so we can *safely* drive our kids to and fro - "La Panel" has lost my confidence, and it's time we replace old faithful with something newer - our van has finished the race and kept the faith - done a magnificent job transporting 1000's of kids over the years - to all those who donated for the purchase of our van years ago, thank you from the bottom of our hearts . . . please let us know!



The Ministry of Presence - Sometimes in the mission field all that is necessary to encourage a missionary in an over abundant way is to just show up at their front door ("I was sick and you visited me") and yell, "Hey, get off the can and come outside!"

What the Orange County All-Stars (photo-left) didn't know is that I was soaking in a sitz bath per doctor's orders when they showed up - truthfully, just hearing their voices outside was all the encouragement I needed! They brought a ton of blessings for our families and people (handmade quilts and bags, **handmade!!!!**) and youth, and now we get the extreme blessing of handing them out!

A million thanks to our beloved in the 714 making strides for the Lord, especially all the **amazing ladies from the Sewing Klatch Crew from Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa** - a million blessings from the Lord over all of you and the beautiful gifts you sent us!

All of our love,
Walt y Maribel y Los Elegidos Bible Crew
Serving the Maker of heaven and earth since 2007 in Mexico

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