



LOS ELEGIDOS MINISTRIES AKA LOS ELEGIDOS BIBLE CLUB
TUESDAY JULY 2, 2024

Psalm37:23

"The steps of a (good and righteous) man are directed and established by the LORD, And He delights in his way (and blesses his path)."(Amp.)

Some of you already know that we are in the process of starting **our very own 501c3 (non-profit) organization** which will be known as **Los Elegidos**

Ministries! We are so excited and feel (God has made it clear, it's time) this will be a huge benefit for the ministry and make it easier for all of our

generous partners back home to give directly to our ministry efforts. When God leads us and moves us, and in my case slaps you upside the head, it's time to step out in faith and let God handle the rest.

We will be notifying all of our partners in ministry (those who give through Commission to Every Nation) in a special email before mid-July what the next step will be so that monthly donations can continue without interruptions, your support is very important to us. The transition will be smooth and seamless - any questions you may have please reach out to us, you are the backbone of our ministry. We are so grateful to everyone who has come alongside us for so many years serving the Lord in our community here south of Ensenada, please continue to pray for us and all the kids.



God knows the when, the why, and the how. He knows the right time, the right door, and the right opportunity. So just show up, do your part, then let Him handle the rest.

God has also made it clear it's time for us to move from our old location (entrance of El Zorrillo) to a place which is larger (2 stories) and more centrally located (photo-right).

Last weekend I told our neighbor (store next to the ministry center) that we are vacating during the month of July and moving to a new location, that we will miss her and are so grateful for all the food and

drinks she has extended us on credit over all these years (8) - she started crying and asked me if we really had to move - I shared with her that God was directing our steps, but promised that we would ALWAYS come back and raid her store and run up a bill and pay her on the spot. We were her best customer!

We have so many memories of the beautiful and wonderful things the Lord has done through the ministry center - we will cherish everyone who has walked through those doors to hear about the Lord, to serve with us from afar, and continue to pray for them. Sometimes change hurts - all God asks of us is to trust Him and not lean on our own understanding, to follow the path He has laid out for us . . .

(PLEASE pray for our new location, that the owner will complete the tasks and repair everything he said he would - this place needs a lot of TLC, that God gives us favor and He would bring in a new harvest, that He be glorified in this place. We don't want it any other way.)



You've done your part. You've prayed already. You've cried already. Now watch God do His part. Stand still. 🕊

God is ordering your steps and putting you in the right place at the right time. You're not going to be defeated. You're going to make it.

It was only a month or two ago that I found out that my kids (older son Chris & family, photo-right) were going to have to relocate (U.S. Marines) to the other side of the United States, North Carolina - they currently live in Temecula. I had always hoped that one day they could come down (military restrictions) and visit their dad - there is now a possibility that may never happen. Yes, I am deeply saddened by this fact, and have shed a lot of tears - please pray that God would give me and my wife favor one day

to fly out to visit them and spend quality time with my kids and grandkids. They will be dearly missed . . .

We were able to visit with them one last time (June 7-10) and are so grateful that God gave us the opportunity . . . PLEASE pray that God would grant them





traveling mercies, that they would arrive safe and be able to rent a home near the beach, God is able . . .

THE GRADUATES!

That's my gorgeous wife **Maribel** last Wednesday evening just before she walked into the theater with all of her colleagues to receive her degree in psychology from the University Autónoma of Baja California. She is SO happy to finally have completed all the hoops the school demanded these kids jump through to obtain their degrees, and most importantly, that God was with her the entire way. She also wanted to send a **special thanks** to ALL our beloved back home who supported her financially with tuition and gave her this opportunity - she will be serving the Lord (besides our ministry) counseling youth and providing spiritual support to those who are hurting, which she has already been doing for all these years. Thank you!



Yesterday morning my wife and I had the honor of attending and blessing these two wise guys (left & right), **Chuche** and his sidekick **Chavo**, with some very special gifts at their graduation from the Universidad Pedagógica Nacional which produces some outstanding teachers (all received Education degrees). These guys, while being our ministry leaders, bible teachers, and prayer leaders have also been teaching at the local schools in our community for the last year - please pray for them as they hope to secure teaching jobs for the upcoming school year while balancing their ministry duties. They got LOTS of duties now! (LOL!)

ALSO, they wanted to send a huge shout out to ALL who supported them for the last 3 years with their tuition and daily expenses - they are forever grateful to our beloved back home!



YOU also took them out to an amazing Italian restaurant yesterday and blessed

them with a visit to the local theater - Chuche paid all of us (**YOU are a part** of this ministry) with this amazing compliment, actually made my wife and I tear up . . .

"I want to say thank you for everything you guys have done for me, since forever (12 years old) - I don't know what I would have done or ended up being if you guys were not by my side encouraging me and making sure I didn't go down the wrong path - I could have ended up like everyone else, a teen father with no future - thank you for never giving up on me and setting me on the right (God's) path. Thank you for taking care of me."

FROM the bottom of our hearts, thank you for keeping Chuche in your prayers all these years - we have seen all the ups and downs he has had to endure because of absent parents, and it is only by the grace of God we were able to stand beside him at his graduation.

He too was deeply saddened yesterday because only his mom showed up - Chavo was also upset because NO ONE (family) showed up . . . unbelievable.

Sometimes, all God asks of us is to step in and fill that role as a parent - that's what my wife and I have been doing for all these years for hundreds of kids.

God is good, God is love, God's timing is perfect, all the time . . . only He is faithful.

All of our love,

Walt y Maribel y Los Elegidos Bible Club

p.s. We are hoping and praying that our beloved back home can assist us with our initial (setup) 501c3 expenses (to date \$1025 dollars) - if this is something God leads you to do please let us know, we would be more than happy to provide links on where to give.

p.s.s. This is where we first met (photo below) as a unified group known as Los Elegidos Bible Club - the home of a grandmother of two of our kids at the time, February of 2015 - there were 12 chairs set up that day, and each one was filled - prior to that we were meeting "underground" during 2014

because the Christian ministry where we worked did NOT want us sharing the gospel much less the Word - God told us otherwise, and we remain obedient to His voice to this day - to Him be the glory!

