

"YOU WILL MAKE KNOWN TO ME THE PATH OF LIFE; IN YOUR PRESENCE IS FULLNESS OF JOY; IN YOUR RIGHT HAND THERE ARE PLEASURES FOREVER." PSALM 16:11

## GOALS FOR 2008

1. **EVANGELISM:** Putting God first by sharing the gospel in all we do. This year our goal is to see over 150,000 professions of faith and to place as many as possible in discipleship groups.
2. **CELL GROUPS:** To continue to work with, develop, and multiply cells across Central America and to seek the Holy Spirit's leading to disciple, train and send out those to share with others.
3. **LEADERSHIP TRAINING:** To provide leadership training for 5,000 new leaders while continuing to graduate leaders from Levels I, II, III, IV, and V.
4. **CHILDREN:** Through Operation Future to grow children's hope for a future by feeding, clothing, schooling them and seeing that they receive loving care from their families and communities. We are currently feeding up to 300 children and our goal for 2008 is to provide for up to 3,000 children daily.
5. **CHURCHES/ORGANIZATIONS:** To continue to build up the "army" of God by being catalyst to help lead churches, organizations and other leaders to be the very best they can be across Central America. Our goal is 500 new churches and organizations.
6. **PARTNERSHIPS:** To seek additional partnerships with churches and organizations to increase the Kingdom's work.
7. **EXPAND OEM:** To explore the opportunities that await us in Panama and El Salvador while continuing to support and expand our ministry in Nicaragua, Costa Rica, and Honduras.
8. **NEW MINISTRIES:** To develop and support new areas of ministry to reach different groups of people—businesses and government, sports camp, building and repairing homes, physicians ministry
9. **INTERNSHIPS:** To provide experiences for students and others who have a "call" for foreign missions. Those qualifying interns would spend 3 months to 1 year under the influence of OEM in Central America

These are certainly God sized goals and unattainable without God's leading and blessing.

We are also happy to announce that Pastor Reynaldo Valleallos has joined OEM. Pastor "Rey" will be given the duties of a zone pastor responsibilities for covering the areas of La Paz and Comayagua, Honduras and beyond. Pastor Rey joins Elmer Lopez and Dagoberto Lagos in Honduras, Eduardo Sanchez, Diomedas Santelis, Rigoberto Davila, and Pantaleon Mairena in Nicaragua and Pastor Edier Valverde in Costa Rica as OEM zone pastors.

These godly men are responsible for following thousands of churches, pastors, leaders and organizations across Central America and helping them grow through leadership, evangelism, cell groups and discipleship.

We are still seeking God's will in hiring one more zone pastor in Honduras and 2 more in Costa Rica in 2008.

Thank you for your support and prayers and as always we love you.

\*\*Arlene and I will be in the USA February 23–March 3 for a mission conference in South Carolina. We would love to hear from you at 865-256-1591.

**We need your prayers, your support, your presence on the mission field, and your partnership. May we all glorify the risen Savior in all that we say and do.**

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