



Chalks in Córdoba

Missionaries to

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“As my lord the king hath said, so will thy servant do.” — 1 Kings 2:38

Dear Partners and Friends,

G. Campbell Morgan wrote: “There is something infinitely better than doing a great thing for God, and the infinitely better thing is to be where God wants us to be, to do what God wants us to do, and to have no will apart from His.” Is that your desire today? At this stage in our lives and ministry we are less concerned with making headlines and more concerned with making headway toward heaven as we remain where God wants us to be, doing what He has given us to do. How about you?

We arrived in Tampa on September 8th and Hurricane Irma arrived right behind us. We collected Ann’s mom and sister and rode out the storm in a public shelter. The shelter was overcrowded, and we were the last ones admitted. Many people were praying and the storm that was predicted to be a direct hit on Tampa, veered East and Tampa received less damage than expected. We thank the Lord for that. Space will not allow us to tell you all that God did during the storm. Sufficient to say, God’s hand was evident upon us the whole time.

The storm took a week out of our time in the States and we were limited as to who we could visit. We do appreciate all those that we were able to see. A friend arranged a luncheon for Ann and invited some of the women she sang with in the choir 25 years ago at Bethel Temple. What a blessing!

While we were gone, the Red Box team continued to meet in our apartment for prayer and then continued the outreach in the plaza. Ann plans to expand her bread ministry by giving little hygiene bags containing a toothbrush, toothpaste and soap along with the bread and a tract. The city is making it more difficult for the homeless to sleep in the city-center, but they do come here to ask people for money. We are praying about what we can do to help lead them to Christ.

Jack’s book, *The Kind of Old Man I Want to Be*, is currently being translated into Spanish. February 10, 2018 he has been invited to conduct a seminar on the topic of aging and being a Spanish old man. Hopefully, the book will be translated by then.

Langham Literature, a division of Langham Partnership International, has asked him to do a peer review of a manuscript they are considering for publication. The subject matter of the book is African theology and African Traditional Religion of which Jack has first-hand knowledge from our time in Sierra Leone, and was the subject of Jack’s book that Langham published.

The Christmas season will soon be here. It is a festive time from mid-November to mid-January with a lot going on in the plazas. We are getting our Christmas leaflets ready, which will tell people the real reason for the season, pointing them to Jesus Christ whose birth we celebrate on Christmas; Who also suffered and died for our sins and rose again from the dead. Many of the people here do not know they can have a personal relationship with a living Christ.

Of course, we are looking forward to our visit to Aberdeen in November. Our schedule there is almost full already and we will be glad to see our friends there again.

As always, we appreciate your prayers and support so very much. You make it possible for us to be where God wants us to be and to do what God wants us to do.

Love in Christ,

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