Dear Pastors & Friends:

October 6, 2018

Instead of our regular prayer letter for October, we decided to send this message to ask for special prayer for our health.

A week ago today, I began to have severe abdominal pain and the intensity gradually increased during the day. About 6:30 in the afternoon, we decided to call our national pastor, Bro. Angel Torres, to pick us up and take us to the Emergency Room at the local hospital here in Guadalajara. By then I was running a fever and had nausea. After making several tests and a sonogram, I was taken up to the operating room around 11:00 p.m. into emergency surgery.

The diagnosis was "acute gangrenous appendicitis". Not many people my age (81) have appendicitis - but it happened! Praise the Lord there was no peritonitis and so thankful for a good hospital and having our daughter Joy close by (45 minutes) to help out during the hospital stay. Carolyn is enjoying good health and has been able to help me through it all. Please pray for my complete recuperation. I am doing some physical therapy now to help alleviate some of the symptoms of Parkinson's. Thanks for being there for us. We know you pray for us even though you didn't know what was happening at the moment.

In Christ, Lavon & Carolyn



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