

BAPTIST AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST

“WE ARE AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST.” II COR. 5:20

Dear Pastor & Friends:

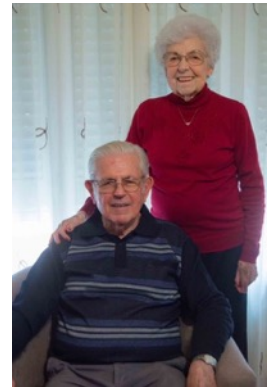
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As we write you this morning from Spain, we are in the middle of Semana Santa (otherwise known as Holy Week). Even after being in Spain for 47 years, we have never gotten used to the fact that these people who are educated, prosperous, up to the minute on technology etc. etc. - **how can they be so fanatical in their religious beliefs?** How can they continue to believe the false doctrine that they are taught from their childhood? Today many of them will be crying (literally) because it is raining hard and they will not be able to take the images (idols) out of the churches and march them in the processions. But do they practice their religion in their daily lives? No - it is not a religion of peace and contentment but rather of **fear and dread** if they don't go through the motions of what they are supposed to do during certain times of the year.

Spain will have national elections on April 28. There are five different parties and no doubt none of them will have a majority. We have everything from far left to far right. We ask you to pray for Spain - for their **political situation, their spiritual situation** and those of us who live and work among them that God will give us the wisdom we need to deal with them.

For the past three years around this time of the year, Carolyn has ended up in the hospital with fever, cough and last year it was pneumonia. A couple of weeks ago she had a slight fever and after spending three hours in the ER, she was able to return home. **That was definitely an answer to prayer!** She is my full-time nurse now, and I really needed her at home!



The church choir will be presenting an Easter cantata this coming **Sunday morning**. We have invited and prayed and trust God to give His special blessing to this event. Thanks to each one who responded to our plea for help with **camp repairs** in our last letter. Repairs are being done little by little.

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