

Weller Mission Update

The Marques Project - Lima, Peru - June 2006

"Expect great things from God, attempt great things for God" William Carey



Hello Friends,

First, let me thank you for your prayers and financial support! They have really made a difference and God has used them mightily to accomplish, His plans!

Last time I wrote. I was preparing to go back to Lima, Peru with the team from Pasadena Presbyterian Church of St. Petersburg, Florida. **They were an amazing team and we were able to get so much done on The Marques Project including getting the first floor roof on (a big job doing it the third world way) and getting some of the second floor walls up.** We also ministered at night in churches and took the team into the elementary schools in the area. **We saw hundreds give their hearts to the Lord. Praise God!**

As you can see in the picture on the right, The Santillian Family has moved out of the cardboard shack and are now living in a downstairs area of the church building. Although, it has taken longer than expected, they are finally in a home with a real cement floor, real roof and real walls. We're praying that in the next month or so they will be able to move upstairs where they can settle into an actual apartment.



Now, I want to update you on The Marques Project. Hector Del Carpio our Peruvian brother and missionary remained in Lima to oversee the construction project and to minister in the area. **When I spoke to Hector a few weeks ago, we had only a few hundred dollars in The Marques Project fund.** We decided to finish the walls with those funds and prayed for God's provision to continue. God is so good! **A day later, I received an e-mail from Pasadena Presbyterian Church saying they were sending another offering toward the project.** We just received their generous offering which gives us almost enough to put the second floor roof on. When I spoke to Hector a few days ago, he informed me that the second floor walls are done (see the picture above). **We now need about \$2,500 to complete the second floor roof. If God touches your heart to help, it would be greatly appreciated! We hope to get the roof on before our Cross Street Youth Mission Team arrives on June 25.** If the roof is complete, the team will begin constructing the walls on the third floor (the mission training center) during their second week in Peru. We are praying for provision for the materials for the third floor as well!

It is such a blessing to be a part of what God is doing in the midst of all the poverty, violence and drugs found in Marques. This ministry center is and will be a place where people can come to receive Eternal Life, be taught the Christian way and helped with the other necessities of life. We hope to soon bring in our first medical team with help from the Children's Hospital of Lima and to then set up monthly clinics in all the new church buildings with help from the doctors of Lima.

We are honored that you have partnered with us not only in our mission work in Peru but in the other places God sends us as, His ambassadors. Please keep us in prayer this summer as we return to Peru in June. Anne and JJ will be accompanying me on this trip.

In His love and service,



The Santillian Family on laundry day in Marques (Lima, Peru)

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