



# On the Wings of Prayer

“Because thou hast been my help,  
therefore in the shadow of thy wings  
will I rejoice:” Psalm 63:7

## A Sure Investment for Uncertain Times

*Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: Matt 6:19-20*

In our times of financial uncertainty there is one investment that is sure. That is our investment in the Lord's work. A balanced portfolio includes investing the Gospel Message in four areas, our Jerusalem, our Judea, our Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

God's promise to us includes peace of heart as we invest in eternity for he says it is guaranteed against loss and “where your treasure is there will your heart be also”.

Thank You for your investment in world evangelization. It is by far, the best investment you can make. Considering the value, return, and security of your investment there is nothing in this world that can compare. On the authority of God's Word, I encourage you to do more, you won't regret it.

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- **Daniel and Tammy Coates (Guatemala)** report God's blessings on their VBS in November 2012. There was an average attendance of seventy-five with eighteen accepting Christ as their Savior. There were three church members who read through their Bible in 2012.
- **Leslie and Alba Priday (Honduras)** report good attendance at their youth rally. There were four churches who participated with sixty youth present in the meeting. They have been training their workers to help in different ministries like VBS and youth camp. Please be in prayer for their upcoming Ladies Conference and Youth Camp.

- **Darrain and Mari Coker (Mexico)** Request prayer for their Bible study groups. The Coker's are seeking God's direction in the best location to begin a church. Please be in prayer with them about this.
- **Daniel and Michelle Jones (Mexico/Rio Grande Valley)** The work has grown to thirty-seven in attendance over the past two months. They have had several come Christ already. The Jones' have started a discipleship class for their new converts.
- **True and Diana Hawkins (Brazil)** Due to the heavy rains, the construction work has been delayed on church buildings and preaching points. The work continues to grow as the institute graduates go forth starting new works. Please continue to pray as the Hawkins' work to reach multitudes who live in remote areas in the jungle and along the river.
- **Harold and Lena Priday (Honduras)** report over 175 in attendance in the VBS. They had several trust Christ as Savior. Please be in prayer for their upcoming Ladies Conference and Youth Camp.

*“He must increase, but I must decrease.”*  
*John the Baptist*