

## Hodges Joseph & Abigail July 2023 in Honduras

Dear Friends and Church Family,

July was a ministry-filled month! At an afternoon Bible Club, while praying with Abbi, <u>Jonathan and Melissa trusted Christ for salvation.</u> Pray that they'll be baptized soon. Abbi's pregnancy is going well; her due date is November.

Also pray for the salvation of <u>Carla, Diana, Paula #2 Antonio,</u> <u>Jonathan, Noel, Nancy, Rosario, Gladys, and Juan Carlos</u>, whom Abbi and I witnessed to this month.

On the bus ride home one Sunday, Jorje, age 10, (pictured below) had a handful of over 50 tracts. "What are you doing with those?" I asked. He replied, "I'm going to pass them all out this week!" Praise God for compassionate children.



Johnny, age 10, (pictured right) started riding our bus a few weeks ago. He got saved and baptized within 3 weeks of coming, and the first question he asked me when I saw him afterwards was, "Now how can I start serving the church? What is my ministry going to be?" He is now being trained on how to lead a soul to Christ.







Over 30 teens came to youth group. I preached (pictured above right) on the need for full-time ministry laborers, and how every person is called to either be a pastor, or to help a pastor. Many teens confirmed decisions for full-time ministry.





Our church plant in the capital city is going well. A teen boy named Lean got saved with one of our American school teachers, and will be baptized soon.

We continue to train the 9 young men in our Bible college, and who knows if God might call one of them as the next pastor. They all take turns helping with the weekly services.

Thank you for your prayers and support this month!

-Joseph & Abbi Hodges

\*\*\*Also, please PRAY for Moises Zelaya, one of our assistant pastors. He has been having problems with his blood platelets, and doctors are thinking it could be cancer. PLEASE pray for a miracle and for full healing and recovery.\*\*\*

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