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PRAYER & PRAISE

- The many details of the CAM Guate Fellowship Conference in Spring 2006 which we lead.
- A Pastoral Care trip to Mexico this Fall.
- Long-term health care for Dianne's mother..
- God's continued ministry guidance here in Guatemala.

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**Rio Hondo
Family Camp**

Thank you for your friendship and continued support!

Wendell and Dianne

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WORK TEAMS

Though our primary role here in Guatemala is Pastoral Care, we have had the joy to work with teams from the States. Dianne returned from Dallas June 2 and we haven't stopped long to catch our breaths.



We had a great week in July in Rio Hondo with the Northwest Bible Church team. The Rio Hondo Family Camp was HOT – not only in sweltering temperatures but in ministry, fun and activity! The week was a highlight for us – having the joy of working with friends from Dallas and with the wonderful people of Rio Hondo, Guatemala.



Northwest Bible Church Team

A week after the Rio Hondo team returned to Dallas, we welcomed the Visalia, California team – several of whom were here in January 2005. The week was truly a working mission's exposure with a variety of opportunities including construction, examining and handing out reading glasses and shoes, visiting new ministries and even a little afternoon coffee break for the ladies with some Mayan women.



Visalia, California Team



Ladies coffee break

We are looking forward to another team from Dallas in September who have been here several times. We will be working in the village of Yalu to help complete a community and feeding center that could service about 400 families over time.

PASTORAL CARE

In June, we took a trip to Nicaragua to visit two CAM missionary families. The two-day bus trip as well as the over-night stay in El Salvador were both new adventures for us. We spent 3 days and nights in Managua and enjoyed the rich fellowship with new friends.

There are many opportunities to care for our fellow missionaries, not only CAM people but others as the Lord brings us together. Because of the nature of this confidential ministry, we are unable to share much with you. Let it suffice to say that missionaries are ordinary people with needs and struggles much like everyone else. At times the struggles can be compounded because of the stress of living in a foreign country regardless of how long or how brief the missionary has been here. Everyone needs the support of a friend to come along side them at various times of life.

FAMILY

Our son, Wayne, visited us in August. It was a wonderful time of fun as well as “catching up” on things. Now all three sons have visited us in Guatemala.



DREAMS IN THE FUTURE

- A women's conference in Guatemala for missionaries and one for Guatemalan women.
- A work project or family camp benefitting disabled children.
- A way to reach and teach the youth of Guatemala for Christ and how to become independent through education.

