## **Native Americans**

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Dear Pastors and Friends,

A lot has transpired since you heard from us. I apologize for the lateness of this letter.

Our VBS in July had a high of 107 in attendance. It was a real blessing to see a good number of adults, teenagers and children. College Heights Baptist Church came from Farmington, NM and some students from Heartland Baptist College came out to help. We appreciate the great job they did. The time and effort is already developing in the lives of people.

In August, we had a couple to hold a teacher training session with our people. This was to encourage and inspire our teachers and recruit new ones to step out and serve the Lord with the gifts and talents the Lord has gifted them with.

Valerie and Ernest are our latest graduates from our FBI class. We look forward to a new semester of learning and studying God's Word. Pastor Josh will be stepping in as the new Director for the upcoming year.

Our church honored Ted and I in September with a special service serving our Lord for 44 years. It was a precious time of testimonials from fellow missionaries, friends and our church family.

October was Mission Month. Pastor Corley from College Hgts Baptist Church challenged our people to step out by faith in their missions giving. It's our desire to increase our missionaries to reach the Gospel around the world.

This Sunday is Round Up Sunday at church. Perhaps we can round up some strays and invest in some new stock. The heart beat of every church should be a strong missions program and an evangelistic outreach in the community. We have had a host of new visitors over the past several months with one addition to the church. We are seeing growth and new faces every Sunday. God is at work.

Lastly, our former Missionary Pastor Ted; my husband has been showing rapid signs of decline in his health. We covet your prayers on our behalf as a family for the coming days. It is my desire to remain here serving the Lord; playing the piano, teaching and visiting as God allows. I am seeking God's ultimate plan in and through it all.

You all have been faithful to our ministry over the years. We have seen souls saved and added to your account. One day you will see those lives you have invested in. Words cannot express enough your faithfulness with your prayers and financial giving over these many years. God bless you all.