

# mosaic ministry



Independence Day Celebration at Zane & Vanessa's school - Our first week in Mexico.

## Our trip down to Guadalajara, Mexico and settling into our new culture

Castle Rock, Colorado  
→ 2 1/2 days +  
17 toll plazas + 1748 miles  
= Guadalajara, Mexico!

We headed out of Castle Rock on September 3rd just after noon. We made it to El Paso late that night and got a good night's sleep. We headed out early the next morning praying on our way to the border and all the way through it. Thank you Lord for all of the people praying for us; we had green lights

all the way through. The process took about three hours and we were on our way. We made it to Torreón, Coahuila that evening (late) and spent the night. The next afternoon we were on track to hit Guadalajara by 6:00 p.m., until the front wheel bearings on our Volkswagen (that we were towing) started smoking and screeching. Praise God, we were only outside Zacatecas (a larger city) about 10 miles. So, we limped back into town at about 15 mph. We found a mechanic, waited

for the repairs, ate tacos and were on our way. At 11:30 p.m. we arrived at Jer and Kelley Frey's house in Guadalajara. Thank you Jesus for your protection. (cont'd page 2)

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**Praise reports:** Safe arrival into Mexico, finding a house near the kids' school and our outreach in El Coli, sale of our vehicle in the U.S. (we still need to sell our Suburban), Zane & Vanessa's school here is a blessing and most of all God's protection and provision daily. - Thank you for your earnest prayer



## Vanessa's Elective Class

Every Friday at Zane & Vanessa's school they have an elective class. Zane chose soccer, ( a great way to meet friends). Vanessa chose "mission impossible"; sometimes they walk near

the school and pray for all of the homes and businesses and other days they do community service such as picking up trash. Last Friday they went to an orphanage, Vanessa loved it. Her class arrived as the kids were coming home from school. They visited with the orphans while they

ate lunch and then helped with kitchen duty. Vanessa's teacher goes twice a week to the orphanage after school, Vanessa is already making plans to go with her on a regular basis. She said she felt like she was right where she needed to be. The Lord has truly given her a heart for these little ones.

**Psalm 78:4** "We will not hide them from their children, we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, His power and the wonders He has done.

### Settling in cont'd:

Within a week, we found a house and got our children into school. The transition was very quick. We would take the kids to school then come back home and work on the house. It needed some repairs and cleaning before we could settle in too much. It had been neglected for some time.



Gratefully, Lad is very handy around the house in many areas; electrical, plumbing and carpentry. We moved into ministry very quickly so settling in was a little by little process. We are almost done with any work needed and are feeling more at home all of the time.

Please be praying for the El Coli area →→➡

## Awana (Oansa)

The Awana (Oansa) Club started for the season in September. We started off with a "Torneo de Futbol" thats "soccer tournament" for all of you gringos. Anyway it was a big success with all of the kids competing in world cup style soccer. The final was USA vs Mexico. Of course the kids on Team Mexico did not let their country down, it was a close victory.



We have had a great time getting to know the kids, they seem to be warming up to us nicely. We are finding our place within this incredible ministry. Our average attendance is 22 kids, each one is eager to come play the games and do scripture memorization and book time. They blow us away and we look forward to seeing their smiling faces each week. Please check out our website for lots of new pictures from the Oansa club meetings. [www.mosaicministry.net](http://www.mosaicministry.net)

Jer and Kelley have been great leaders for us. We are so grateful to be partnered with a couple that loves ministry so much. They are truly amazing and it is a privilege to be serving and working with them.



## Prayer Requests:

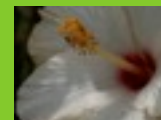
Continued transition especially with cultural changes, Wed. & Sun. Childrens Ministry at New Creation Church (the church plant from the Oansa Club), language acquisition for the entire family, spiritual freedom and open ears, minds and hearts in the El Coli area and financial support partners for Mosaic Ministry.



### Lad's joke of the month:

Why do Mexican dogs sleep all day? So they can bark all night long! :)

### Support:



We are still in need of financial support partners, if you are interested please

send support to NCF, with Mosaic Ministry in the memo, all donations are tax deductible. Send checks to:

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