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The BONIKOWSKYS

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Preaching Jesus Christ in the Basque Region of Spain

We are back in the Basque region again and our four-month furlough is now just a wonderful memory. We look back on our fourth reporting trip back to the USA as one of the most exciting family times we've ever had. In our last letter we focused on some important prayer requests. This time our hearts are so full of praise to the Lord for His goodness that we want to give the whole page to thanking and praising Him for His rich grace.

Special surprises

Over and over again the Lord sent us Jeremiah 33:3 surprises! You may know and remember some of them from previous letters or 1001WORDS email mailings. Here are a few in bullet form: Astro van for our travels, \$1,000 offering, 1800cc motorcycle ride, tour of San Francisco, DVBS gift, Yosemite Park, special services for us, fun with Aunt Debbie, the Martin's exciting farm, tubing & water skiing, etc... Behind each of these (and many more not listed) are friends and churches who outdid themselves to show us love and appreciation. To them and the Lord we say, THANK YOU!

Gratitude and Praise

Co-workers

How grateful we are for our coworkers, Juan and Tete Alvarez and their children. Their faithfulness in tending the flock back on the field allowed us to enjoy our Stateside ministry without the least bit of worry. Now they are back home on their furlough and we get to return the favor!

Home church

It is pure pleasure to walk into the Berean Baptist Church lobby! Pastor and Mrs. Sweatt, each of the staff, and more friends than we can name make us feel welcome and at home. We can only enjoy about four services in four years, so when we go, we drink in every bit of the excellent preaching, beautiful music, and tender friendship. Thank you, dear Berean family!

New church

It is our privilege to now be a part of the Hampton Park Baptist church missionary family. We praise the Lord for this new supporting church.

Hospitality

Wherever we traveled we enjoyed the wonderful hospitality of friends. Thank each of you for the innumerable comfortable sleeping arrangements and delicious meals.

And when we are in Greenville? Our lifelong friends at Calvary Baptist Church adopt us as one of their own. I guess we're just about the most privileged missionary family in the world!

Offerings

Every church was generous and some even extremely so. We thank each church family for offerings that covered all of our traveling expenses and helped us put the children in a Christian school for three months.

Thank you LORD!

Our daily prayer: "Dear Lord of the harvest, please send more labourers to this part of your field."

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