

JOHN & WANDA CASIAS JAN. – FEB. 2009

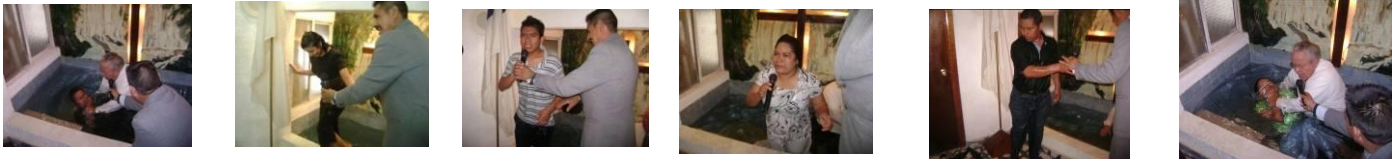
Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We have been blessed and very busy in soul-winning, discipling and with the missions. God has been good to us and has blessed us and our works with many souls.

VISIT OUR WEB-SITE

We apologize that for the past several years our web-site has been inactive. It's because we are computer illiterate, (*saying it in a nice way*). Please visit our web-site constantly because one of our sons in California is posting information continually. He is enjoying posting and bringing it up to date and is doing a great job! Please take the time to visit the site for more detailed information: www.casias.org . You will also be able to download our reports and other information. If in the past you have visited our work, will you please let us know about your visit on the bottom of the Home Page "Our guest book"? We would love to hear from you and get feedback. At the same time, it can help other groups get more familiar with our work before they come. Gracias!

TOO SCARED TO VISIT MEXICO?

We don't blame you. Every day the USA is being bombarded with scary news like: "Drug gang disposes of more than 300 bodies using corrosive chemicals. Just yesterday Wanda and I were returning from McAllen after renewing our permits. We were delayed for almost 3 hours in mega traffic caused by the Mexican military fighting the drug cartel. One of our church members called while we were being delayed; then a few hours later he called us again to see if we were alright. It was then that he told us that it was reported that 10 were killed and over 20 hospitalized. However, we refuse to live our lives controlled by wicked hoodlums. We must trust in the Lord; and, that is what Wanda and I do: Psalm 34:4 "*I sought the LORD, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears*"; I-John. 4:4 "*Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is He that is in you, than he that is in the world*". If you want to visit, but feel uneasy about coming, we can meet you at the border and lead you into the Republic of Mexico.



6 BAPTISMS this week AND MORE ON THE WAY NEXT WEEK

THE LORD KEEPS BLESING

We had six baptized a couple of weeks ago and another couple join the church, as well as three additions to the choir. And our Saturday night prayer meeting has increased from two, Wanda and me, to 27 last Saturday night. God knows how to encourage His children.

WONDERFUL VISIT

We were greatly blessed in February with a group visiting from Woodin Valley Baptist Church in Woodinville, WA. We appreciate Pastor Farinella for sending us such godly representatives. These dear folks worked on the church building in El Cercado for two very hard days and accomplished a great deal in the short time that they could be here. Thanks to Richard, Tim, Christie, Scott, Christy, Sully, and Mike for your hard work and sweet spirit. Thanks, too, to Pastor Rick Wilder, who worked on several projects, including plumbing, as well as preaching. We are praising the Lord for these folks and for their love for the Lord, for the lost around the world and for missionaries. Thank you!

**Love in Christ,
John & Wanda**

Thank you for your prayers and love gifts.

To see Wanda's Two Bits and a more detailed report, please log on to: www.casias.org