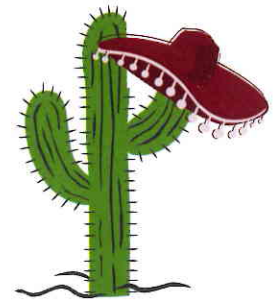


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Greetings from Cactus County.

Welcome to Mexico - don't drink the water!

Allow me to introduce one of the star Christians in our church. Her name is Genesis. She's a 20 year-old single mom of an eight-month-old girl. While she was still pregnant, she went to youth camp with all the teens from church and made a profession of faith. Satan began his attacks and she fell away from church, and caused lots of problems with Sharon and me, and with the church folks. Five months ago she truly repented and came to us to apologize and has changed so much that I had the privilege of baptizing her on the 19th. Sharon has had Bible studies with her for many months, and she has grown spiritually by leaps and bounds. Now she has started her new position as teacher of the preschool class in Sunday School. The kids love her. I hope her zeal will rub off onto others in the church. I also baptized my seven year-old son, Walker. We are so proud of him.



Out of the Mouths of Parents

Why is it that Walker, who likes to get dirty playing in the mud, insists on eating cheese-puffs with a fork to keep from getting his hands dirty?

Out of the Mouths of Babes

"Daddy, can you fix me a chocolate chip omelet?"

Coby overheard Sharon say something about someone who has breast cancer. Later Coby asked, "Daddy, what's breast cancer?"



Callie had a birthday on the 13th. She turned double digits, 06. We all went out for a birthday breakfast, then Sharon baked a huge birthday cookie the size of a pizza. Yummy!

Paint a Picture with Words

Allow me to paint a picture of our city with words. You could drive from one end of the city to the other in ten minutes. It's a dessert, humid and hot. All houses have flat roofs, with protection bars on all windows and doors. No one has grass because no one has a yard. All of the houses are side-by-side. Kids play in the street, because that's the only place to play. Most streets are of dirt, very bumpy, and sometimes impassable when it rains. Almost everyone owns a dog, and many own chickens. Streets, sidewalks, cars and houses are always covered in dust until it rains. Most street-signs are faded and unreadable. For whatever reason, many intersections have traffic lights and stop signs at the same intersection. If I have a green light, what am I to do? I was behind a police car the other day, it had no license plate, a broken windshield, and a piece of coat hanger either holding it's trunk closed or keeping it's bumper from falling off. The car was full of dents and the letters were faded and unreadable. I love this place!!

The other morning as Sharon and I were out for our morning walk to exercise, a man ran past us dropping a chainsaw on the ground. A truck was chasing him. He stole it from the man. The man jumped over someone's fence, ran into their house and hid. Everybody from the neighborhood guarded the streets to prevent his escape until the police got there.

They cuffed him and carried him away. Now that's the way to start the day!! It's good to know the neighbors protect the streets in our neighborhood.



Coby was practicing throwing the baseball because he wants to be a pitcher. Using chalk, he drew this on the concrete wall to practice. What an imagination!

Thank you all for your prayers, encouragement and support. Your servants to Mexico, Jimmy, Sharon, Coby, Walker and Callie Watson watsonsw@wwntbm.com Vonage phone 704-470-4907

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