

Hello Friends of Gabriel House,

The Boys are back!

Angel has decided to pursue his ministry in helping the handicapped of Mexico obtain mobility. Angel's God given gift of being able to design and engineer conveyances for the disabled is truly unique and marvelous. We at Gabriel House wish he and his family the best God has for them. Please join us in praying for the success of his ministry and that God will manifest Himself to Angel and his family; daily conforming them more and more to the image of Christ Jesus.

With these changes we decided to move the boys back to the Maneadero and the Lord has blessed us with a wonderful house for the boys from the learning center.

We have made our faithful brother in the Lord, Ivan, the supervisor of the Learning Center. Ivan has been with us for about 13 years. He is very capable and a great blessing and he really knows how to handle the boys.

The boys arrived smiling and laughing last week and anxious to explore their new digs. The new Learning Center house has two stories, five bedrooms, two baths and a three car garage big enough to ride their hand-crank bicycle. It has a huge front porch where the boys can freely roll their chairs out and watch the world go by.

We enlisted the help of several brothers from our church to help and they were able to move the boys in two days. Brother Dave Johnson from San Vicente who has a great ministry of helps, evangelism and a mobile dental unit also came with his truck and made two trips south to carry all manner of stuff. Thanks, Dave!

We also have had to beef up our staff and the discipleship program for men at our church, Iglesia Bethesda, in Ensenada is volunteering their time to come and help with the boys.

Thanks to Angel Baeza Silva, his wife Rachel and his children Iris and Moses many of the boys now use the toilet on their own. They remember to pray before meals and thank God for their blessings. The time and love Angel and his family given the boys is truly evident in their good manners and independence.

On this Thursday I go in at 8 in the morning for surgery on my knee. The doctor says it will take a total of three hours from start to walking (with a walker) out the door. I will need a week of recovery then I get my stitches out and I will be back on track. I am so looking forward to being

able to walk without stiffness, pain and swelling in my left knee. I have gained some weight that I intend to lose as soon as I am able to walk.

Ted and I are getting our second winds. Ted has lost nearly eighty pounds and is doing wonderfully. He walks every day and lifts weights. He no longer needs a CPAP machine to help him breathe at night and he no longer uses an electric chair to get around. He still walks with a wobbly gate due to the Charcot-Marie-Tooth but we are trusting God for the healing of that.

We believe the Word which says, "But those who wait on Jehovah shall renew their strength; they shall mount up *with* wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint. Isaiah 40:31

Keep us in your prayers and stay tuned for further wonderful developments.

God bless you in the mighty name of Jesus,

Ted and Renie and the munchkins
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