



The Trask Family

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Dear Praying Friends & Supporters;

2 Corinthians 9:8 And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:

What a wonderful promise we have in these words, that no matter what may come our way, if we are serving God, He will give us the grace to accomplish whatever task it is that is before us. I like it that it does not give a promise of just barely getting by. Instead; it says that we "may abound to every good work". I don't mind just getting by in a lot of things, but in the work of God I like being able to do more than I thought I was able to do. Part of my responsibilities here includes keeping the kids active. We have done quite a bit of bike riding all over the area. We also have started playing baseball some. All we have to do is go to a field and start playing catch and hitting the ball and after about twenty or thirty minutes there are anywhere from five to fifteen kids and teens out playing with us, it's fun. Of course as a result one ball and Levi's glove have been "lost", but that is the price of fun. Here in town when we finish playing we give everyone a tract and as best we can invite them to church. I have noticed in playing that some of the ground balls are harder to get than others. After careful examination I have found to my surprise that I am not as limber as I used to be. (Imagine that!) So I have started trying to do some stretches and warm-ups as we get started, so I don't pull something, and so I can play better. I wonder if some of the difficulties we go through sometimes are not God just putting us through some stretches to get us limbered up so we can "abound" better, or maybe, what we have is sufficient (all sufficiency) we just need to start using it.

You would think that after an introduction like that, we have been going through some great trials. Actually, we are having a wonderful time here. Spanish classes are the biggest thing that is "stretching" us out a bit, and most of that is just mental fatigue from trying to take in so much information. Our teacher, Miss Angelica, described it wonderfully when she said, our mind is like a sponge, and sometimes you have to squeeze it to get more in. She is doing her best to gently squeeze for now, but I am sure in a little while she will put "The Big Squeeze" on us. The first of August, we had the privilege to go to Atlacomulco and attend a conference for missionaries and pastors. It was hosted by a church that Bro. Fred Kindhart started over twenty years ago. We were able to visit with Bro. Kindhart and also Bro. James Jones, from Harriman, TN, and were very encouraged by the messages during the week.

Other than going to Atlacomulco, we have been busy this month trying to get into a rhythm or schedule as best we can. Sundays and Wednesdays I run the truck to a pueblo about fifteen miles away, to pick up folks for church. On these trips our seven-seater never has less than eight, and has had up to nine adults or teens, **and** four kids! I hate our vehicle is so small, because there are several others who would like to come but will not fit. They have worked it out that some come in the morning and stay the afternoon in town, so others can come in the evening. Depending on how many sometimes getting them home is interesting, but they seem to enjoy it for now. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, we leave the house at 8:15 for Spanish class. The kids stay with Miss Nicole and have school here at the house. Mondays are busy, because, when we get home around 1:00, we eat and go to the open market to get our produce for the week. Tuesday is homework, study, yard work, and baseball day! Thursday and Fridays we have visitation at 5:00 and on Saturday we have 11:00 visitation, 5:00 youth meeting, 6:30 choir practice. Not a bad week when you throw in a few hours of Spanish study, and finding someone to practice Spanish on. At this time, singing, playing the piano, leading the choir, going on visitation, and handing out tracts, are about the only ministry things we can do right now with our limited Spanish. Please continue to pray for us as we try to learn and improve to do more and more as quickly as possible. Thank you so much for your continued prayers. I would expect that some challenging days are not too far ahead of us. As you pray for us, please pray that we might rest in the sufficiency that God has promised He is able to provide, and that we may abound in the work He has for us.

In His service
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Gene, Robin, and the kids