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Greetings,

God is good all the time and He is worthy of all our praise.

We are blessed to be in the work of God, our ministry in the town of San Jose is doing well. We are going soul winning and visitations regularly, we gather children and teach them the word of God. We share the gospel and we have seen people accepting Jesus Christ as their savior. We are grateful for the opportunity to minister to the people and share the word of God to the lost souls. But we have not established a regular Sunday worship services yet, we do not have a mission house, we just travel regularly from our home in Tarlac city. Our problem is the financial support that I receive is not enough for our monthly expenses, I could not afford to pay a monthly rent for a house in San Jose. I am thankful for the money that you give to us, but since the pandemic began some of our partners in the ministry were not able to send money anymore. To cover for our needs, I took a day job in a construction site. My older brother who is a licensed engineer has a building project and he offered me a job. I work from Monday to Friday painting a house and other facilities, then we spend the Saturday and Sunday for the ministry. But I was about to receive a blessing. The owner of the place that I am working in offered me to have my own business, he is a faithful Christian and very supportive to pastors and their ministries. He is a dealer of water filtration machines and other supplies and he wanted to open a branch in Nueva Vizcaya, in the province that I first planned to start my mission work. He gave me the opportunity to start this branch without paying anything, I will get all the supplies and machines and the house that we will be staying. I only require to pay back when I started to make profit from this business. The best thing about this is that I can manage my own time compare to being employed. The regular working hours in my previous job is 8 hours per day for a 5 days' work, leaving me Saturday and Sunday for the ministry. Now I can have more time for the ministry even on weekdays because I don't have an employer, I will just have to organize the system of disposing all the supplies from our business. It is a big help for us because we will get an additional income for our family and the ministry. It is necessary for me to find other source of finances because going back to America to do deputation is still uncertain. I will plan to go to the US in the next two or three years when travel restrictions have ceased and US visa application is back to normal. Our best option this time is to go ahead and move to a new mission field in Nueva Vizcaya but we will have to leave our ministry in San Jose. I traveled there last week to see the house that we are going to stay in, it is in the town of Solano. The landlord has affirmed that the house is ready for occupancy and that he already received an advance rental payment for the first month. Now we settle everything and we are planning to move there on the second week of this month. Solano is a 1st class municipality with 65,287 population and 22 barangays (villages). Our ministry is still the same, to establish a church and share the gospel of salvation to the people. I believe that the Lord led me back to Nueva Vizcaya because this is the place that I planned to start my mission before. I hope and pray that you will understand my situation and that we will continue on working together in reaching the lost and bring them to the Lord Jesus Christ.

God bless us all,

Jeffrey Salvador