

Dear Friends,

"Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus."

(Philippians 3:13b and 14)

These noble words, penned by the Apostle Paul, depict a marathon runner, alone, striving for the prize. Yet, in Chapter 4, verse 10, he expresses his gratitude in the Lord for the missionary offerings sent to him from the Philippian believers. Paul could not run the race alone. It is a team effort.

## COOPERATION

My little girls sing a song, "Cooperation makes it happen". We want to dedicate our March newsletter to all of you who make up our support team. You are "making it happen!"

First of all we want to honor Dave and Betty Shirey, for opening their home to our family for the past four months. They have made it possible for us to financially afford to do our deputation.

We want to thank all of you who are praying for us, who have written letters of encouragement, and shown us hospitality on the road. "Hats off" to all who have given technical assistance... especially David Paul for working on our sound track...Eric Hyne for graphics...and the GME staff.



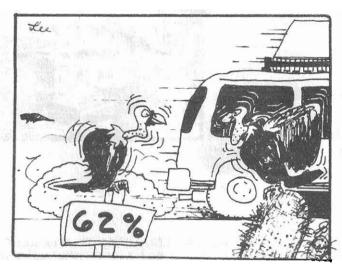
BETTY AND DAVE SHIREY

Thanks to the local churches and individuals who make up our monthly support partners, and those who have given financial gifts and equipment. To all of you who are making it possible for us to press on toward our goal (MEXICO!!!). Thank you and God bless you for being a part of this joint venture.



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## THE HOW FAR SIDE



BUZZ, LOOKS LIKE MEAL ON WHEELS WON'T BE STOPPING HERE.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

The Vehicle Account has received 11% toward the pay-off, which leaves \$10,147, outstanding. There is no auto insurance in Mexico, which will pay for loss of a vehicle, so we have been advised to pay it off.

As of 2-2-88 approximately 62% of our monthly support has been pledged. We have also received verbal commitments from some pastors. We do not include these until the pledge form is received by our Mission Board. We plan to be leaving for Mexico in April - so Team, let's get in those pledge forms!

## I HAD A DREAM...

Recently in a dream I heard these words:

"It is not that we are able Christians... but it is Christ that enables us!"

Amen to that.

In His Service,

Lee, Carol, gosh, AMY & Sarah

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