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> **Build It And They Will Come**



Pastors and ministry leaders from across the Republic of Mexico.

I was praying on the roof top of our center in Mezcales in the cool of the evening around the midnight hour in 2014, under a canopy of brightly shinning stars. It was then that the Lord spoke to me and told me to build an open pavilion on this roof top and He would bring pastors from all of Mexico to be refreshed, energized & reactivated for His service. It was not an easy assignment, our finances were stretched and my wife who paid our bills asked me, "Please don't build, I don't know if we can afford to do this." I told Carol, "I know it's difficult but I feel that I must build and obey the word of Lord. If this is His will then He will pay for it. Therefore, we stepped-out once again by faith and God provided for His project."

During the pandemic, once restrictions began to ease up; we gathered 70 of our Vida pastors and ministry leaders with only a week's notice. They came from as far as Mexico City, Tulancingo and Guadalajara to our Mezcales facility where we gathered in meetings on the roof top. We could see the vision God gave us begin to unfold. We recently hosted an Apostolic Congress to encourage 40 pastors devastated from the pandemic who came from the North, South, East and West. They came from coast to coast and border to border. Most of them were poor pastors who normally could not afford to travel. These economically challenged pastors are accustomed to sleeping on dusty concrete floors, as I have done many times over my 35 years of missionary service.

LSMI reimbursed a portion of their travel expense and provided comfortable cots and delicious Mexican cuisine. The ladies slept in our air condition area. Most importantly they were spiritually uplifted and revitalized. The theme of the conference was the ministry of the Holy Spirit, taught by Pastor Kevin McAnulty, Jorge Carrillo and Yours Truly. We were told it exceeded all of their expectations. It's hard to describe the



One of the cooking teams we organized among the visiting ministry leaders.



Tears flowed as hearts were healed.

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holy presence that we experienced during our three day Holy Spirit conference. Thanks for your prayers. We are planning to make this an annual outreach to pastors countrywide & continue ministry in our local community settings. Please keep us in your prayers that God's will be done and these Pastors, children and communities will continue to be blessed.

Together we are witnessing Changed Lives through Christ! Together we are Vida International/LSMI,

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PS: \$1,800 in matching funds has been pledged to feed the poor. If you feel led to match funds, please note it on the memo of your check!

## Please pray:

For LSMI/VIDA ministries wisdom, protection, provision & expansion in carrying out the Great Commission.

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Mezcales, Mexico



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