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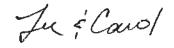
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God works through dreams and visions. Many times, we pass through a painful process to bring them to fruition; the vision, the death of a vision, then the resurrection of the dream that died. It is a journey through a scorching wilderness of tedious tasks and setbacks, believing that one day we will enter the Promised Land. I had a dream while attending Liberty Bible College in 1983. I was in Dean Dr. Bob Thomas 's office, and he conferred upon me a doctorate degree. This dream hit me like a ton of bricks. I told Dr. Thomas about the dream and he said that one day they hoped to offer doctorates at Liberty. In 1989 Liberty Theological Seminary began. We were already serving on the field as missionaries in Mexico. I enrolled in the distance learning program and completed several courses before our lives were so turbulent that we lived many years in survival mode only. We passed from lawsuits, death threats to bullets flying and finally deportation. It was quite a ride. Landing in Texas we began a church in Houston and at the same time expanded our missionary efforts to 21 countries helping to train leaders through our Video Bible Institute. The years flew by and I felt it was more important to invest my time in my family then to add one more thing to my very busy schedule.

In April of 2010, at the funeral of Dr. Frank Longino, the president of Liberty Theological Seminary; the Holy Spirit expressly spoke to me as I wept his passing to complete the doctorate program; a most unlikely word at what appeared to be the death of a struggling Seminary. I trusted and obeyed this peculiar word. Over the next few years I completed my studies and the laborious task of writing a dissertation. Thirty years after the dream, I was awarded the Doctor of Theology diploma on March 28, 2014. Praise the Lord! He is faithful to complete what he promises to do. Pray with us that effectual doors of ministry will swing wide open as we are laying hold of Him for that which he laid a hold of us. Never give up on your God given dreams even under the most difficult and unlikely circumstances. God wants to show Himself strong and receive the glory for keeping his promises for the furtherance of his gospel and the advancement of his kingdom. All you have to do is never give up!

Together we are Life Savers, in the Dominican Republic, Mexico and beyond!







All field photos, church plant & children's center Dominican Republic

# Say a Prayer...

- Pray for exponential growth for our video Bible school, Vida Internacional; making disciples and equipping leaders throughout the Spanish speaking world!
- Pray for those working with us in the Dominican Republic, Mexico & around the world, that God will continue to lead and provide.
- Pray for the children we minister to, that they will grow up to be lovers of God.
- 4. Pray for our safety, health and provision.

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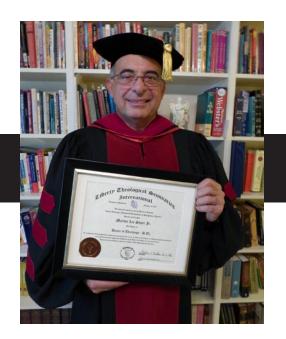
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