

*Pray for us, that the Word of the Lord
may have free course in Mexico.*

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Dear Friends,

The end of October in Mexico, Radio and T.V. announcers make a plea to the Mexican people not to embrace the American custom of celebrating Halloween. (That's the good part) They say, "We have our own beautiful celebration, The Day of the Dead."

The Day of the Dead which is celebrated from the end of October until the first few days of November is a holiday when the Mexican people take flowers and picnic lunches and commune in the graveyard with their deceased family members. They believe that they can speak with them, and spend the day praying to and for them.

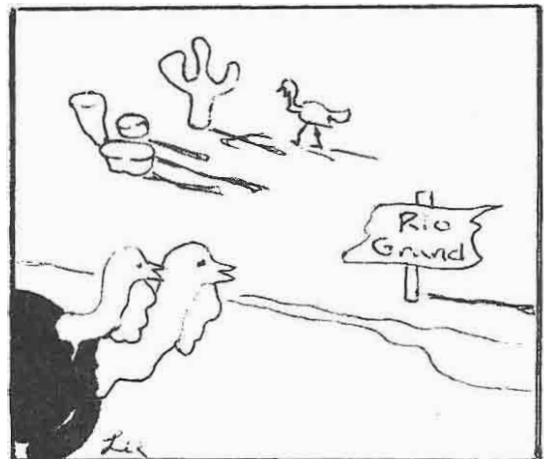
In the City of Guanajuato, during this unholy celebration, some take their mummified ancestors out for a day on the town. The corpses in this region go through a natural mummification process in only 6 to 8 years. Some think it's due to minerals in the drinking water. Others say it's from the arid climate and the action of minerals in the ground once they're buried.

The Bible strictly forbids us to participate in such activities. We know that for the believer to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. Jesus Christ did not send us into all the world to change cultures, but to teach the Truth, which will set them free from the works of darkness and superstition.



The Day of the Dead: Ladies taking flowers to the graveyard

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PATHETIC LOOKING MEXICAN TURKEYS. YEAH THEY RARELY GET DRESSED OUT!

Thanksgiving

November 26th is just another day in Mexico, but in our home, we cherish this day, gather friends and family, and sit down to feast, and lift up our hearts full of gratitude to the Almighty. Cranberry and Turkey have not always been available, and the question arises every year: "Turkey or tacos, cranberries or burritos?"

This year, we bless and thank the Lord for his goodness. We thank Him for life and health, family and friends, and for the privilege of serving Him on the mission field. We thank Him for the progress that is being made in establishing Video Bible schools, for the team that is coming together, for the video and audio equipment we now have, and for the prayer and financial support which is making this vision come to pass. It is truly a miracle, all the Lord has accomplished, is accomplishing, and will accomplish. We give Thanks!

Prayer Requests

1. For an acceleration in the support raising process for those who want to come work with us. We need their help right away. Pray for the Lambs, the Roberts and the Stevensons.
2. We will be installing the video/audio equipment this February. Pray that we get the equipment across the border duty and hassle free.
3. Pray for operating funds so we can produce the teaching videos and establish Bible schools. We only have 15% of the necessary funds to run the studio on a day to day basis. Pray for partners who will faithfully support with \$25 or more a month.

Blessings!!!

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The Short Family
wishing you a
blessed Holiday Season

