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Cali, Colombia- a city of 2 ½ million and growing stronger. It is a commercial and industrial center, exporting products such as sugarcane, tobacco, coffee, cotton, pharmaceuticals, cement, clothing and much more. Cali is also infamous for being the biggest cocaine exporter in the world. The Cali cartel handled a multi-billion dollar worldwide operation. They were masters at their craft, concealing drugs in shipments such as concrete posts, clay pots even in frozen broccoli.

Their deeds of darkness were hindered when Drug Lord Miguel Rodriguez was arrested on August 6, 1995. He remains incarcerated in Colombian Federal prison, where he allegedly continues to operate what's left of his illicit organization. Miguel's brother Gilberto Rodriguez was also incarcerated and extradited to the USA. What is the current state of affairs in Cali, now that the king pins have fallen? According to the US Department of State, A Travel Warning for US citizens says, "Violence in Cali and the surrounding areas remain high, much of it related to the illicit drug trade." The truth is that when a vacuum is created the void is quickly filled by emerging narcoterrorist bands.

What did I see, feel, and experience when I was in Cali? It was not the presence of evil, but that God is moving in that place! Colombia is the jewel of South America. It is a place where the Spirit of the Lord is hovering, because Christian people are crying out for His presence, His power, and His purpose for their country. Jorge Gama, our Representative in Colombia, set up a meeting for us with seventeen pastors and leaders to present our Bible Institute VIDA Internacional. The church leaders were very receptive and I believe that we will see many disciples receive their spiritual formation as a result of Bible Schools that will be established in Cali.



Cali Colombia, Notorious as the Cocaine Capital of the World...

I preached in two churches while I was there. The first was "Iglesia Oasis de Uncion Mision Cristiana", with Pastor Jorge Herrera. The amazing thing was that this Church is only five months old and they are 200 in attendance. Pastor Herrera wants to run with the vision of planting dozens of Bible Schools. I believe he will.

The second church was "Renacer Mision Cristiana", with Pastor Luis Urrego. The service was powerful, the altar service was packed and the Spirit of God Moved. I praise God for those who are praying



Pastor Jorge Gama, Vida's representative, sharing the vision with pastors.

and supporting this outreach. I believe that some day many Colombian missionaries will be sent from Cali, to the very ends of the earth, as a result of the schools that will be established and the training that will go forth in that City. Today Cali's port "Puerto Buenaventura" is known as a place of violence and the exportation of illicit substances. I believe that some day Cali and the wonderful people of Colombia will be known as ministers of peace exporting life and healing. God is moving in Cali, Colombia!! Cali for Christ! Because of you, who pray and are financially supporting this missionary effort, we can go forward. Your gifts make this possible. Together through the Grace of God, this world will not be the same. Thank you for helping us extend Christ's Kingdom.

Together We Touch the World!

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