

God made me do it! He put the Love of Jesus in my heart! It wasn't my plan but God had a plan. His plan included Pastor Isaac Garcia, Yolanda, and their two children Sarahi and Neftali.



*Sarahi, Pastor Isaac, Neftali, Yolanda*

A group of women under the leadership of Isaac and Yolanda gathered together in a shed on a vacant lot every morning and prayed for a building of their own where they could come together and worship their loving God, Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit. They wanted to tell others about this wonderful loving God.

So that wonderful loving God initially reached out all the way up to Christ the King Lutheran Church in Waxahachie, Texas, Messiah Lutheran Church in Midland, Michigan, St. Paul Lutheran Church in San Antonio, Texas, Faith Lutheran Church in Corsicana, Texas and gathered us into His plan. God brought us together as He is still bringing others of you into this plan.

Bethany (Betania) Lutheran Church was built in Rio Bravo. The church was dedicated in 1999.



### ***Betania Lutheran Church Rio Bravo***

Messiah (El Mesías) Mission was started by the people of Betania in a colonia on the outskirts of Rio Bravo. It began around 2001-02.



### ***Messiah (El Mesías) Mission***

New Jerusalem (Nueva Jerusalén) Lutheran Church was built in San Pedro, Guasave, Sinaola. It was dedicated on March 9, 2009



### ***New Jerusalem (Nueva Jerusalén) Lutheran Church***

Evangelistic tent ministries were held in Rio Bravo, Matamoros, and in the state of Veracruz always sharing the Good News of what God has done through His Son Jesus Christ. Concordia Publishing House's Vacation Bible School programs have been used in all these places.



*Tent Ministry in Matamoros & Rio Bravo*



*Evangelism Meeting in Veracruz*

The better question is, "How can we not be involved?" Besides the fact that God loves them also, the people there are so loving, warm, and friendly and also in need of the Savior!