

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ.

The last years of my life have been very hard cause of the changes and process. Being born in the ministry where my father was pastor I had to go through all my childhood and adolescence in the ministry.

When I was nine years old I felt the call of being a pastor, in this short of age I helped my father in the mission by teaching Sunday school to the kids. I remember these short steps with love where God showed his company and guides to share what my innocence could understand about the gospel.

The devil was like a roaring lion and I passed my adolescence and a struggle in a stage of my autonomy and independence, and in the middle of this challenge my father passes away. This was a big change in my life, a big loss that made me change my life at my 17 years of age. That's where I felt the stronger call to serve God and to be a pastor.

I was helping out the church where I grew up and where my father started as a missionary in the place I was born, San Luis Rio Colorado, Sonora, I helped out three missions and on Sundays in the church of San Mateo, in charge of the Rev. Jesus Jimenez. In the years that came, my passion was decreasing while my years were increasing. Thanks to God and KIMA I could study the most of my career of Psychology, threw out that time that's when a thought came in me, Do I want to be a pastor just because I was pushed when my father passed away and there was nobody in charge of the church, or because I had once said that I wanted to be a pastor, or just because of how much the church helped me?

Once more the doubts, the need of my spiritual life, my human debility took me to make a personal decision, to finish my studies, help the church and all that I could and not to be a pastor. I had in front of me my youth, my health, my studies and me wanting to live. I had plans of work, goals to accomplish, but after all I give thanks to God for being so patient with me and for his mercy and love. After some years something reopened in my heart, I will never forget the words that God used through my brother Carlos Slutz where he said "For those who drive we know that we can turn always in U, and take the road where we were heading" in that moment I knew it was the voice of Christ speaking to me, to take the road I was going, or not to run from his call, that's where God subdued me and spoke to

my heart, healed my wombs, forgave mi sins, and like that lost sheep took me in his arms and brought me back. The Holy Grace of God!

In the beginning of 2013 I took back my vocation and my call, i started to serve the church, not for compromise or feelings, but for a fire that burned in my heart to preach his word and to tell people about what he did in the cross for us.

In the month of November of 2013 I received a call of the church San Mateo to be a Lay Pastor of the congregation. With joy and prayers I put it on Gods hands and accepted the call, being 24 years old in that time, I was studying some theological classes that I need to be pastor, thanks to Rev. Ramon Contreras from LBCM that had brought a bible institute to our city.

For this reason the National Church accepted the call of the congregation of San Mateo for me, asking me to continue my studies to be a pastor, giving me the permission to give the sacrament in the congregation in San Mateo .

In February of 2014 I was installed like oficial Lay Pastor in the congregation San Mateo, were for mercy of God I serve the ministry and were God has blessed us with new families and members, and were others helping on three missions in the desert and different activities in the gospel.

God has blessed us with people who are really involved in the ministry and God is calling them to be pastors. Josafat has started to help us on the missions in the Desert and Saul , my Brother in law is helping in the ministry and enrolled to be a pastor. Thanks to God for this opportunities.

Now on the last days I have received a formal call from the Seminary or Argentina to be part of their program of studies, with the hope in the future of being ordain and continue working in Mexico in the service of the saints .

The plan of Mexico churches is to prepare pastors with a good education that in the future could have more studies that will form other pastors.

For me its a honor that God has chosen me for this blessing, although my condition to the national church was that no matter what happen my principal call and my vocation is work like a missionary. If in the future God calls me to be a teacher and teach others I will be in his hands, but what I know that I can't and wont is to leave my vocation to preach his words to the souls that are in need, where? to where God takes me.

Like I have mention before there are other who can continue the pastor ministry in San Luis, in the church San Mateo and the missions, in the following weeks the church will have to decide with the guide of the Holy Spirit who will be the next pastor.

I know its a very hard decision to take, the classes start next year on February 28, 2015, this includes the were I will stay, food, seminary payment, and medical insurance. It doesn't include personal expenses and traveling, to travel Argentina is about 1000 dlls., money that I have to pay. I ask for you to pray with me so God can provide this money if is the lord willing.

I have a compromise with you to tell you my decisions, cause God has put you in my way as a blessing to the ministry of Mexico, and have always supported me in my work. I know that this decision is important in my life and I would like in God if you can't continue with your help, that I can count with you're prayers and blessings.

God has put great people and friends in this time, people like Pastor Don Smidt, who have helped me so much that I have no words to say how grateful I am brother, my mentor, my friend, an example of the love of a Christian, really Pastor I love you with a especial love in the Lord , a thousands thank you for everything!!!

People who have supported like Rev. Norman Finke. Churches that are still helping with their prayers and other things, like the Faith Lutheran Church in Arkansas, thank you for your love, you are and will be in my heart all my life, I really love you guys with all my heart. I give thanks to God for you because I really don't were we would be without your obedience to the Lord.

Thanks to the church of Yuma, AZ., that since my father lived till this day they haven't left us and still give us a hand.

Thank you to LBCM with my brother Manny, who is always in my heart, for his love and passion for the ministry. Thanks to Ramon Contreras that has been a great friend and consul, a guide on the ministry and a fundamental help; new friends in christ that thanks to my brother Ramon I was able to meet them, like Mark & Gael his wife, and others that come with them, congregations and individuals. Thank you all!!!

Really thank you for all your help and your unconditionally love!

I know there are a few months left for this to happen, I know there s a lot still to supply like the trip, but its necessary for you to know this, so you can pray for me and with me, I want you to know that while am still here , I will be giving my best and all my time for what God has called to do, this month God blessed us with gifts to the children of the church and missions in the desert, thanks to LBCM!! We also have some ministry party to do in this month in the missions and next year in January in San Luis City. Pray for this plan, cause while God has me here my voice wont stop preaching of Christ.

I know that all things are in Gods hands, I know that I Lord willing and if its Gods plans I will go from here, I have learned in the long run in my short life that his will is my happiness, I have learned that were ever I am God will never leave me, and he will take me to delicate grass. I have learned that in one day all could change, but that God never changes, that he is the same , today and forever, he is the precious Savior.

I only hope one thing from you, pray for me, so my vocation wont be decline, so for what God has called me and has fueled my spirit will always be in me, preaching his word to the needed ones.

God`s know my heart, and he knows my thinks, and my prayer is “The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell. Though an host should encamp against me, my heart shall not fear: though war should rise against me, in this will I be confident. One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to enquire in his temple.

Your friend in Christ

Job Jimenez



Church's Kids with some present gave by Saul & Sofia



Saul translating to Pastor Don Smidt, Sunday Services two weeks ago.



Fiesta time after worship!

Dedication to glory of God two new Houses built by Connecting Generations



Mexico & USA Work team for Glory of God!

