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Dear Family & Friends,

Greetings to you in the Awesome Name of Christ Jesus our Lord! Peace, grace & mercy to you!

ANTOFAGASTA, NORTH CHILE

As the dry summertime comes to a close in Chile, the men were able to organize another work day to lay rebar and pour cement on the third section of the 2nd story floor. The rocks & sand were mixed, bagged, & carried upstairs to put in the cement mixer. All of these men are volunteers & we are thankful for men willing to work physically as well as spiritually.



Past. Marcos & Bro Nelson placing rebar, part of the 2nd floor support.



A bird's eye view of the young men mixing & bagging the sand & rocks.



After bagging, the rocks & sand are carried on shoulders upstairs to mix in the cement mixer.

Due to the weight & need to make it resistant to seismic movements, the floor is done in phases.



Pouring cement by hand.



The third section floor is finished, with one more floor phase to go.



As you can see, we have made great progress with the church building, but we are also seeing spiritual growing in the congregation at the Lily of Antofagasta. Pastors Marcos & Jacqui have opened their hearts & their home to reach the hopeless. Here is a recent testimony.

David & Viviana were married in Concepcion (southern Chile) and participated in a local church but their marriage fell apart due to David's 10 yrs of drug use. They moved to Antofagasta, where he was originally from, but his drug problem only became worse, and Viviana decided to leave him. He searched for a church that would help him but no pastor would counsel him nor wanted him in their congregation. While working selling products door to door, he knocked the door of Bro. Nelson, someone David knew long ago before Nelson came to know Christ as his Savior. Nelson brought him to Pastor Marcos who took the time to counsel & minister to David. His marriage has been restored & his life turned around. David has now grown spiritually and looks for opportunities to reach-out to others who are desperate.

Thank you for your prayers, gifts & love towards our family & this ministry. We are so grateful for the friends and partners that the Lord Jesus has given to us. As we finish the work that we have begun in Chile, please pray with us for direction, protection, health, favor & provision. Jesus is our source in everything! Thank you again for standing with us as we run the race set before us.

In His vineyard together for His honor and glory,

Sid & Kathy Luke

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