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Dear Pastor and friends,

This was a sector of the city that we couldn't visit in. We had visited almost every sector around the church but in this one we were not allowed to enter. However, there was a man that after coming three times to the church, received Christ as his Savior. Immediately, like we always do, we started to giving him classes of discipleship, trying to teach a new believer about the basics of the Word of God. To our surprise this man lives in that sector that we could not get in. After three classes of discipleship (as we usually do) we suggested to the new Christian that he could invite family members and friends to the next class that coming Friday. Very excitedly, he accepted. He invited about 20 family, friends and neighbors. Friday came around and it started to rain, pouring down, and only three neighbors came to the meeting. Even so, we started the devotion we had prepared with a portion from the Bible. Almost to the end of the preaching, one lady interrupted the message and said in a loud voice, "I have something to say. What the pastor is saying is the complete truth, and I have to say that when I saw these other two neighbors arrive I felt very upset and indignant because we haven't spoken a word to each other in several years, but today I have learned that I need to ask them for forgiveness."

It was a magnificent interruption, because without us knowing three neighbors who hadn't spoken to each other in years were now before our eyes asking each other for forgiveness and hugging each other, and they didn't stop asking over and over again for forgiveness. Praise the Lord! His Word is powerful!! It is alive and able to change lives.

Carlos & Susan Arce pray that each and every one of you and your families have a wonderful Christmas and a New Year full of many opportunities to serve Him who gave us the best gift of all times.

May the Lord bless you in a mighty way,

Carlos & Susan Arce

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Your missionaries in Venezuela

The Arce Family



"...behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest."
John 4:35

**PRAY FOR US AS WE WORK IN
VENEZUELA**

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