

Hi Brethren,

This is now my fourth report to you about the work in Coban, Guatemala where I went to teach the graduate students this year.

One of my favorites in Guatemala was this cutie, she has a French name, Ame Thee. She is the daughter of the daughter of the preacher in Coban – Darvin Alvarez.



There are a number of children in all the churches that I have worked with in Guatemala and it bodes well for the church in the future.

When I first arrived in Guatemala, I went to ITL, the undergraduate School Supported by Bear Valley.



You will note that they do not have any markings on the building. This is to try and avoid any thieves and gangs. Though the building looks small, it is actually pretty large, both with an upstairs and lower apartments for the students, as well as a large class room with digital TV, internet, etc., an office (for Darvin who preaches in Coban and is the main leader in the Graduate program), and a small library.

I got to meet Richard Rogers (though obviously not the one from Sunset who has passed) and a translator from Honduras whom I worked with when I taught in the undergraduate program last year named Caesar (pronounced Se'-sir in Spanish). He had been teaching that week.



Below we have one of the graduate students teaching Bible class in San Christobal (or getting ready to). His name is Benny and he speaks English – well enough to translate for me at times and to write his papers all in English. Benny is single, but knowledgeable and a great help to the churches in that area.



Below we have a brother and sister to both surpassed everyone in a local competition and the church is recognizing them and honoring them.



You will note that they are Mayan and short in stature, though I do not remember their ages. The boy is a great help in the local worship, etc. in San Christobal.

Please pray for this continuing good work.

More to come later.

In Jesus,

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