Dear Praying Friends,

Greetings from sunny Mexico! I'm happy to share with you the wonderful things God has been doing in my life and ministry over the past month.

-Teaching and Discipleship: By God's grace, I've been able to teach a class to young people in the Philippines through video call. I was able to teach in Tagalog without using an interpreter, and while my language skills still need work, I'm blessed to see real progress.

- Sunday School Classes: I've also had the opportunity to teach a children's classes, as well as classes for young ladies, and it's been a joy to see them learn and grow.

Language Learning:

Aeta Language: By God's grace, I'm now beginning to learn Aeta, which was my next goal. I'm excited to dive deeper into this language and share God's Word with the Aeta people. I am particularly grateful to the Aeta young ladies who have the patience to teach me over video calls!

Exegesis and Writing

- 1 John Exegesis: I've made progress on my exegesis of 1 John, and I'm looking forward to continuing to study this book.

Evangelism and Outreach: A couple of Saturdays ago, I met Doña Carmen at a park, and she was saved that day along with two other young ladies. It was a wonderful experience to see God work in their lives. I also recently visited an American man named Lyndon with my father, and I led his mother-in-law, to Christ five years ago. We also witnessed to his daughter, who is considering making a profession of faith.

I've begun to accompany my father to Bible studies that he's teaching a new family's home, and it's been a great blessing to see the family and their neighbors coming together to learn about God's Word.

Church Visits: Over the past several weeks, I've visited a different church each Sunday, and it's been amazing to see the different ways that God is working in each church. Three weeks ago, I met a 14-year-old girl named Wendy in Mexico City. Her family works by recycling asphalt and repaving damaged streets, and she's hoping to become a nurse and go on a medical mission's trip to the Philippines in the future.

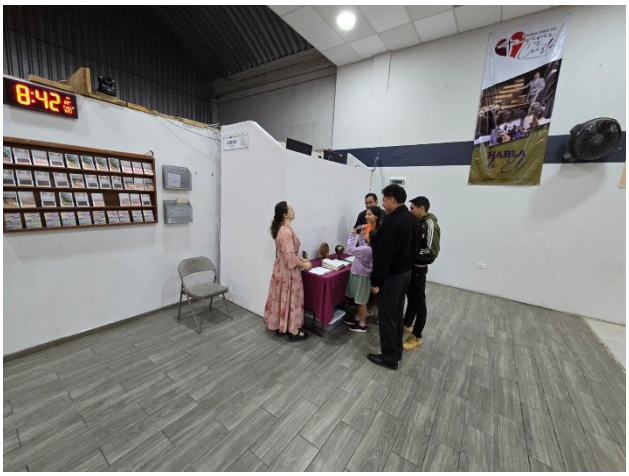
- Church with No Building: Two weeks ago, I visited a church that has no building or roof, and they meet under a tarp. Despite their limited resources, they're committed to giving to support missions, and it was a blessing to see their heart for God’s Great Commission.

Trials and Encouragement: This month has also been a month of trials for me, but I'm grateful for the help and counsel of Bro. Dante Gonzalez, project director at the Translator's school, as well as the counsel and wisdom and time given by Dr. Neftali Santos and Dr. Billy Patterson. My heartfelt thanks to Filipino Pastor Reygie Aquino, for his help. My own parents have also been instrumental and encouraging, and I praise God for them.

Thank you for your prayers and support. I'm grateful for your partnership in ministry, and I look forward to sharing more updates with you in the future.

Working for His Word,

Faith Duke


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