

Dear Friends,

We wanted to **thank you for your prayers** for the Latin America Area Missionary Retreat this month in Colombia. We thank God for...

-Safety in travel as everyone arrived by air and then we had a bus ride to our retreat location

-The children... 13 MK's were able to be there, from ages 8 months to 16 years. They bonded beautifully over the week, regardless of age differences

-For the wonderful team that came from Wilmore KY to lead a program for the children

-For the presence of our Bishop Linda Adams and her husband John, from FMWM, Gerry and Jan Coates, as well as the teaching team of Marilyn and Steve Elliott.

We were spiritually well fed and refreshed!

-Our Area Director Ricardo Gomez and his wife Beth, who gave sacrificially of themselves in all of the planning and logistics to make it all possible

Our biggest concern during the week was that we were missing one of our families, Kay and Leo Godoy and their dear children, Benjamin and Sophia. Ben got very ill and had to be hospitalized in Bogota the entire week, preventing the family from being with us. **Please will you continue to keep this precious family in your prayers**, especially Ben in his continued recovery and the whole family, as it was quite a disappointment not being able to join us.

Thank you again for standing with us in prayer!

Blessings,
Betsy and Guy

