



February 2023

New Year and New Beginnings

January was a month of tremendous blessings for our family. We'll try to list as many of them as possible in this letter.

- A missed meeting due to a flat tire turned into an opportunity to witness to a tow-truck driver and the church we had been traveling to went above and beyond in caring for us, despite our absence at their missions conference.
- Our last church service in the States was of course at our home church. We have been blessed by our church through the years, and though we have met many wonderful people in our deputation travels our own church family holds a special place in our hearts so it meant a lot to get to spend an entire Sunday with them before leaving the country.
- The most exciting blessing is of course that we are now in Honduras! We had a safe drive to the airport with the help of some brothers in Christ and the flight was short and great, though we did have a suitcase get lost. Pray that we would get that back, Lord willing, as it contains some items we would hate to lose permanently.
- Amber was happy to get into warmer weather, but I don't think she expected temperatures in the 90s. We have some good AC window units that we are running. We are glad we arrived before the truly hot weather hits in a few months. Sofia enjoyed exploring the new house and getting into everything, but she is settling in now. The highlight of her day is probably the water truck that comes by to deliver our 5-gallon water jugs. She is enjoying seeing new things, meeting new people, and learning Spanish. She learned "Hola," while we spent a morning getting our bank account set up.



We are hoping to purchase a vehicle this week so that we can get out more, but in the meantime I've been riding in a lot of taxis and public buses (old school buses from the States) whenever we need groceries or office errands done.

We are looking forward to a conference this weekend for missionaries in Central America that Pastor Matt Goins hosts at his church. The missionaries and church here have been a huge blessing to us since arriving, and we look forward to getting to know them better over the year we spend here studying Spanish.

Please pray for the following:

- Finding a Car
- Getting our home setup
- Choosing a doctor for Amber's pregnancy
- Finding Spanish Tutors
- Getting Residency

As always, thank you for your prayers for us! We are thankful for you! Serving Christ,

**If you missed it last month,
please note: New Address!**

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