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Dear Pastor,

Thank you for reading my material and sharing our mutual burden for spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ. God has spoken to my wife and me concerning giving the rest of our lives to reaching the lost in Costa Rica. Our sending church, Tabernacle Baptist Church in Virginia Beach, Virginia, is completely behind this leading of the Lord in our lives. We have partnered with Macedonia World Baptist Missions, Inc. to aid us in our endeavor.

Since finding Christ as our Savior, my wife and I have attempted to honor the Lord in His service. I was called to the ministry in 1983 while living in New York City under the leadership of Pastor Doug Lowery. We moved to Virginia Beach in 1985 where I attended Tabernacle Baptist Bible College & Seminary for nine years and graduated in 2004 with a Masters of Religious Education degree. During those years, I supported my family as a self employed architect/builder.

I also served faithfully while a student at Tabernacle Baptist Church during that time and later began pastoring the Reaching for Christ Baptist Church (Iglesia Bautista Alcanzando Para Jesucristo) from 2000 - 2011. This Spanish church was a great blessing and allowed me to work with Spanish-speaking people. My wife, Matilde, is from Colombia, South America, and I lived in Haiti for many years. Therefore, we both are fluent in Spanish and I am also fluent in French. Our ministry experience led us back to Tabernacle where we started a Spanish ministry in 2011.

Since then, I have met with my pastor, Dr. James W. Baker, on several occasions while discussing the heavy burden on my heart to leave architecture and teaching to serve the Lord full-time in mission work. In our prayer times, the Lord led both my wife and me to the country of Costa Rica.

Being obedient to the calling that God has given us, we are beginning our deputation to raise support. We would be honored if we could share our burden for Costa Rica with you and your people. I will be calling in a few weeks to follow up this letter. We are excited to see how the Lord will use us to reach the people of Costa Rica.

Thank you in advance for this opportunity and may the Lord bless you for your heart for missions!

Under His Wings Reaching the World for His Glory,

Jean- Claude and Matilde Guilbaud

"Go ye therefore and preach the Gospel to every creature" Mark 16:15

"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15