



Abide in Christ

Prayer and Praise with Wil and Ann Pounds

I Saw God Do It!

"PLEASE, LORD, MAY YOUR EAR BE ATTENTIVE TO THE PRAYER OF YOUR SERVANT AND THE PRAYER OF YOUR SERVANTS" (NEHEMIAH 1:11).

Above the new Riobamba classroom building in use with new students in the January 2021 semester! Classes are in full swing in Riobamba, Guayaquil and Quito.

There is no other way to say it, but **I SAW GOD DO IT!** To Him alone be all the glory.

Surprises are among God's favorite blessings. So many things He does catches us by total surprise.

the seminary. And now we are in classes!"

To each one of you who have donated to this ministry a very special "Thank You." You have made this all possible.

This is the Lord's doing and we rejoice in it.

Dr. Rick Cain, DDS, ThM writes:

"I'm personally very excited about the classes now being held in the new Peniel Seminary classroom building! It's like the first taste of a beautiful future God has in store for all of Ecuador through the ministry of Peniel. So excited to be a small part of this, seeing God at work right before our eyes!

"I only wish Wil could have been there to teach the first class! But what a joy, that one day, hopefully very soon, we get a picture of Wil standing before a large class and teaching God's Word to the students of Peniel in this beautiful building God has provided! And so much more from the Seminary still to come!"

Rick has joined Wil on four occasions as a special speaker at the annual Abide in Christ pastor and student Bible conference at Peniel. He has also ministered as a dentist in our medical-dental-evangelism teams.



Peniel Theological Seminary class of new students in the new classroom building.

That is true of our ministry at Peniel and the Quechuas. The Lord's opening the door to this work was a complete surprise. And the way He has guided our ministry with them has been the greatest blessing in a life time of ministry.

In one of my recent Zoom meetings with the Peniel Seminary board members, Alejandro Guacho said, "I never dreamed ten years ago that we would see what God has done in providing the land and two buildings for



Students' social distancing in the new classes is mandatory.



"You never test the resources of God until you attempt the impossible" – F. B. Meyer.

"I would have rather dreamed big and failed than to sit and do nothing." – Wil



Eight months of construction including the Conovirus delays has produced 2 greatly needed buildings for classes.

Dr. John Howell, Jr, DDS writes:

"Our church here in North Little Rock Arkansas is focusing on becoming a house of prayer. I'm sure we could all use a booster shot of prayer in our lives. Or maybe for some of us we actually need a total makeover. How about you?"

"Tuesday night of last week I had the opportunity to say hello to our Peniel Brothers through Zoom. Unable still

to travel to Ecuador, at least we could see each other face to face as we shared together. The visit was one I needed. To hear how God is working to prepare a structure to be used by Him in the midst of this chaotic world, brought me encouragement.

"It is amazing how the construction of Peniel Seminary has not only continued but escalated during these past few months, when so much in the world has either slowed or stopped. God has been at work preparing His seminary to train His disciples for His glory so they can go about making disciples. So much progress has been made in the construction.



"We must never make an apology for being in dead earnest about world missions. We must not retreat until Jesus Christ tells us He made a mistake in coming into the world to redeem lost men." – Wil

"Classrooms are now being used for instruction. God has provided in so many ways as construction continues. Thank you for your support and encouragement.

"As we came to the close of our visit, prayer requests were voiced by all. Having the opportunity to hear the prayer requests of my Quechua brothers and pray for them not only humbled my spirit but brought joy to my soul. What a privilege we have to be able to voice our prayers to our living Savior. Let's not take this privilege lightly or squander an opportunity to pray for others. Please pray for Abide In Christ and Peniel Seminary as we strive to join God where He is at work? Let us know how we can pray for you!"

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For Abide in Christ mission updates go to:

www.AbideInChrist.com/missions/

Please pray for our teams. All of our team members are anxious about outreach to unreached areas. We are planning on construction, medical, and evangelism teams from the U.S. serving in the future ministries as soon as international travel is resumed.

Abide in Christ has a thousand expository sermons and Bible studies in English and Spanish on our websites. There are also audio messages by Wil from radio broadcasts and worship services.

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