WHAT YOU CAN DO

Partnership missions give you an opportunity to become personally involved in what God is doing in world missions.

Pray daily for the work in Honduras.

Give financially. We are a faith mission and are dependent upon your financial gifts. Please pray about becoming involved in the support of our mission. "As long as the Lord provides I will give ... \$25 \$50 \$100 \$___ a month."

Current Needs:

- ☐ Pastor and Church Leadership
 Training Ministry in Ecuador. Each trip
 costs approximately \$3,000 and covers airplane
 tickets, room and board, rent for truck, gas,
 local workers, textbooks and food for students.
- ☐ Pray for Alberto Copa as he coordinated our work in Ecuador.
- ☐ Pray for evangelism saturation teams to come and do door-to-door evangelism and rallies at night.
- ☐ Pray for scholarships for Peniel Theological Seminary students in Riobamba, Ecuador.
- ☐ Pray for Aristides Bustillo and the new church plant in Estelí, Nicaragua.
 Pray for Evangelism in Depth workshops with Nicaragua Baptist pastors.
- ☐ Pray for wisdom to know where the Lord is leading to conduct evangelism workshops, and where to focus teaching ministry. We have been asked to return every three months and teach Ecuadorian pastors.



Alberto and Nancy Copa coordinate Abide in Christ in Ecuador. Alberto is a Quichua pastor with 20 years' experience and Rector of Peniel Theological Seminary.

- □ We are presenting one-day, three-day weekend, and one week Evangelism Workshops in churches in Latin America. These are proven practical and effective personal evangelism workshops for pastors and church leaders. The vision for training rural pastors began with a course on personal evangelism while serving as a missionary in Honduras.
- □ All gifts to Abide in Christ are tax deductible under IRS 501 (c) (3) tax exempt status.

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"Expect great things from God!"

Attempt great thing for God!"

Study to Show Yourself Approved



New seminary students at Peniel Theological Seminary, Riobamba, Ecuador

"Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, handling accurately the word of truth" (2 Timothy 2:15).

he Peniel Theological Seminary in Riobamba, Ecuador, began with 13 students meeting in the home of Alberto and Nancy Copa. Four years later it has 120 enrolled in Riobamba and four extensions.

The curriculum is a solid historic evangelical, conservative, theology grounded in the inspired, inerrant, and infallible Word of God.

The professors are also pastors of Quechua speaking churches in Chimborazo Province of Ecuador.

Wil Pounds has the privilege of serving as an adjunct professor of evangelism and theology. In January 2013, he had the privilege of teaching the course on "Salvation" at two locations.



Students in Pallatanga, Ecuador

Wil taught my workshop on evangelism to the Quichua church in Pallatanga on a previous occasion. The students in the seminary extension attended these workshops. On this occasion he taught 40 classroom hours on salvation. The students are now required to work though the curriculum and take the final exam.



Students in Guaranda taking their exams

In October 2012, Wil had the privilege of dedicating the seminary extension in Guaranda, Bolivar Province. The first semester began with 40 students, and in January 2013, the students finished the first semester of studies and took their final exams. He had the privilege of encouraging those students as they began another semester.

Wil also taught the same course to a graduate level class. All were professionals who have graduated from a university in Ecuador. They included medical doctors, lawyers, a judge, a psychologist, school teachers, graduate students in the university, business men, etc. These students were challenging and engaged in the class. They have a hunger for the Word of God and a desire to mature in their Christian life and ministry.

These students along with their families moved to Riobamba from mountain villages in order to get a better education and provide for the elderly members of their families. They started Bible studies in their homes, and these grew into churches. Then they wanted to provide for the care for their elderly parents so they started homes for the elderly. They have a passion for evangelism, and serving Christ with their profession services.



Medical doctors, lawyers, a judge, school teachers, businessmen, a psychologist, graduate students in the university, etc. studying the course on "Salvation" in seminary extension in Riobamba.



These parents are school teachers with a daughter in her 4th year of medical school, and a teen who has her own Quechua radio program for teenagers which is heard in Riobamba and over the internet.