VOICE OF THE BRIDE . . . GIVING THANKS

As a working organism, there are so many parts to VOB. We'd like to share these with you, and give thanks this month for:

- 20 vendors who provide food and basic needs, which we collect 6 days a week, to carry across the border 4 days a week.
- Over 150 successful border crossings. Not without hassle, but no turn arounds, and great favor.
- 19 text intercessors who cover us in prayer, for favor and safety with every border crossing.
- A dozen consistent volunteers, on this side of the border, sorting the food and loading the trucks. (side note - 4 of these volunteers have become engaged to one another! We think it's pretty cool that they've started their lives together serving the poor. It looks like we have 2 VOB weddings coming up!)
- A dozen or more faithful helpers on the other side of the border, who are quick to help organize and distribute the food.
- A team of 25 chiropractors, who rotate turns going to Tijuana 2 Saturdays a month, to treat the people we serve. Also, these Drs are collecting non perishable food and toys, at their clinics, for VOB this holiday season!
- A steadfast and faithful worship team, leading the monthly P.o.W. worship and intercession venues. This includes artists, dancers, and others contributing.

We are also thankful for the fruit of the ministry this past year:

 Numerous addicts from the aqueduct outreach, left that life to find freedom in Jesus, after joining the new rehab we helped sponsor, with our partner Vicente and Ministerio Impacto de Fe. These men have become important helpers in the work.





#1 Contributions to help with the holiday season for extra food and gift expenses.

#2 An end of the year tax deductible push.

#3 And DON'T FORGET for any shopping you do on Amazon.com use this link (below) for a percentage of your purchase to be contributed to VOB by AmazonSmile.

http://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-1134887

- Other ministries among our Mexican partners have birthed from the growth in resources being provided through VOB.
- Making a difference, thru worship & prayer nights, for foreign mission works, including crisis' abroad.
- Those who walked into P.o.W. unexpectedly, from the surrounding marketplace venue, drawn by the worship and being touched by the Lord in it.
- 2 donated cars that were giving to a couple of our team leaders in Tijuana who were in great need of transportation for their ministry.
- Sponsorship for keeping a child in school, and another child's music lessons for perhaps an aspiring worship leader.

These above mentioned thanks, have been direct answers to prayer requests we made at the beginning of the year. In addition we have also seen:

- An increase in finances, including additional monthly supporters.
- Improved personal health, including 2 doctors who are helping Wayne with his internal health, as well as skeletal alignment, as a gift to him!

Last, but certainly not least, we are thankful for YOU! You who read our newsletters (for some, all 165 of them counting this one), encourage us with your thoughts and prayers, and support us with your contributions.

Next month we celebrate 10 years since officially incorporating VOB as a Non Profit Organization. And, come January, we actually start our 19th year of full time ministry!

We have no doubt in our mind that you share the fruit of these Thanksgivings!

Love Wayne & Carol