



NICA NEWS FROM ED & LINDA BAKER AUGUST, 2010

We certainly enjoyed spending the month of August in the States. What was so fun was to hear everyone talk about how hot it was! We just smiled and enjoyed the “cooler” weather. Also, for us there was NO humidity – but that’s how it felt to us since we had left the rainy season in Nicaragua. Locals said the weather was very humid – guess it all depends on one’s perspective. We also enjoyed all the crepe myrtles in full bloom. Since we’re in the states at different times of the year we always get to enjoy something special in bloom.

The end of 2010 completes 10 years of foreign missionary service for us. Therefore, we are trying to visit all our supporting churches and groups of supporters. We were able to meet with 8 churches, and 2 different groups of friends. If we didn’t get to you in August, we hope to see each of you in January or February. We love to share the stories we’ve stockpiled over the past 10 years. But beware, the joke is that you should never give a missionary a microphone – you may not get it back!



Here we are at our display table at Hilton Head First Presbyterian Church

Besides visiting & making presentations, Linda spent a week in Overland Park, KS with her twin sister. Brenda broke her leg, just below her hip. Her break coincided with our trip to the states very conveniently – maybe all in God’s timing? We also spent some good time visiting with Ed’s brothers and their wives. Visiting with family is always a blessing, but this year we had time to really relax and enjoy being together. We also visited with our younger daughter Kara and her friend Chris. We returned to Nicaragua with full hearts, ready to get back to work.



Our work at the Divino Niño well & church continued in our absence. We had provided some funds for the locals to put in the floor. The floor is beautiful! It's concrete, but they colored the concrete red, and scored it to make it look like tile. We hope to put up some walls with teams coming later this year.

With this being a traveling month, we don't have many photos from August to share. Below are some of the photos that didn't make it to the previous Newsletter – it's always so hard to decide what to share, but Divino Niño was a special place! Please keep us in your prayers as we finish out our 10th year.



Some of our helpers



This was our lunch team



The community has LOTS of kids!



A much needed & used well!

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