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## News from Gail Ereddia

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Dear Friends,

As I write this letter, many on the East Coast are experiencing the aftermath of Hurricane Helene. Here in Arizona it's supposed to be 107 (and even higher this week), and we've had a very dry summer, even during our monsoon season when we typically get rain. It's hard to believe that Greenville, South Carolina, where I lived for a number of years, has been hit pretty badly (as well as several other areas on the East Coast). Most are without power and probably won't have any until Friday, including MGMI General Director Dr. Dan Wokaty (who has had to cancel some meetings and teaching opportunities due to the power outage) and his family. I read online that Duke Power was shorthanded because they sent a fleet of trucks to Florida, not anticipating that Greenville might be hit in one of its worst storms ever.

This was not expected in many areas, and it makes me think of verses in Scripture that remind us that life is short; we don't know what the Lord has in store for us each day; and we have to trust the Lord for whatever comes our way (Prov. 17:1; James 4:13-15). Matthew 24:44 tells us to be ready for the Lord's coming and to be faithful in serving Him each day. May the Lord find each one of us, including all our MGMI team, faithfully ministering to others and sharing the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Please continue to pray for the Alfaros and their health needs, and for others of our team as well. We all need the strength of the Lord to do His will. On a personal note, after our MGMI conference in March, my back injury at work in 2012 got worse, and I'm back in physical therapy, hoping to avoid surgery. An MRI showed that L4 and L5 discs are quite deteriorated. I was scheduled to attend our church ladies retreat last week, but I had to cancel due to pain (travel can be difficult). Everyone said they had a great time of blessing!

In Mexico, Ebenezer Bible College and Seminary has had a great start to the school year in Hermosillo, and in Culiacán, Brian Horner's church has been raising funds and is working on an expansion project for their building. Please continue to pray for the Roberto Diaz family as they continue to work on their permanent residence visas. This is a lengthy and expensive process, so we pray that they will be finished with this process as soon as possible. It takes at least five years to complete.

As always, thank you so much for your continued prayers and support. I am truly grateful!

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