

Good Samaritan Baptist Missions

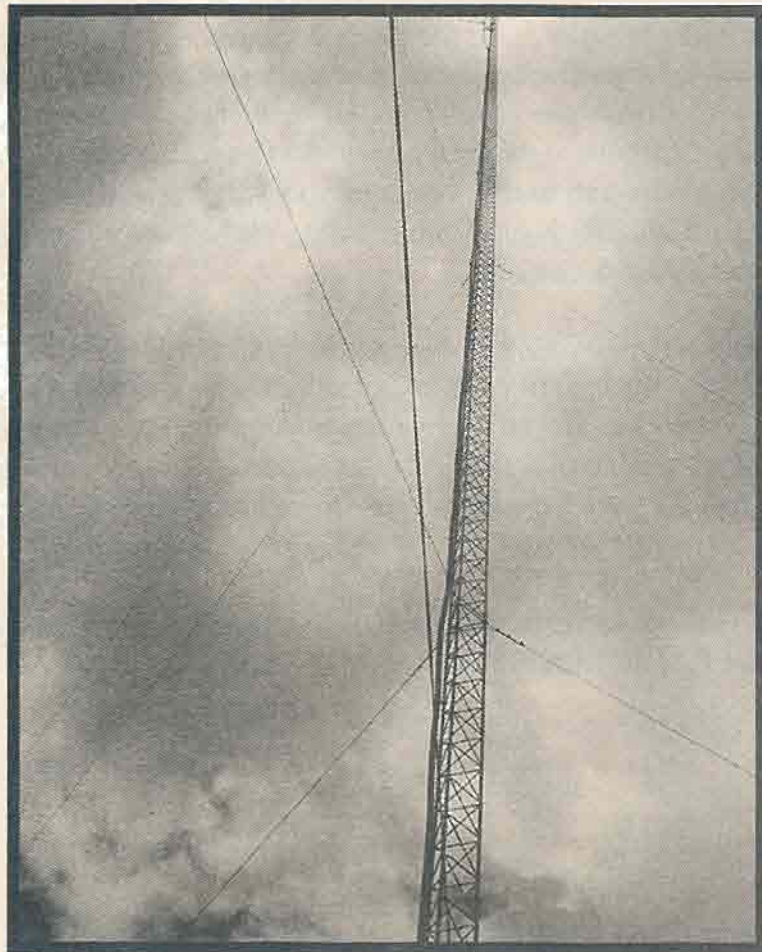
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Good Samaritan Radio

*“On the Air
in
Tegucigalpa,
Honduras”*

November 5, 1999

Dear Co-Laborers in Christ,

We received the call on Sunday, October 31st at 3:45pm, "**Samaritan Radio Is On The Air In Tegucigalpa.**" After months of hard work, prayer and Government red tape, God had answered our prayer.

No advertisement or advance notice had been given to the public, but immediately calls began to come in from Tegucigalpa and other large cities close to the capital. One man said, "I have been waiting all my life for a station like this." One thing all the callers have said in common, "*This station is DIFFERENT from all the other stations.*" No one has any idea just how far this station reaches...we know it reaches further than the capital city because of the calls.

We want this country to be saturated with the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ. We want our music to have a message that will speak to hearts. As we listen to hymns like "Amazing Grace," "At the Cross," "Nothing But the Blood of Jesus," we wonder how many people are hearing these old hymns for the very first time. It also makes us realize once again the **Power of God** and the way He works to bring about His Will. He says for us **NOT TO BE WEARY IN WELL DOING FOR IN DUE SEASON WE WILL REAP IF WE FAINT NOT.** How many times we have grown weary in our struggles to save and go forward with these Radio Stations...but the Holy Spirit working in our hearts and the love and support of our friends would not let us faint.

We thank God for the increase in support for the Radio Ministry. God has touched more hearts to help us on a monthly basis, and God has also touched hearts to help us with special offerings. One such person was Brother Billy Couch of Pell City, Alabama. His wife, Donna, was called home suddenly to be with the Lord. Instead of flowers, Bro. Billy asked people to make a donation at the local bank to the Good Samaritan Baptist Missions. **He called our office to report that \$5,000.00 had been given, and he wanted this to go to the Radio Ministry.** Thank you to all of those who gave and Thank you, Brother Billy. We have a feeling Sister Donna already knows about this and is happy about your decision.

It's impossible to express our appreciation to the Lord for all He has done for us. The words of the hymn, "He walks with me, and He talks with me, and He tells me I am His own"...Just to look around us and see His blessings and to see His care and His provisions makes us feel so humble and grateful to Him. When our bodies grow sick and weak and we can't do the work we once did, our God just takes over. In so many ways **He shows us that He is still All-Powerful** and that the work has never depended on us. It depends on Him and His blessings.

We are grateful to God for all our friends. May God bless everyone of you. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Please continue to pray for us and the RADIO MINISTRY.

Love In Christ,
Bob & Joan Tyson

The Tegucigalpa station is opening up a new world of broadcasting. In the capital city, we are adding two more hours of broadcasting **6:00am until midnight.**

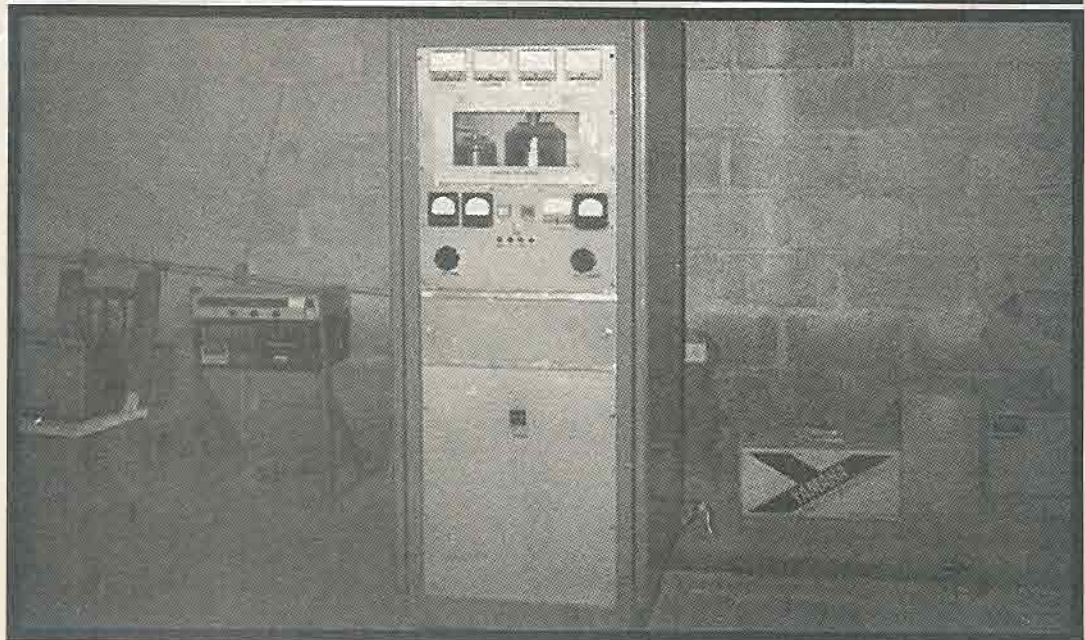
One of our most popular programs is "Altar of Prayer."

Special prayer requests are written or called in and read over the air. Our pastors pray for each petition. Samaritan Radio is going into areas where the Gospel has never been preached.

Our pastors are being asked to come and preach in so many areas that it's

impossible for them to go. *We are starting a fund for a new and stronger transmitter for Tegucigalpa.* The Engineer tells us that the one we have now,

which was bought used several years ago, is very old and could go out at anytime, and we want to be prepared. A new one will cost at least \$35,000.00 depending on the power. *Any special offerings will go toward the generator fund.*





Elderly Center

Construction is advancing! Elderly are already meeting in one of the new rooms while construction is going on.



This elderly man walks a long way everyday to get to the kitchen. He always comes early. He's praying God will let him live to see the new center finished.



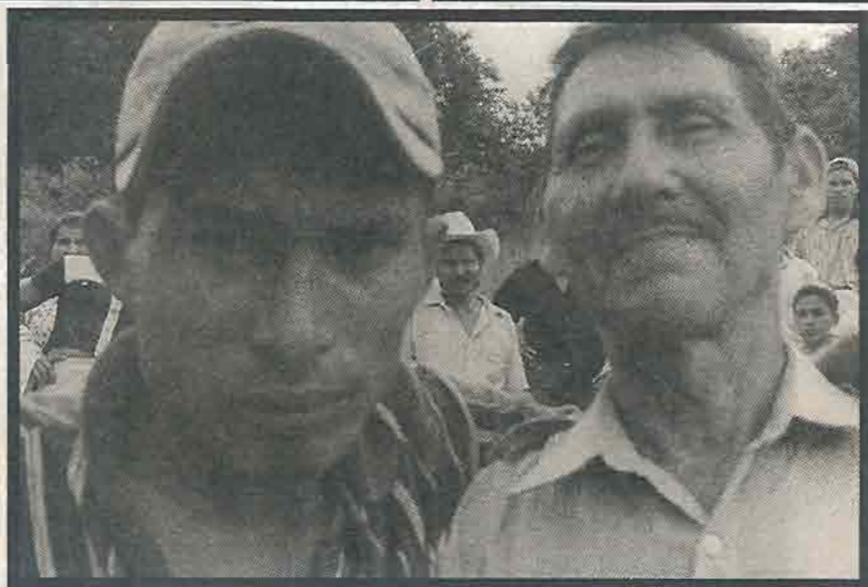
Soon all these precious old people can come early and sit on the porch in their rocking chairs or in the nice big living room. So many years of nothing but hard work and suffering and now God is giving them a place of refuge, love and peace.

Homegoing of Sister Elsa

Family Members look on as their Beloved Mother and Grandmother is buried...
For most of these, there is no more HOPE.

But look at the difference on the father's face compared with his son. Both Sis. Elsa and her husband were saved in the Elderly Kitchen and there is HOPE.
They will meet again.

To the right, the sons are burying their mother. There are no undertakers here. The families take care of their dead.



Comali, Honduras

A former Opportunity student and now one of our office workers had a burden for the children in her village and asked if she could start a Sunday school class in her house.

It wasn't long before Karen had over 100 children and her little porch didn't hold all the children. Adults and young people began to come so the church in San Marcos sent a preacher for them.

Today, through so many **MIRACLES OF GOD**, there's a Feed the Hungry kitchen with 157 children eating and most of these are going to school through Opportunity of a Lifetime.

Here, our office workers help to pass out plates. Thank God for young people like Karen Corrales who received help and is now helping others.





Divisadero, Honduras

This church fell during the hurricane and God touched hearts to help these people have not only a brand new building, but one much larger.



Dedication of new church building

**New Life Baptist Church
Divisadero, Honduras**



Good Samaritan Baptist Missions through the Disaster Relief Fund has built 83 of these little houses in Nicaragua for people who lost their homes in the hurricane.

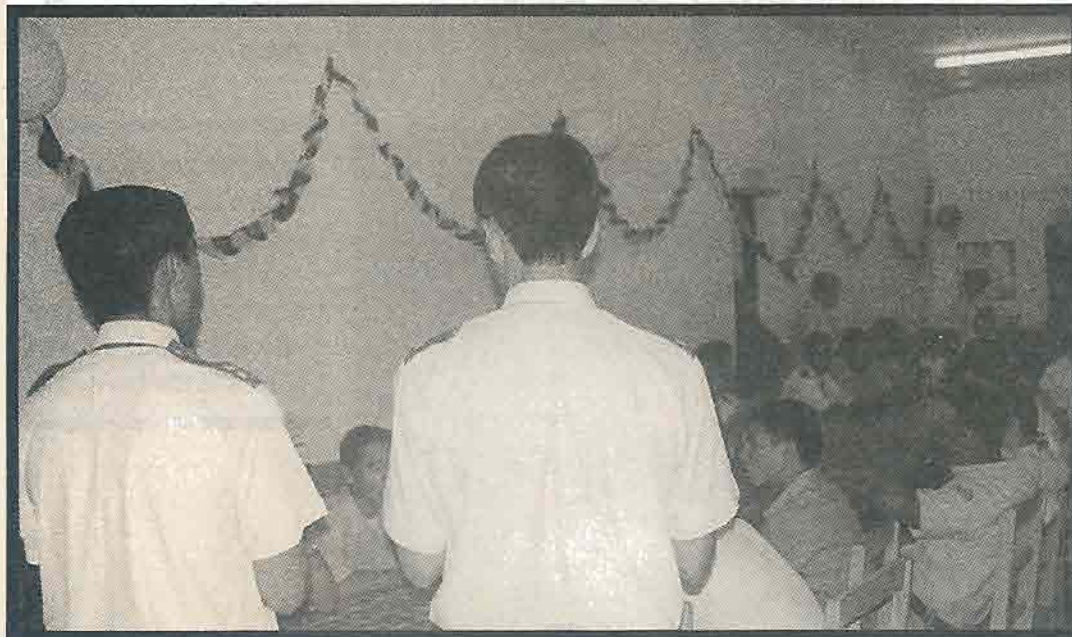


**Boy's Dormitory
Good Samaritan High
School**

One of the great ministries that God has given Good Samaritan Missions is working with the young men who are coming from all over Honduras to study computer in our high school.



The majority of young people know nothing about salvation but through Bible classes in the high school, preaching in Chapel services and the church, and devotionals in the dorm such as shown in this picture, the majority of these young men leave our school **SAVED** and even some **PREACHING** after three years of living here.

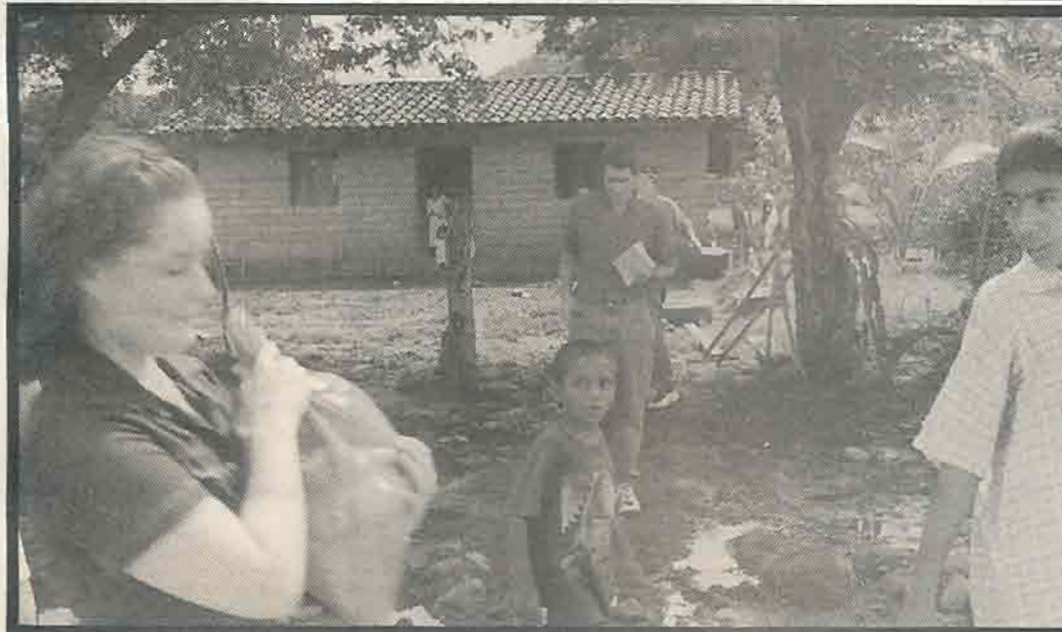




Giving out
food bags
alongside the
road



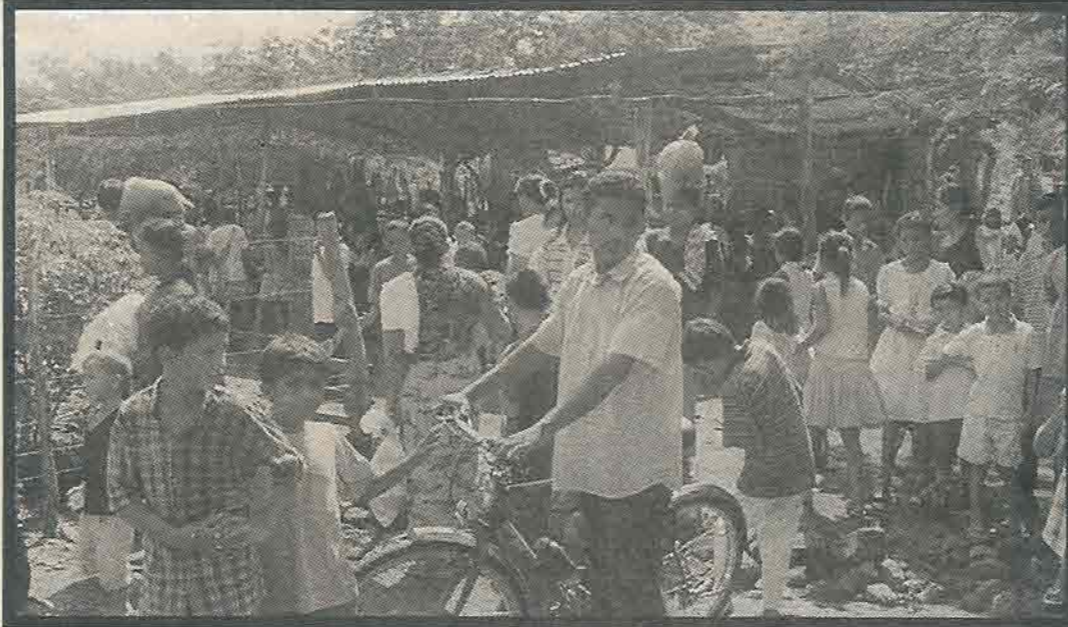
Going house
to house in
the villages





**Tapaire,
Honduras**

This is how the
churches begin.



We need a church
building here in
Tapaire.

(Cost Approx.
\$10,000.00)



**Giving Little Gifts to
the Elderly**

Their hearts are like
the children's,
So appreciative and
thrilled over all the
love that is shown to
them.

Bible Day Parade

Honduras

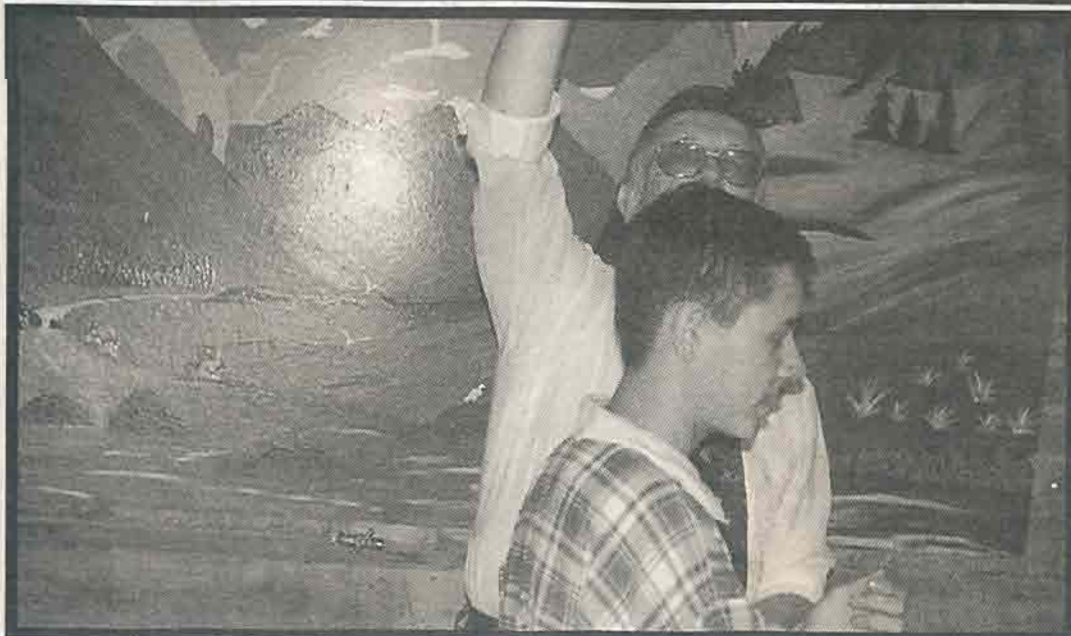
**“Pan-American”
Highway**



People are sitting
and standing in the
rain after the parade
to hear God's Word
preached.



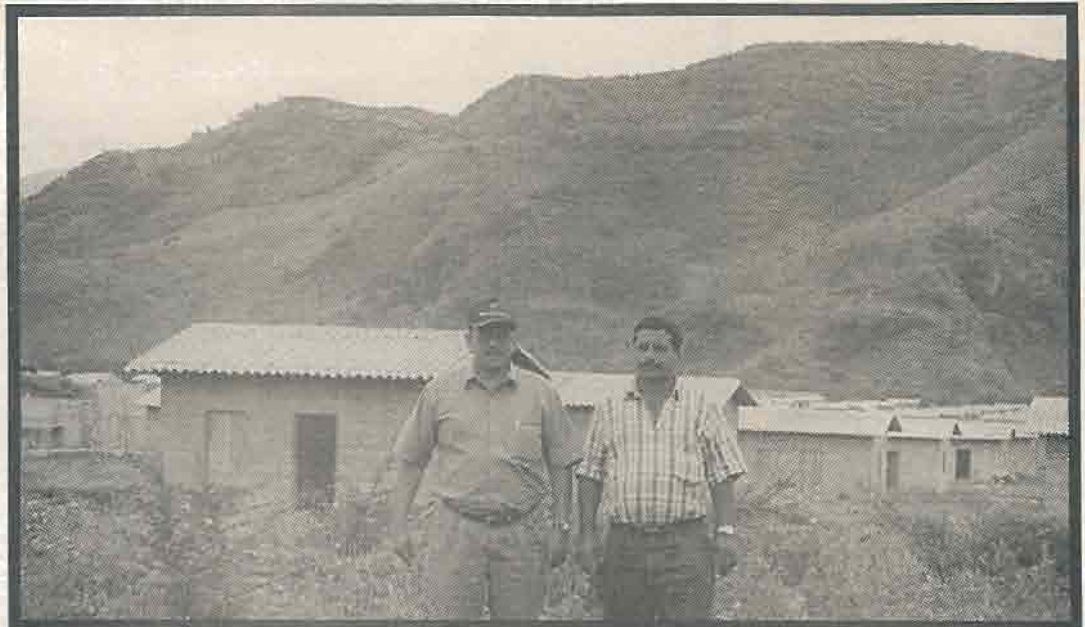
Pastor Ralph
Easterwood is
baptizing one of
eighteen in the San
Francisco Church
after the parade.



Morolico, Honduras

This whole town was washed away during the hurricane. 350 new houses have been built.

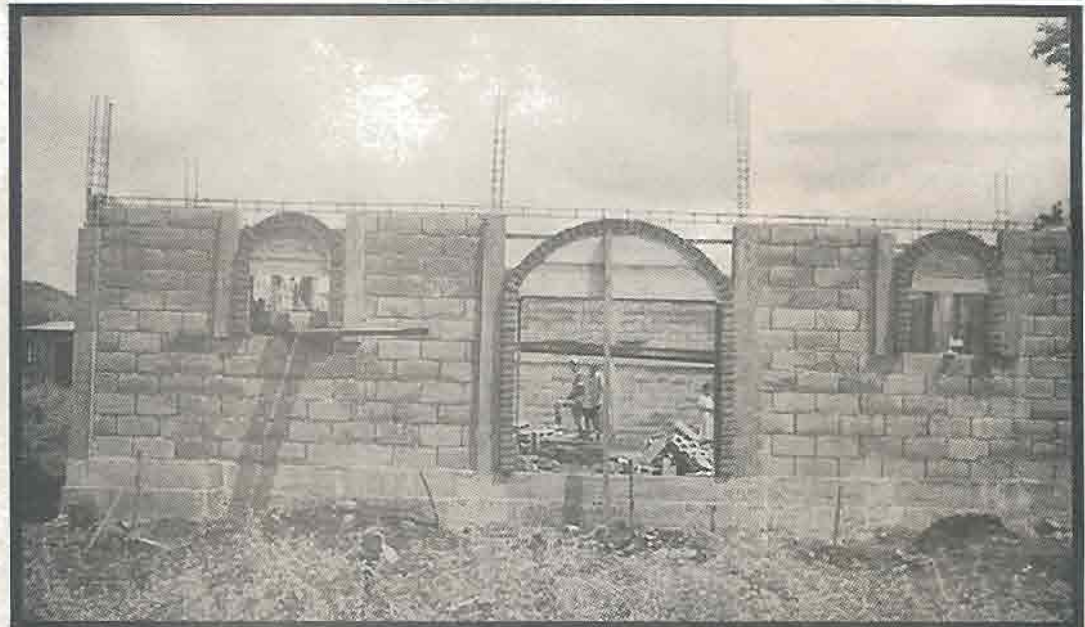
Here Antonio stands with the mayor who has just given Good Samaritan Baptist Mission a large lot in the entrance to build a Feed the Hungry kitchen which will also be used for a church.



**Los Platanaras,
Nicaragua**

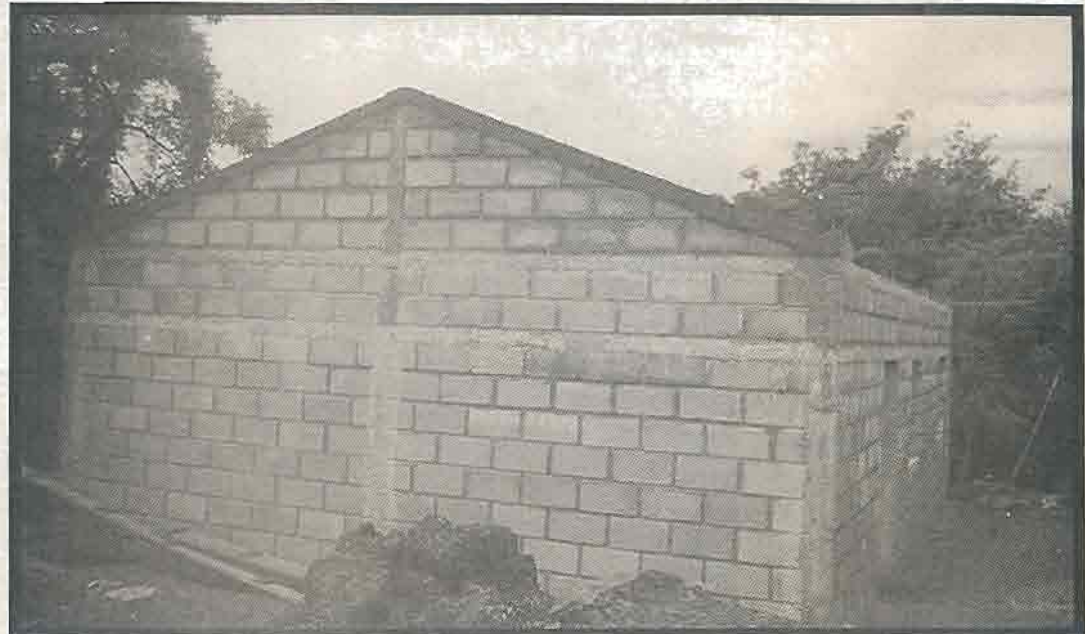
New Construction

The old church and Pastorium were washed away in the Hurricane.



**Aguas
Calientes,
Nicaragua**

**New
Construction**



God has blessed us with one of the greatest Computer Programs in Honduras. With over 40 computers, every student is able to have his own computer. Students graduate with Bachelor in Computer after 3 years of study.



A 4-year course is offered in Bi-Lingual Secretary. These secretarial students marched in the Independence Day Parade with dignity and much self-respect because of the testimony of their school. None of our students have problems finding jobs.



Many of these ladies were little bare-foot girls who never had a bed to sleep on until the Lord opened up the **Opportunity of a Lifetime** Program here in Honduras.



Visitors

1999 has been a year of special blessings for the Tyson family and the Mission here in Honduras.

Since Brother Bob has been unable to visit churches in the U.S., God has sent the churches here.

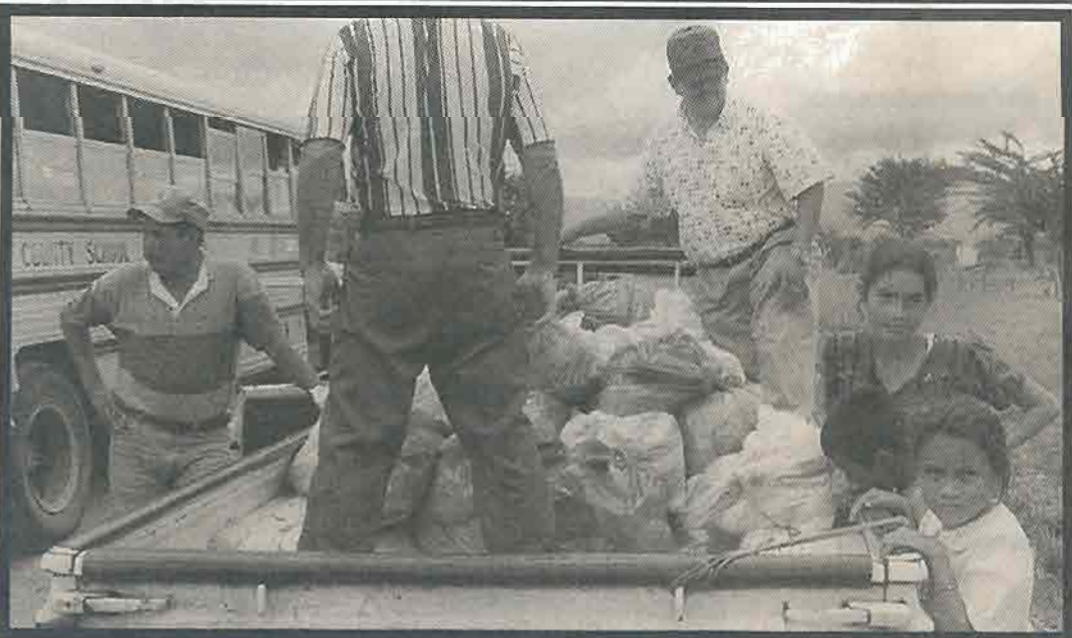
Everyone comes with a purpose...

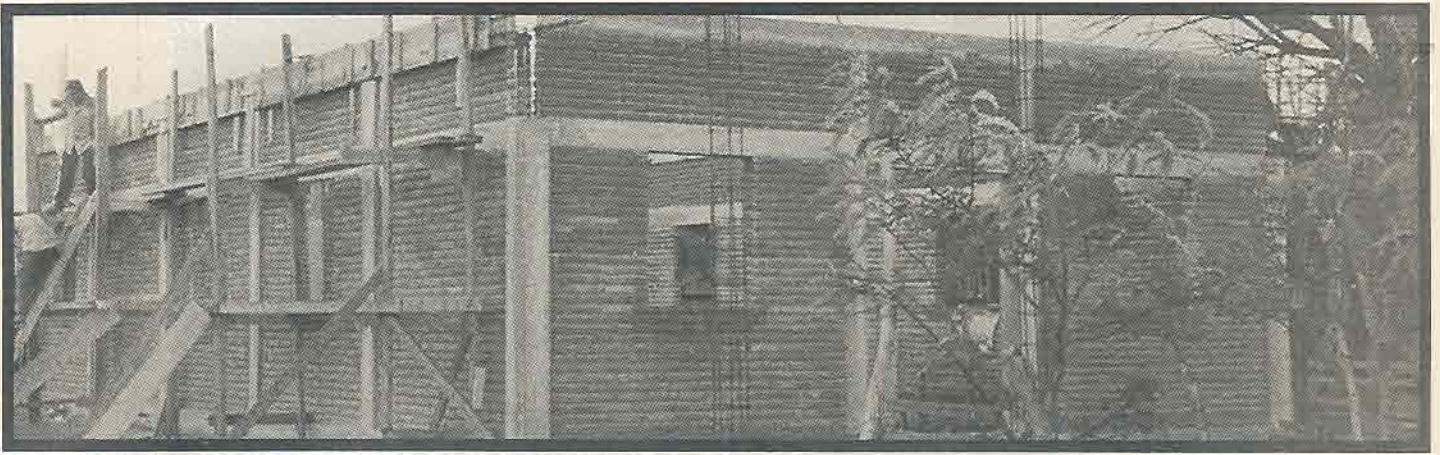
To help God's work...

Whether through a child, pastors or getting a burden to meet needs that they see. One thing everyone likes to do...

Help the Poor...

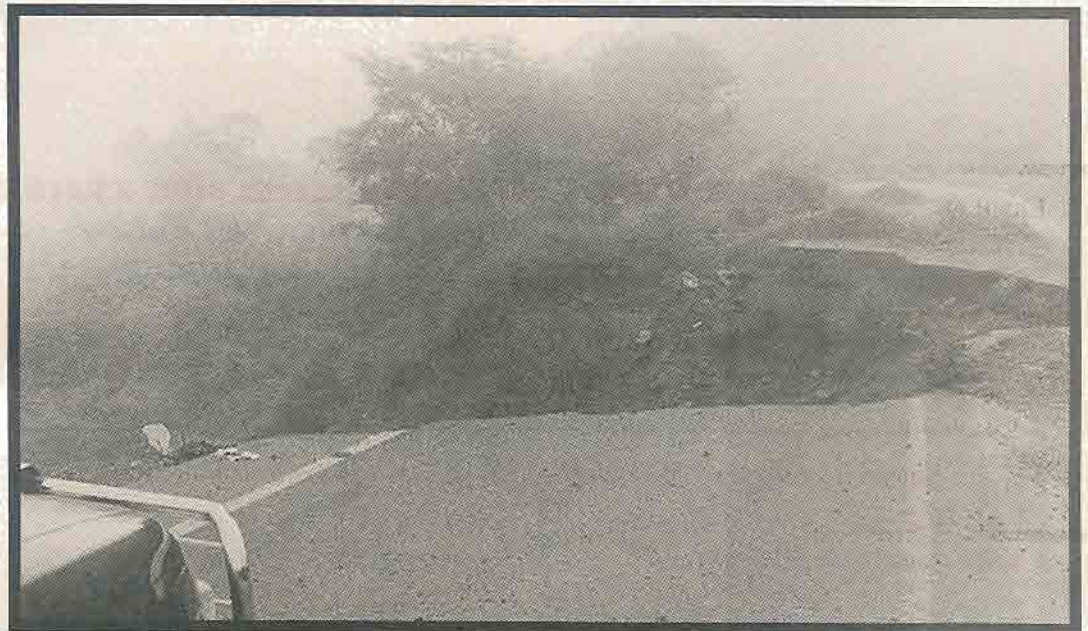
Starting off by filling food bags, loading them on trucks and buses, they begin their *missionary journeys of love* to the villages.





Second Baptist Church Construction in Choluteca, Honduras

**Conditions of
Roads...
Pan-American
Highway
near San Marcos
de Colón,
Honduras**



**Brother Bob
Tyson is welcomed
back to the high
school after his
illness.**



Relaxing and a good foot massage after a hard day
The Tysons and Brother Neil Eidson
Pastor of Victory Way Baptist, Hillsville, VA.

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