

Viaje a Bolivia to teach Evangelism in Depth

"God only had one son and
He was a missionary."

On April 16, 2025, Pastor Alejandro Guacho, Brother Dámaso Francisco, his wife María, and their daughter Joy traveled from Guayaquil, Ecuador to Bolivia to complete the planned in-depth evangelism teaching. Thank God, the trip was uneventful, and we arrived safely in Santa Cruz, Bolivia, at 2:00 a.m. on the 17th.

That same day, we went to pick up the Evangelism in Depth printed materials from the print shop of Brother Victor Torrico and his son. Thank God for the life of a brother who is always ready to collaborate in the production of printed teaching materials.

On April 18, we began teaching at the "Nueva Jerusalén" church in the Buena Fe neighborhood. Pastor Alejandro Guacho taught the first night. Attendance was very good, and he challenged the brothers to become more involved in evangelism and missions.



Brother Dámaso taught the second evening, and there was also a very good attendance. We followed the sequence of teaching materials and PowerPoint presentations prepared by Brother Wil Pounds. We clearly explained "Evangelism in Depth" so that the brothers and sisters would deeply understand the gospel. As everywhere, there is a significant lack of a deep understanding of Christ's work on the cross.

The third evening, Alejandro continued with the teaching, following the sequence of presentations. It is always a great blessing for us to share the word of God and challenge the brothers and sisters to live a life worthy of the Lord.

On the right, Brother Alejandro is seen presenting the plan of salvation to a master bricklayer while he rests. Alejandro seizes the opportunities to share Christ with the lost. We thank God for this immense opportunity that allows us to share the word of God, both in Santa Cruz and Tarija, Bolivia.



On April 23rd, we traveled to the city of Tarija to continue the teachings for four nights at Bethel Baptist Church. The trip was a bit tiring, 14 hours by bus, partly due to the poor condition of the roads caused by the rains. Tarija has a population of about 200,000 inhabitants, with similar spiritual needs. Bethel is located almost in the center of the city, and it has many Christians demonstrating transformed lives.



On the 24th, we began the teachings. The first night, Brother Dámaso gave an in-depth introduction to the topic of evangelism. The group was very attentive. The second night, Brother Alejandro taught, and the attendance of the brethren was also good. The third night, Brother Dámaso taught again. There was more attendance, and the brethren were very attentive to the teachings. Sunday morning, we had two messages: first, Alejandro, then Dámaso. The brethren were grateful for the teachings, and we were also grateful for the participation of the brethren. The last night, Pastor Alejandro taught, with a good exhortation to everyone to get involved in evangelism and exhorting them about the assurance of salvation.



On the 25th, 26th, and 28th, we had a good ministry at the Morros Blanco prison in Tarija. On Friday, we had a good time with the inmates teaching in a classroom. Inmates attended, some apparently quite mature, others just beginning their Christian life, and others just out of curiosity.

We weren't allowed to bring cell phones to take photos, but it's very interesting inside. Everything seems normal with everything: work, some selling food, others running errands. It's a normal life, except they can't go out. Brother Martín, the leader of the believers, has been in prison for 15 years, a Christian believer of just a few years. Their interest in knowing more about God is evident. Pastor Fernando Flores of Bethel Church leads Bible studies in the prison, with the support of the church. On Saturday, we had a beautiful time outdoors where everyone heard the gospel message. The words of the brothers and sisters encourage us. Despite being deprived of their freedom, they don't feel deprived, they say, "In Christ, we are all free." On Monday, we celebrated Brother Hermes's daughter's birthday in prison. We had a wonderful time and took the opportunity to present the plan of salvation to the brother's family members who were visiting.



God's plans are perfect; He awaits Christians ready to take the message to the ends of the earth. We are grateful to God for using us in His vineyard. To the Abide in Christ team for the travel supplies, teaching manuals, tracts and brochures. To Pastor Wil Pounds for encouraging us to make disciples in other countries. To the churches: New Jerusalem and Bethel Baptist Church. To the members of the congregation who attended. All for the glory of God!

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