



# The Sandres Family

## MISSIONARIES TO ROATAN, HONDURAS

### NOVEMBER/DECEMBER UPDATES

#### PRAISES

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The salvation of Ariel!

Ever's first trip to the USA!

God has provided 2 new teachers to join the ministry in Roatan!

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

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Souls to be saved on the island of Roatan.

Guidance and wisdom as we serve the people of Roatan.

God to strengthen marriages in the church.

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Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Happy New Year from the Sandres family! We pray that 2025 will be a year that the name of Jesus is lifted up and that the Lord is glorified in all we say and do.

November and December were busy months, as the holidays tend to be, and we saw God's hand at work in Roatan. 9 of our men went on a 2-night trip to the mainland to attend a men's conference. They came back encouraged, bonded, and ready to serve the Lord. One of the men, Ariel, is the husband of a sweet lady that Carol is discipling. We have been praying along with his wife for months that he would come to know the Lord as his personal Savior. In early December he approached Ever and asked him

to show him from the Bible how he could be saved. One week later he and his wife were baptized together! Praise the Lord!

In our last letter we asked for prayer for our first Couple's banquet. Ever's home pastor, Pastor Luis Dole and his wife Daysi, came to spend a week with our church. They were such a blessing to our family and church! Many couples came and were taught Biblical marriage principles. Please keep praying for unity and spiritual growth in the marriages and families of the church.

The Christmas season was a busy time. Our school children sang carols in the airport, and we had fun teen and ladies' activities (it was so much fun introducing them to "white elephant" gift exchanges.) The children's class also performed a cute Christmas drama on Christmas Eve.

This Christmas we had the privilege to travel to the States for Ever and Lia's first time in the country! It is our first ever furlough, and we are planning to break it up into 2 parts. During the first few months of 2025 we will be based in Cleveland, Ohio at our home church, the Cleveland Baptist Church. We will be taking some time to visit family so they can get to know Ever, as well as take care of some necessary paperwork. We will spend the spring and summer back in Roatan, and we are planning to return to the States for the fall to visit our supporting churches and, Lord-willing, raise more support. We are so thankful that God has prepared a team of co-workers in the ministry in Roatan. Between the assistant pastor and many other laborers in the church, the ministry in Roatan will continue smoothly in our absence. As much as we miss our church family in Roatan, we are enjoying our time with family and look forward to serving the Lord while we are here.

Thank you for your continued prayers,  
*Ever, Carol, Santi, and Lia*

*Glory to God for His many blessings!*

