

# JEAN PAUL & MELODY ESCALERA

## INDEPENDENT BAPTIST MISSIONARIES HELPING STRUGGLING CHURCHES

*"...striving together for the faith of the gospel" (Philippians 1:27).*

### May 10, 2022 Ministry Report

Dear Faithful Supporters, Friends, and Family, greetings from Colorado!

It's hard to believe that two months have passed since our last ministry report. It's been a busy time and as summer approaches (YEAH!) we look forward to what the Lord has planned for us!

As I mentioned in our previous report we have had visitors almost every week, some are coming back, some have been



saved, some have become members and some have been baptized, PTL! In answer to your prayers for this ministry the Lord has brought in the following:

From left to right: Brandi was saved and baptized last year. She loves the Lord and has grown in grace and knowledge of Him. She is faithful to every service and helps teach in the children's Sunday School. Cindy has been attending for several months and recently submitted to believer's baptism. She too is faithful and a blessing to everyone. Sean, Debbie and their daughter, Lilly have been attending for a few months. Recently Debbie (who comes from a Jewish background) was saved and Jesus is now her Messiah! She and Sean will be baptized this coming Sunday. Finally, Jonathan & Rochelle, who also have been attending faithfully for several months, joined the church two weeks ago! On Easter Sunday I preached on "Spectators At The Cross" during Sunday School and we had 42 in attendance. We also had a good attendance on Mother's Day with several visitors. We praise the Lord for what He is doing here at Victory Baptist Church in Monument, Colorado!

Since our last report I have had to go to Urgent Care, get more medications for my COPD, and had to use oxygen on and off quite a bit. However, I praise the Lord for the good days! Recently Melody had her first cataract surgery and will have the second surgery on May 18th. She also has lost some of her hearing and will need hearing aids. She will also have some other medical exams in the near future. Please keep her in prayer. As we mature (grow older) we appreciate the words of Psalm 139:14 *"I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well."*

Thank you for your faithful prayer and financial support!

*Jean Paul & Melody Escalera*

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