# each Them to Reach Thom.

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## Praises

- Our Sunday School project is ahead of schedule
- Our Thanksgiving Evangelistic Dinner was well-attended
- One of college students witnessed and led a teenager to the Lord. The teen stopped by church every Sunday hoping to sell his "churros". One of our college students befriended him and shared the Gospel.
- Héctor received his medical degreee and is working. He took a year off before doing his residency to get married and settle into married life. Exciting times ahead!

### Prayer Requests

- Our ladies' Bible Study, we are finishing up our chronological study and are beginning a study on Bible doctrine.
- Héctor and Julissa wedding plans
- Opportunities to do more Teacher Training

#### **Reviewing the Blessings**



God has been so very good to the ministry and to us personally. Here are the highlights:

- We hosted an evangelistic Thanksgiving Dinner. that was very well-received.
- We have two couples currently doing pre-marital counseling
- Our ladies Bible study is wrapping up our Chronological study and is moving on to "Doctrine in our Daily Lives".

Thanksgiving Kitchen Crew

- Two of of our college students are looking at Bible colleges to train to be missionaries
- EBI's Sunday school project is 6 months ahead of schedule.
- Héctor and Julissa have set a date for March 4th. He has his medical license, has a job and is ready to get married..

### **Beyond Sunday School Material**

So often as I sat through my classes in Seminary, I wondered why so many of the topics I was learning weren't taught at a younger age. I'm guessing because we weren't sure how or we didn't have the resources

Recently as I was reviewing books for to recommend for translation and publishing, I came across a book that is essentially a systematic theology for children. Each doctrine is presented in a manner and format that is understandable for children (Christology; -ology/doctrine of Christ). It was written so that parents could take deep topics and begin to teach their children. All the "-ologies", I learned in Seminary have been compiled into a book aimed at families. It is beautifully done.

Children's books are often cost prohibitive due to the amount of color involved in their presentation, but THIS book I would venture to say would be an invaluable tool for any Christian home.

To bring a book like this to print costs approximately \$15K. It cost me thousands of dollars for my master's degree and theological training. Imagine being able to have that knowledge presented for families in a book for less than \$25! These are the types of books that we aim to publish.

We've just begin investigating the possibility of adding a book like this to our library. EBI has in place a way for churches and individuals to give towards the publishing of books. I'll share more next month about this possible project. The idea of making a book like this available to families is exciting.