



Biblical Institute of Central America

A Two-Year Bible School - to prepare evangelists and church leaders

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Dear Family of God,

Without hesitation, we proclaim the glory and goodness of our God. Thank Him for His great mercies. Praise Him for His grace, which He has bestowed upon the Biblical Institute. Recently, I read an article about the providence of God. The writer made a true observation. He explained that God's help and guidance do not start until we make a faithful commitment. As believers, we are committed to reach the multitudes, nothing less. Thank you for your commitment to prayers and financial help. As a result, we are a God-blessed work. God, you, and BICA make a good team.

I have written about the following in times past. I am disturbed that our reports are not in the hands and hearts of many elders, deacons, missions committees, and faithful members. Let me tell you why. First of all, members need to know of the fruit of their sacrifice. It gives them contentment about their commitment. Then they can praise God as they see thousands are being saved. That motivates them. Perhaps most of all, they will know what to ask God to do with and for us. For example, right now we need your strong, strong, faithful prayers for our school leaders in Guatemala. Literally, we have a severe **life and death** situation. I have been asked not to give details by those who are in harm's way. The situation is extremely grave. Bend a knee before the throne of the most high God—**PLEASE!** Wouldn't it be wonderful if we had all our righteous brethren praying for our extremely faithful brethren in Guatemala? Please take it upon yourself to send the email addresses or US postal addresses to: ls_huff@yahoo.com

We look to Nicaragua as a sample of the work going on among our three schools. Results from Nicaragua for April through June 17 (2 1/2 months) - 170 baptisms (on campaigns; 40 restorations; 35 weekend baptisms; 12 weekend restorations. In Jinotepe (school location) Mondays and Wednesdays—10 baptisms and 1 restoration. Total: Baptisms—215; restorations—53.

Let me make an appeal to those who are retired or semi-retired. Many of you are poised to do your greatest work for your Lord Jesus. You have experience and wisdom. Now you have time to do some extraordinary things for the vision of Jesus. God is ready to help you do mighty things that will result in many being saved. You can be blessed and a blessing. It is not easy, but it is rewarding and satisfying. We need help in several areas. Are you up to it? Call me, please.

I have moved to the Houston area (Tomball/Pinehurst) to help some local churches in evangelism. This will not change my work with BICA. It is something that I have craved to do for some time. Soon, we will have many trained to be excellent at teaching the lost. It is easy. They only need to be equipped very well. Please record these changes:

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Be sure to visit our website: www.bica.info. We have 12 months of back newsletters plus other interesting information. This website is being converted to a more user-friendly version and is therefore a few months behind with the newsletters. Thank you for your patience.

Always keep us in your prayers. We love you with the love of the Lord.

In Christ,

George W. Hall

From the Caribbean . .

... to the Pacific shores of Central America



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**Nicaragua Biblical Institute of Central America
Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual
January through June 2010**

	TOTAL					
	Jan - Mar 10	Budget	Apr - Jun 10	Budget	Jan - Jun 10	Budget
Income						
46110 · NSCC	6,249.00	6,249.00	6,249.00	6,249.00	12,498.00	12,498.00
46120 · McDermott Rt CoC	14,100.00	14,100.00	17,900.00	14,100.00	32,000.00	28,200.00
46125 · Erwin Cof C Tyler, Tx.	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
46130 · North Brandon CoC	600.00	900.00	1,200.00	900.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
46140 · Legacy Richardson	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	6,000.00
46160 · Williston C of C North Dakota	0.00	0.00	6,500.00	0.00	6,500.00	0.00
46165 · Dardanelle Church of Christ	125.00	0.00	575.00	0.00	700.00	700.00
46167 · Broad Street C of C Mineola	0.00	0.00	5,250.00	0.00	5,250.00	0.00
46180 · Dr. S. Dennis	1,000.00	1,500.00	2,000.00	1,500.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
46182 · Countryside COC /Canadian, Tx.	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	5,400.00	5,400.00
46185 · Interest on Money Market	19.73	0.00	19.69	0.00	39.42	0.00
Total Income	42,793.73	43,449.00	59,393.69	43,449.00	102,187.42	86,898.00
Expense						
60200 · Auto/Bus Permits/Fuel Expense	1,516.09	1,080.00	1,650.00	1,080.00	3,166.09	2,160.00
60400 · Bank Service Charges	15.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	35.00	0.00
60800 · Building and Property Security	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
62700 · Evangelism and Special Events	4,335.47	4,143.37	3,850.01	4,680.00	8,185.48	8,823.37
62790 · BICA-Seminar	450.00	450.00	450.00	0.00	900.00	450.00
63300 · Food-Students	6,550.00	8,100.00	6,886.82	8,100.00	13,436.82	16,200.00
63325 · Shoes and Clothes-Students	2,307.00	1,615.10	624.10	0.00	2,931.10	1,615.10
63335 · Portable Baptistry/cots	0.00	0.00	3,436.00	0.00	3,436.00	0.00
63350 · Cleaning-Students	331.65	480.00	17.02	480.00	348.67	960.00
64700 · Miscellaneous Expense	117.18	75.00	97.14	75.00	214.32	150.00
64750 · House Repairs Expense	169.50	160.75	66.17	150.00	235.67	310.75
64900 · Office Supplies	257.60	240.00	95.95	240.00	353.55	480.00
66500 · Postage and Delivery	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
67100 · Rent Expense(House)	6,840.00	6,870.00	6,780.00	6,870.00	13,620.00	13,740.00
67225 · Vehicle-Insurance/2 ea.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
67250 · Vehicle Registration/Repairs	2,200.00	0.00	1,800.00	110.00	4,000.00	110.00
67300 · School Supplies	288.90	330.00	75.79	170.00	364.69	500.00
67800 · Purch. Furnishing for Hse/school	3,720.00	10,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,720.00	10,000.00
67850 · Student Allowance-Married	10,800.00	10,800.00	10,800.00	10,800.00	21,600.00	21,600.00
67855 · Student Allowance-Single	1,675.00	1,725.00	1,575.00	1,725.00	3,250.00	3,450.00
68100 · Telephone Expense	450.00	300.00	450.00	300.00	900.00	600.00
68150 · Telephone-Fin. Info.	251.81	405.00	298.92	405.00	550.73	810.00
68175 · Telephone-Tx./Nic.	0.00	120.00	0.00	120.00	0.00	240.00
68180 · Travel-George Hall	0.00	0.00	1,770.00	1,500.00	1,770.00	1,500.00
68600 · Utilities - Water/Electric/Gas	737.70	150.00	727.44	150.00	1,465.14	300.00
68670 · Internet	173.14	174.00	172.44	174.00	345.58	348.00
68700 · Wages	6,986.48	6,080.00	7,314.82	5,865.00	14,301.30	11,945.00
69100 · Workers Benefits	1,505.95	805.00	2,218.20	995.00	3,724.15	1,800.00
69110 · 13TH Month	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
69120 · Worker Liquidation	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
69140 · Vocational year.12 mo stud help	5,100.00	5,100.00	5,100.00	5,100.00	10,200.00	10,200.00
69145 · Trans Grad home	1,050.00	1,050.00	0.00	0.00	1,050.00	1,050.00
69150 · Retention/per Gov.	183.15	320.07	308.61	320.07	491.76	640.14
69151 · Moving students after graduatio	3,535.00	3,535.00	0.00	0.00	3,535.00	3,535.00
Total Expense	61,546.62	64,108.29	56,584.43	49,409.07	118,131.05	113,517.36
Net Income	-18,752.89	-20,659.29	2,809.26	-5,960.07	-15,943.63	-26,619.36

**BIBLICAL INSTITUTE OF CENTRAL AMERICA
GUATEMALA CITY**

REPORT OF CAMPAIGN AND SEMINAR IN HONDURAS MAY 2010:

MONTHLY EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN IN TECULUTAN: We had 3 years since we did not make an evangelistic campaign in Teculután. On May we were scheduling our campaign with the church in Teculután with two goals: Restoration of members that did not attend the services and preach the gospel to the lost. The complete body of students was working in evangelism by the three first days of the week (because the second year students were attending a seminar en Honduras during Thursday and Friday) Then the first year students were taking the control of the campaign, for the glory of God the results of the campaign were the following:

21 Baptisms 11 Restorations 67 Contacts

STUDENTS OF SECOND YEAR ATTENDING SEMINAR IN TEGUCIGALPA HONDURAS: Like a part in the training of our students we were traveling from Teculután to Tegucigalpa Honduras to attend the Baxter seminar. The total attendance to the seminar was of approximately 150 people. The subject of the seminar was "The Person of the Holy Spirit" The principal speaker was brother Dan C. Coker. It was a good opportunity for growth in the ministry for our students of second year

WEEKEND EVANGELISTIC WORK: For the glory of God our students are showing love, hard work, and responsibility through their work every weekend with small churches around Guatemala City. Most of them are leaving the school on Saturdays at 5:00 a.m. to start a hard day of work in the Vineyard. They are returning on Sunday in the night. Results for the 20th of May:

22 Baptisms 101 Contacts 22 restorations 31 disciples to teach others

**Total of Baptisms of MAY-----43
Restorations of MAY-----33
Contacts----- 168**

From ROBERTO ALVAREZ

More Guatemala News

About 350 people lost their lives when the Pacaya volcano blew its top, and Tropical Storm Agatha dumped too much rain.

They are feeding and bringing drinking water to 232 church members on the money that two supporting congregations gave. The meals are fairly simple and cost an average of 14 cents per meal consisting of corn meal, beans, oil and rice.

Several members lost their entire house, and many more lost their furniture, clothing, gardens, and jobs they depended on.

One community had 5 feet of water standing in their homes for a week. Some yards were still standing 6 inches in water 3 weeks after the storm.

Another community had a 50 foot wide river 500 yards from the nearest house, and in 30 minutes it was a 1/2 mile wide raging river. River sand completely buried several homes. Their only water supply now comes from a contaminated well across the river. Water is siphoned through a 1/2 inch hose for the whole community. The rains washed through the city dump for the 5 million people in Guatemala City; it is now littered on the entire shoreline of the river.

Two water purification systems were donated. Two supporters went down to show how to assemble and operate them. They use regular table salt and a car battery hooked to a solar panel to create chlorine gas to purify the water. For those of you who have been to Mexico, it is 10 times more powerful than clorox without the terrible taste. It kills 99% of the bad stuff in the water. Most of the sicknesses in the country are due to contaminated water. We are working on a project for someone to take one of these systems around to the 52 towns where the Church has been established and provide them with pure drinking water on a weekly basis.

