# **Honduras Information Meeting**

#### What Is a Missionary?

According to Webster's Dictionary, a missionary is "one who is sent out with authority to perform a special duty."

**II Corinthians 5:20** - So we have been sent to speak for Christ. It is like God is calling to people through us..(ERV)

Mark 16:15 - And He said to them, "Go everywhere and announce the Message of God's good news to one and all." (MSG)

**Psalms 96:3** -Tell all the nations how wonderful He is! Tell people everywhere about the amazing things He does. (ERV)

God has called every believer to spread the good news of Jesus Christ everywhere. We have been sent by Jesus, Himself with a very important job.

God will equip you and anoint you to do everything in we are called to do while we are spreading the good news of Jesus Christ.

**Isaiah 61:1** -THE SPIRIT of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed and **qualified** me to preach the Gospel of good tidings to the meek, the poor, and afflicted; He has sent me to bind up and heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the [physical and spiritual] captives and the opening of the prison and of the eyes to those who are bound (AMP)

We do NOT go on a mission's trip:

- For a vacation
- To get away from our family
- For a fun adventure

#### **Prayer**

Please begin praying for the trip every day if you have not started. Find a prayer partner who will dedicate to pray for you and for our team every day from now until you return.

Things to pray for:

**Anointing** - Refers to being chosen for a specific task. We receive God's blessing, protection, and empowerment for that task. We are anointed like Christ to preach the Gospel, heal the brokenhearted, preach deliverance to the captives, and pray for the sick. (See Luke 4:18 and Matthew 10:7-8)

**Unity** – Pray for team unity. (I Corinthians 10:1, Ephesians 4:2-3)

**Strength** – God will give us the strength to do all things. (Philippians 4:13)

**Health-** Jesus is our healer and He will protect us from sickness. (I Peter 2:24, Psalm 103:3, Mark 16:18)

**Wisdom** - Our steps and daily activities are ordered by God. He will lead us and give us wisdom. (James 1:5. Proverbs 20:24)

**Salvation** – Salvation for those we minister to. (2 Peter 3:9, John 3:16)

Leaders – Pray for strength, wisdom, and guidance for your leaders (1 Timothy 2:1-2)

Safety – Safety as we all travel to and from the mission field and safety in all we do. (Psalm 91:11)

#### **Passports**

You must have a passport that does not expire for at least 6 months prior to your trip and you must have at least 1 blank page in your passport.

Everyone needs to send a copy of their passport (the picture page only) to Michelle Johns by text or email. Everyone needs to make 1 extra copy to carry on them. You must carry a copy of your passport (the picture page) on you at all times while in Guatemala and Honduras. A photo is sufficient. You can keep your original passport in your luggage at the mission home for safe keeping.

\*\* DO NOT PUT YOUR PASSPORT NEAR bug spray or any of your toiletries. It will ruin your passport and will be very costly to you to have it replaced while on the mission field.

In the event you lose or ruin your passport, you are not allowed to leave the country until a new one is issued.

#### **Applications**

All applications, references, airline itinerary must be submitted prior to the trip-no exceptions. It can be emailed or mailed.

#### **Finances**

You are responsible for purchasing your plane ticket. You are responsible for your luggage. You need to submit your itinerary with the flight confirmation number, airline, and flight number.

You are responsible for your own meals on the way to and from Honduras.

You are responsible for additional travel expenses you incur (for example extra luggage).

You are responsible for extra personal expenses (for example snacks, forgotten personal items, medical needs, souvenirs).

You are responsible for your own spending money for such items.

<u>Currency</u> -You must bring American currency with you to exchange. Your bills should be \$50. \$20, \$10 mostly. They must be crisp, wrinkle free, and as new as possible with absolutely **NO RIPS or MARKS on them**!!!

Text or email Michelle the amount of money you would like to change, or tell the leader in Buffalo and they will inform Michelle. I highly recommend you do not use the exchange service in the airport as they will charge you high exchange rates. Michelle can have your money ready for you upon arrival at the mission house.

#### **Tips**

Tips are customary in Honduras. For example in the airport if someone helps you with your luggage you should tip them. If you are in a grocery store and someone carries your bags to your car tip them.

A fair tip at the airport is \$4.00-\$5.00 per person that helps. If you have a big team and only one or two people help with the luggage then \$8.00 - \$10.00 is good. It is better if you can manage without help. The people in the airport are sometimes agressive about helping but if you say no, they will leave you alone eventually. There are free luggage carts in the luggage claim area.

A fair tip at a grocery store is 30L per person that helps.

You do not need to tip your drivers or people on the team that help you. They are apart of the Love Honduras team for the week.

### Giving

Love Honduras has a policy that we do not give money to individuals. You will be asked for money. The need will be real. If you feel God wants you to help someone, talk to a team leader and we will see if there is a way to help them.

When we minister in churches, feel free to put money in the offering to bless the church. Also, know that Love Honduras pays for all the ministry supplies, team meals, and gives a small offering at each church we minister in.

At the end of your trip if you want to bless the people who work for Love Honduras you are welcome to do so (for example the drivers, cook, missionaries, or a translator). Please keep in mind that everyone works hard. Please be considerate of everyone when you give. Also if you want to give one offering I can divide it between everyone or you can give to a specific project of. Love Honduras.

If you want to give to Love Honduras you can do so through the Buffalo Dream Center (<a href="www.buffalodreamcenter.org">www.buffalodreamcenter.org</a>) or on the Love Honduras website (<a href="www.love-Honduras.org">www.love-Honduras.org</a>) just designate your offering for Love Honduras or the specific project. You can give through paypal, Venmo, credit card, or you can send it in the mail to the Buffalo Dream Center (286 Lafayette Avenue, Buffalo NY 14213)

There are various small souvenirs for sale at the mission house you can buy to support Love Honduras and its various ministries.

#### **Pre Check**

There is only one form you must fill out before you check in at the airport in Buffalo. It is the customs and immigration form for Honduras.

Fill out the form at the link below. Then take a picture of the QR code. In Buffalo you will need to show the photo of the QR code to prove you completed it. At immigration in Honduras they will scan the code.

https://sisglobal.aduanas.gob.hn/Pech/#/plataforma/otra\_gestiones/formularioDJRV

# Important things to remember to pack

- Toiletries you need
- Water bottle
- Raincoat (you just need a cheap one. You may not even use it)
- Bug spray
- Hand sanitizer/wet wipes
- Sunscreen (hat and sunglasses for protection from the sun)
- Backpack/day bag
- Washcloth (we have sufficient towels at the mission house)
- Bible/Notebook/Pen
- Flashlight
- Jacket/warm clothes for the evening
- Things to giveaway see flyer
- If you have prescription medication please put it in your carry-on in its original prescription bottle/packaging

#### Things for Specific trips:

- Sleeping bag/blanket/pillow(only for Montana De La Flor /La Mosquitia)
- Sleeping pad(optional but suggested only for Montana De La Flor /La Mosquitia)
- Mosquito Net (only for La Mosquitia)
- Work gloves (only for work project teams)
- Duffle bag to pack in (only forMontana de la flor/La Mosquita)
- life jacket (only for La Mosquitia)

#### Clothes

- Pack clothes that are not expensive and you don't care if they get dirty
- Running shoes that you don't care about getting dirty
- Sandals/crocs are good too
- 2 pairs of long pants for places like the garbage dump, jails, and the red light district
- Church clothes (2 outfits)
  - o Girls dress pants are fine. If you wear a skirt it needs to cover the knee
  - Men no shorts in church. Jeans or dress pants. A short sleeve dress shirt or polo shirt.

# **Dress Code**

- 1. There is a problem with lust and sexual immorality in Honduran culture even more so than at home. Churches expect Christians to dress more conservatively than you are probably accustomed to. Also, dressing more conservatively will eliminate unwanted comments and minimize problems in this area.
- 2. The climate of Honduras is generally hot but can cool off at night and can be cool in high altitudes. Keep this in mind when packing clothing. Clothing that is loose fitting and modest must be worn.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Bedding, blankets, towel, and pillow are provided at the mission house only.

- 3. Shorts are acceptable sometimes. They are NOT acceptable for any kind of church service, prison ministry, in the garbage dumps, or on street ministry. If they are worn they must come to at least the middle of your thigh and they cannot be spandex shorts.
- 4. Shirts- Women's shirts should be of modest length and not too tight fitting. The stomach should not be visible. Sleeveless shirts are not acceptable. Modest tank tops are acceptable sometimes but not all of the time. They are NOT acceptable in prison, on street ministry, or at the garbage dump. Spaghetti strap tank tops are unacceptable. For males, tight fitting muscle shirts are unacceptable except during a work projects. Loose fitting muscle shirts are acceptable sometimes. They are NOT acceptable in church, in prison, on the streets or in the garbage dumps.
- 5. Pants For women capris and pants are acceptable. Yoga pants and other tighter fitting pants are acceptable. However, if you are planning on wearing tight fitting capris or pants, you should be sure your shirt pulls down over your bottom. No holey pants for church meetings. Pants must be worn by everyone if you are ministering in jail. Capris are not allowed in jail. Pants must be worn by women in the red light district and garbage dump.
- 6. Bring clothing that you do not mind getting dirty including your shoes.
- 7. For church meetings nice casual clothes are acceptable. If a female is going to wear a skirt or dress it must come to her knees. Shorts are not acceptable for church meetings for men or women. For men casual pants or nice jeans with a button up or a polo shirt. Keep in mind most churches do not have air conditioning. Holey pants are not acceptable for church.
- 8. For shoes every team member must have at least one pair of running shoes that completely covers the foot. This is for your safety at work sites and in other locations such as the garbage dumps. Sandals and all other types of shoes are acceptable. You will be on your feet a lot and walking in places where you will want good supportive shoes.
- 9. Do not bring a lot of expensive jewelry or accessories.
- 10. Do not bring or wear any Chicago Bulls clothing, hats, jackets etc. In Honduras Chicago Bulls clothing is related to a very dangerous gang. Do not bring expensive shoes, particularly white Nikes with red logos. These can also cause problems with gang members in certain areas.
- 11. If you are doing prison ministry please familiarize yourself with the dress guidelines for prison.
- 13. You may have the opportunity to swim. One piece or modest two piece bathing suits only for females. Swimming shorts for men. Most places you can swim in a t-shirt and shorts as well.

**FOR LA MOSQUITIA**- Women must wear skirts below your knees in all church services and NO Shorts for women at any time in La Mosquitia. For men NO shorts in churches. DO on bring anything valuable. La Mosquitia is is hot and humid all the time. There is limited space and so all your belongings must fit in a duffle bag. You cannot bring a suitcase. Remember you will be carrying your belongings sometimes.

<u>MONTANA DE LA FLOR -</u> There is limited space in the trucks for personal belongings. You cannot bring a big suitcase to the mountain or La Mosquitia. All your clothes and supplies must fit in a duffle bag. In the mountains it is warm during the day but it cools off at night. Also sometimes it is very muddy.

# **Communication with your leaders**

Check your email and facebook frequently

Check your emails. Our main email addresses are <a href="mailto:ericandmichellejohns@live.com">ericandmichellejohns@live.com</a> and <a href="mailto:information@buffalodreamcenter.org">information@buffalodreamcenter.org</a>

One of the leaders will be setting up a chat group in What's app for this team. It is important you are included in this chat. If you do not have What's app, please down load it.

Everyone in Honduras úsese What's app. It is free. It let's you message and talk using data or WIFI

#### Honduras leaders phone numbers:

Michelle Johns – 716-563-6511 Mikayla Johns – 716-951-9370 Hector - 504-9886-7879 \*\* Spanish only

\*\* please use What's app when calling any one of these leaders.

### **Ministry Guidelines**

- A. Never wonder off on your own at any time.
- B. Never give anyone money or promise anyone money.
- C. Do not carry large amount of money or valuable belongings out on ministry.
- D. Do not leave personal items, cell phones, or ipads laying around where people will see them.
- E. Bring drinks. Wear sunscreen and hats to ministry outreaches outside. It will be hot and tiring.
- F. Females should minister to females and males to males.
- G. If someone is rude, obscene, or argumentative to you-just walk away or show them God's love.
- H. When at an outreach-keep in focus with what the group is doing. Don't get doing your own thing. For instance in the middle of the children's program, don't strike up a conversation with the parents on the sideline. When playing with the kids, don't have your own private football game with your friends. Remember who and what we are there for.
- I. Put ALL your energy into ministry time.
- J. Dress appropriately. You will be outside rain or shine. Dress comfortably.
- K. Do not be on your cell phones or distracted during ministry times.
- L. The ministry starts in the morning before we leave with loading and doesn't end until everything is put away at the house in the evening.
- M. You are here for the people of Honduras and should always be interacting with them during ministry times, not other team mates.
- N. During an outreach program if someone, especially a child is being disruptive, gently stop them. You can hold a small child. You can put your arm around the shoulder of an older child or around an adult.
- O. Do not give out your contact information to anyone in Honduras including pastors and Honduran team members without asking your leader.

# **Other Ministry Information**

#### **Sharing Your Testimony/exhortation**

Some will have the opportunity to share a short testimony or exhortation in a church service or at an outreach. Please think about this ahead of time. Please keep the following in mind.

- a. You will only have 5 minutes to share however you will have a translator so your time will actually be half of what you have
- b. Your testimony or short exhortation should include:
  - a. One scripture
  - b. One point
  - c. One story
  - d. One challenge
- c. When you work with a translator you say a complete thought and then let them translate. It is important that you do not say too little or too much.

# **Praying for People**

You will pray for lots of people. Please only pray for people at the appropriate time. Stay on the team's agenda. For example, in the middle of the Kidz Club lesson is not an appropriate time to pray for someone.

You will not always be able to use a translator. But remember that your prayers are anointed with or without a translator.

### **Types of Ministry**

**Work Projects** 

Hospital visits

Village outreaches

**School Outreaches** 

Elderly Hostels (homeless elderly people)

Church services

Tribal outreaches

Jail

Door -to-door

Campfire outreaches

Kidz Club

Feeding programs

Clothing and food distributions

Street evangelism

# Life in Central America

### **Living Quarters**

We are going to be staying in a mission house.

You will be assigned to a room.

All the extra suitcases and supplies will go in a designated spot and distributed as needed.

We will be one big HAPPY family for a week or two. You will share your personal space and not get upset.

You will do your share of chores for our family.

You will follow the rules.

## Do's and Don'ts

- 1. Don't drink the tap water. Don't even brush your teeth with it. In each bathroom there will be a jug of bottled water for brushing your teeth.
- 2. Bring a water bottle so you can fill it with pure water to drink.
- 3. Don't drink things that other people offer you without checking with a leader.
- 4. Don't flush anything other than human waste down the toilet..no toilet paper, no female products. There are trash cans in each bathroom for toilet paper and all other trash.
- 5. Remove the garbage from your bathroom each day.
- 6. Do not take one hour in the bathroom. You will be sharing. Plan who will shower at night/morning. I suggest flip flops for the bathroom/shower.
- 7. Do clean the bathroom after you use it. Remove your hair from the drain/shower.
- 8. Keep your living area neat and tidy. I don't care what the inside of your suitcase looks like. Just don't have your stuff everywhere. Don't leave all your stuff laying around the bathroom either.
- 9. There should never be food and dishes laying around the house or your room. Put them in the kitchen when you are done.
- 10. Quiet time is 10pm. You are free to talk and hang out after 10pm. Be respectful of those wanting to sleep.
- 11. No girls in boy's rooms and no boys in girl's rooms. If you are hanging out at night there should be three people if the opposite sex is involved...regardless of age. That way there is no room for a lack of integrity or questioning.

- 12. DO drink tons of water. Stay hydrated. Don't just drink pop.
- 13. Before leaving the house turn off the lights and fans. Close and lock the windows.
- 14. When eating a meal, be considerate of who else still has to eat or hasn't had anything.
- 15. The mission house does have internet. However, it may run slower than you are used to.

#### **Devotions**

Every morning or evening we will have devotions and prayer together. You, along with your partner(s) are to share 1-2 scriptures and a couple encouraging thoughts/stories pertaining to the missions trip and what we are doing while in Honduras. Then we will pray together. If there is a worship leader on the team, we will also have some worship.

#### **Chores**

Every day everyone will be assigned chores

This does not mean you only do your chores and nothing else. This mean you do your chores and anything else that needs to get done. Please be on time for your chore

<u>Breakfast</u> – Check the night before about when breakfast is. After breakfast, do the dishes, wipe off the table, tidy the kitchen, and sweep the floor

<u>Lunch crew</u> – Check in the night before as to whether we are packing lunch or having it at the mission house. If we are packing lunch you need to report to the kitchen at least 30 minutes before breakfast. Pack lunch according to the instructions you are given and put it by the door. Make sure it goes in the vehicle. At lunch you are in charge of distributing it. At the end of the day, when we come back to the mission house, you are in charge of cleaning up the cooler and lunch supplies.

If lunch is at the mission house, then you are to help set out and prepare whatever the cook needs. Then help clean up after lunch, including doing the dishes, wiping off the table, tidying the kitchen, and sweeping the floor.

<u>Dinner</u> –After ministry, see how you can help with dinner. Set out the dishes and drinks. After dinner, help put everything away, do the dishes, tidy the kitchen, wipe off the tables and counters, sweep the floor, and make sure the ice cube trays are filled with purified water for the next day.

<u>Bathroom Tidy</u> – In the morning your group is to wipe down all the bathrooms with cleaner (sinks, toilets, and showers) and empty all the trash cans in the house. Mop the bathrooms if needed.

<u>Ministry Clean Up</u> – When we get back to the mission house, your team is to make sure the van or bus is cleaned out (All the trash picked up and people's belongings are NOT left). Your team is also responsible to tidy up all the ministry supplies and restock activities if necessary. For example, clean up the face painting, restock balloons and tracts.

<u>Outside Tidy</u> - Before breakfast your team is responsible to clean up the yard which includes sweeping up the leaves and fruit, cleaning off the tables and chairs, picking up trash and team supplies laying around, tidying upstairs by the shed and sink area.

Other Assignments: Last Check people, first aid person, water person, cleaning vehicles

# **Airport and travel**

Please arrange the time your group is meeting at the airport. Be early.

You are responsible to arrange your own ride to and from the airport.

The Buffalo Dream Center has some duffle bags going to Honduras. If you are willing to be responsible for a duffle bag as your second piece of luggage please let the leader know. Someone from the Buffalo Dream Center will meet you at the airport with it. The Buffalo Dream Center will reimburse you for the fee which is \$40.00. You just need to pick it up in Honduras with the help of another team member if needed.

Be sure to carry the contact information that I send you on you while you are traveling. Please note that you can call or text Michelle in Honduras in case of a problem.

# Michelle's Mission House Information

Colonia Miraflores
Calle Norte, bloque #7, Casa #3731
Tegucigalpa, Honduras

\*\* You will need the mission house information for the online customs form you have to fill out.

#### What to Expect in Montana De La Flor

- The mountain is a lot of physical work. You will be loading and unloading trucks, carrying heavy things, and setting up and tearing down from outreaches. You will be expected to help with everything.
- In the mountain we get up really early. Breakfast is usually at 6:00am.
- We do team devotions and pray together every morning before or after breakfast.
- The days are full of ministry. You will not have a lot of free time. You are expected to participate in all the ministry to the best of your ability.
- There is no phone signal most of the time in the mountains. When there is a phone signal we will give you time to message your family but we ask that during ministry time you are not on your phone.
- Everyone sleeps in the same room (a church or community center) on the ground. You are expected to provide your own blankets and pillow.
- The whole team shares two bathrooms and two shower and so you cannot spend a lot of time in the bathroom.

- In some communities there is a river you can bathe in. Please wear clothes (shorts, tshirt, tank top, bathing suit) when you bathe in the river as people from the mountain often walk to or through the river.
- Some communities we sleep in or spend a day in do not have bathrooms or electricity. Be prepared to go to the bathroom outside.
- Everyone is expected to help with chores such as washing dishes, keeping the cars clean on the inside, organizing ministry supplies, and keeping the sleeping area tidy.
- Please do not give out money to anyone on the mountain. If God puts it on your heart to help someone, talk to Hector or Pastora Michelle. Also you can help by buying baskets, bracelets, and necklaces from the woman.
- We expect you to listen to and be respectful of the leaders even if you think you have a better idea.
- You will spend a lot of time in the truck driving on rough roads. If you get motion sick bring medicine.
- No complaining about how tired you are, how hard it is, or how hot it is.
- No complaining about the food you are served in the mountain. The food supply is limited and the ladies cooking in the different communities have limited knowledge with regards to what they can cook. You will eat a lot of beans, eggs, and tortillas. You will not eat a lot of meat while you are in the mountains.
- You are expected to follow the team's schedule, not your own schedule. That means being ready on time. Waking up on time.
- Please help us keep the mountain clean. No littering. You will see that some communities have a lot of litter we are working with the communities to teach them how to take care of their community
- The culture in the mountain is different. We have to work closely with the leaders and chiefs in the mountain. Please help us maintain good relationships in the mountain by respecting the people and the culture even if you do not agree or like it.
- The people in the mountain require a lot of love and patience. Please give lots of hugs. You are expected to share the love of Jesus everywhere you go. That means your attitude while you are in the mountain is not "Here I am" but it is "There you are."
- Please do not eat your snacks in front of people in the mountain as some people you will encounter have not eaten in several day.
- A lot of people do not like their picture taken in the mountain. It is best to assign one person to take pictures. Be respectful when someone does not want their picture taken.
- Do not bathe in the river naked. Wear a swim suit or shorts and a t-shirt.

#### What to Expect in La Mosquitia

- La Mosquitia is a lot of physical work. You will be loading and unloading trucks and boats, carrying heavy things, walking a lot and setting up and tearing down from outreaches. You will be expected to help with everything.
- We usually get up really early. Breakfast is usually at 6:30am.
- We do team devotions and pray together every morning before or after breakfast.
- The days are full of ministry. You will not have a lot of free time. You are expected to participate in all the ministry to the best of your ability.

- Most communities in La Mosquitia only have solar power or a generator at night. Therefore, you will
  not always be able to charge your phone. I suggest you bring a phone charger if you want to be able to
  use your phone all week.
- You will have a phone signal most of the time. However, please do not be on your phone during ministry time.
- Everyone sleeps in the same room (a church or community center) on the ground. You are expected to provide your own blankets, sleeping pad, and mosquito net.
- The whole team shares one bathroom and one shower and so you cannot spend a lot of time in the bathroom.
- Sometimes you will have to go to the bathroom outside when we visit other communities.
- Everyone is expected to help with chores such as washing dishes, picking up trash, organizing ministry supplies, and keeping the sleeping area tidy.
- Please do not give out money to anyone in La Mosquitia. If God puts it on your heart to help someone, talk to your leaders.
- We expect you to listen to and be respectful of the leaders even if you think you have a better idea.
- You will spend a lot of time in trucks driving on rough roads and in boats. If you get motion sick bring medicine.
- No complaining about how tired you are, how hard it is, or how hot it is.
- No complaining about the food you are served in La Mosquitia. The food supply is limited and the
  ladies cooking in the different communities have limited knowledge with regards to what they can
  cook. Food is also very expensive in La Mosquitia. You will eat a lot of beans, eggs, and rice. You will
  not eat a lot of meat while you are in La Mosquitia.
- You are expected to follow the team's schedule, not your own schedule. That means being ready on time. Waking up on time.
- Please help us keep La Mosquitia clean. No littering. You will see that some communities have a lot of litter we are working with the communities to teach them how to take care of their community
- The culture in La Mosquitia is different. We have to work closely with the leaders. Please help us maintain good relationships in La Mosquitia by respecting the people and the culture even if you do not agree or like it.
- Watch your belongings and the ministry supplies closely at all times. DO NOT leave anything valuable laying around. DO NOT bring expensive things with you. Stealing is a big problem in La Mosquitia.
- La Mosquitia is really hot and humid. Be sure to drink a lot of water and stay hydrated.
- There are a lot of Mosquitos in La Mosquitia. You need to bring strong repellant and bring clothes that will protect you from the Mosquitos.
- Be sure to bring things to protect yourself from the sun in La Mosquitia. You will be in direct sun a lot.
- Women need to wear long skirts in church.

# Your Promise to Your Team (read this through together)

I will be patient with my leaders and teammates when I do not understand why.

I will be kind to other team members even if they are not kind to me, especially when they use my toothpaste without asking.

I wouldn't even think of being jealous or envious of my teammates when they are asked to do something that I am good at doing, and what do I have to brag about anyway? For it is God who deserves all the glory!

I will demand of myself and not demand my own way.

After long and hard days with little sleep (and no coffee), I will not even know the meaning of the words or how to act with irritability or touchiness.

Certainly there won't be any room for holding grudges for my hands will be busy carrying luggage, candy, props, sound equipment, groceries, boxes, rakes, shovels, brooms, garbage bags, and praying for people.

I will be loyal to the members of this team no matter how badly they mess up or how bad the circumstances that come against them.

Because I am a believer, I will always believe the best of each team member and if there be any gossip or rumors, as far as I am concerned, it is a lie!

I will eagerly expect the success and the prospering of each team member. No matter what they set out to do, I have decided I am going to cheer them on!

I will believe in this team, I will stand by each member, and defend them in prayer, in word, and in deed, holding my ground, never giving up!

#### Your Attitude towards the people you are ministering to is important.

It is not "Here I am" its "There you are".

Every day you need to put on love

No matter what how someone treats you or what they say to you, your reaction must be one of love.

LOVE!!! LOVE!!! LOVE!!!

# **Homework:**

Read	the	hook	Ωf	Acts

Answer the following questions: (Write down your answers)

- 1. How do you think God is going to use you in Honduras?
- 2. What do you want God to do in your life in Honduras?

Pray for your team by name every day