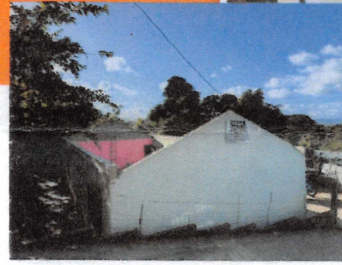
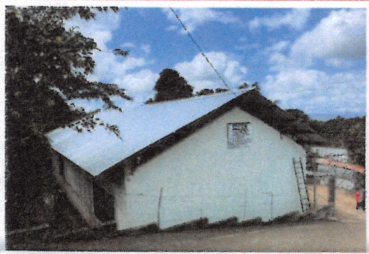


# Chapel Builders of California



**February 2024,** I'm back in the USA, after a blessed trip

to Honduras. A team of 25 builders and maybe not builders who became builders for the Lord descended on the country of Honduras. Brought together by Macedonian Missionary services to help on two existing church buildings, one in the city of Danli and the other in El Paraiso. I had the privilege of working with the team sent to El Paraiso, our rag tag team of builders and not so builders did an amazing job! We arrived to a 23 x 46' building with no roof. The existing trusses had failed due to being made from wood and termites had destroyed them. The church had removed the old roof and repaired the building so we could immediately get to work building new metal trusses and put on a new metal sheeted roof. Our team, Matt, David, Jim Bo & Evetta, Ronnie & Cathy, Shawn, Bo & I with the help of our translators, pastors, and their families, worked hard to finish our project in the few days that we had. Starting Thursday afternoon and finishing Monday afternoon, one could say that Miracles do happen! What a blessed team we had; everyone gave it all! To see, not only the building put back together but every effort was made to encourage the pastors of two local churches and their families. If the team had a spare moment the kids in the neighborhood were entertained and played with. Before we knew it, we had been surrounded by kids that came from all over to see the crazy Americans. On the last day with half of the roof sheeting on and ready to start the other half, the sky began to let loose the rain. It had been overcast and looking like rain all morning but now it was raining and too slick to continue the work. A circle of prayer was called for with the entire team, the pastors, and their families to ask the Lord to cease the rain, so that we could finish the work. Immediately! The sun began to break through over the site and the rain ceased, we serve a great God, who can! Much of the same I'm sure can be said about the project in Danli, but I'm very grateful for allowing me this opportunity to work with the team that went to El Paraiso!

## **Ministry Needs:**

Our schedule this year is full of travel and the expenses that go along with that. If you can consider giving towards this need, we would be grateful.

## **This year:**

I'll be planning and working with Macedonian on projects. I will be helping to coordinate some of the projects and will have to make several trips to the projects to help get them ready for the builds. January, I made a quick trip to Oklahoma to start the prep work for a church camp project that will be May 4<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>.

## **Needs for Oklahoma project:**

**We will be adding new shower rooms onto 8 dorms and finishing an existing building;**

**We need plumbers!** We have 48 showers to install along with 48 sinks and faucets along with builders to do all of the other work needed, we need framers, metal roofing, electrical and A/C. As always, we covet your prayers!

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