



Joe McDonald Ministry

Isaiah 6:8

The Evangelism Trail –August 2022

For several years, I have worked with and served on the Board for “*Drive-In Ministries*” (DIM) in Prattville, AL. I have worked in the US, Mexico, Central and South America and West Africa with them. Mike Jones is the Director of DIM, and his son Stephen and wife Erika are full time missionaries to Colombia, South America. Erika has been preparing for her US Citizenship test, took it and passed it! Patti and I were invited to attend her celebration in Prattville. This milestone will allow them to move permanently to Colombia the end of this month where they will continue serving full time in the area near Ambalema, Colombia. You can see



Stephen and Erika here with Patti and me. The celebration and send off was exciting and 100% Celebrate America! As always, we got to see Stephen’s folks, Mike and AnnaMae Jones at the DIM headquarters and enjoy their beautiful home.



We will be at “*The Mission of Hope*” in August for “*The Power of the Father’s Words,*” the second of the three-part series followed by “*The Power of the Father’s Blessing.*” The response to the training has been excellent and we receive great feedback from the participants. We usually have about sixty men attend and participate in the training. My son, Joe, has been an invaluable help as we share with these men.

Patti and I leave on the 18th for a Forgiven Ministry “*One Day with God*” at the Jefferson CI in Monticello, FL. We have around 28 dads, 80 volunteers and 30 kids. I’ll do a program and present the Gospel to the Caregivers and then one for the dads, children, and volunteers. Patti will work as a mentor with some of the children and their fathers. Pray for journeys mercies, anointing, favor, and a great response.



Patti’s note: Joe asked me to keep our valued “Ministry Family” informed of the personal events going on in the McDonald family. I mentioned my (and Mom’s and my twin’s) birthday last newsletter, but little did I know that all of our six children and every one of our sixteen grandchildren would be there! Thanks to our niece, Rachel Brannon McConnell from Colorado for organizing this, it was quite the gathering! My two sisters, my brother and my mom are pictured here with our immediate families! We are blessed indeed!



I also got to travel to Ohio, as planned and attend a memorial for my Uncle Richard and Aunt Mary Nodar. Both my sisters attended as well as we said “Goodbye” and visited with our cousins. God blessed our travel and reunion; it was a sweet trip and memorial.

Joe McDonald Ministry has purchased a batch of my books *The Gospel Parade* (soft-bound) at cost, and we have enjoyed sharing them as God leads, whenever we travel now. It is a simple story, the Plan of Salvation, for children and is available for sale on Amazon.com. It is a good way to share with your children and grandchildren! I would like to remind you to shop Amazon through AmazonSmile.com and register with Joe McDonald Ministry! It is a great way to donate to the ministry just by shopping!

Thank you for your prayers and support. Love in Christ, Joe and Patti.

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