

The Closing of a Season

Since the middle of last year, we've had a sense that the end of a season is coming for our family. We weren't sure exactly what was ending (the time pastoring a church, homeschooling, the neighborhood where we are living, or our time in Peru). As the months went by, we spent time asking the Lord what He was saying, seeking wise counsel with our mentors and leaders, and looking at all of the scenarios for the future of our family. It became clearer to us at the end of the year that the Lord was asking us to move back to Tulsa.

These years have been full of seeing God work: goodness and provision in our lives and the lives of our community, a lot of sweet moments with our church family and neighbors, and a lot of growing moments in our personal lives and ministry. We are so grateful for all of these years and the Lord's hand over them.

Something that we've been reminded of now is that seasons, times, and places change, but our calling is the same: we're to love God with all of our heart, soul, and strength, and love the people that He puts around us (no matter what country that we are in). So, as we pray and plan what it is that we'll be doing in Tulsa, we're open to however the Lord wants to use us.

We will be in Peru serving in the church, transitioning leadership, saying goodbyes, and closing this life chapter in Lima until the first week of June.

We are so grateful for the different ways that each of you have joined us and have been a part of what God is doing in Lima, Peru! We still covet your prayers and support for the big changes coming for our family.

Here are some ways that you can help out:

- Financial support as we continue our daily life and ministry in Lima, move our family of five (and big dog) back to the US, and get our family and finances stabilized after the move
- A house and car (for 5 people and a big golden retriever) in Tulsa
- Prayer for our family and church family as we work out all of the logistics of the move, transition church leadership, say goodbyes, and land on what we will be doing in Tulsa, etc.

Thank you for all of your prayers and support through all of these years and the transition to come!

Blessings and love, *The Herold family*
Daniel, Mary, Eliana, Adela, Isa, and Cappuccino



Please keep us in your prayers in this new season of life!



Nueva Vida Lima meeting in the newest location: the neighborhood preschool



Men's group that's been meeting weekly for years growing deeper in relationship with each other and Jesus



Daniel was honored to be able to baptize his father



Mary had the privilege of baptizing her sweet friends that she's been walking with for several years

A Message from the President

I want to briefly express my gratitude to the Herold family, to you as partners, and to our good Father we serve together.

I am grateful for Daniel and Mary Herold, their girls, and the privilege to have walked with them for a season. They exhibit deep streams of thoughtful strategy, theology, and practice. These streams have flowed as one into the River that is flowing from the throne of God - that of healing for the nations. (Ezekiel 47, Rev 22). I so appreciate their willingness to align with what God was and is doing in Peru. They have been prayerful, intentional, creative, and faithful in the midst of challenge. As you read in the Herold's letter, Daniel and Mary are continuing to listen to and obey the Lord. He is releasing them from His work in Peru and calling them back to Tulsa to align with His purposes there.

I am grateful to you for standing with them with prayer and finances during this time. We are all called to be part of making disciples of the nations. Your partnership with the Herolds in prayer and support has been huge in making an immediate impact as well as an eternal difference. Daniel and Mary will return to the US in June, but continue as Cornerstone International missionaries until August 31st. Transition is challenging and expensive. There are plane tickets, utility deposits, increased cost of living, debriefing as a family, and the many hidden costs for getting established in a new place. I encourage you to continue your support through August to help them navigate this transition with a minimum of financial stress and a maximum of healthy thriving. Thank you for your faithfulness.

I am grateful to our Father who is committed to having disciples from every people group at the marriage supper of the Lamb and who calls everyone of us to join Him in making disciples of all nations. Thank you for partnering with Him and with the Herolds in Peru. Let's continue to align with His great purposes until disciples are being made in every nation. If the Lord is stirring your heart to do more in the next season of your life, I would love to talk to you.

We celebrate the Herolds. We grieve with them their losses in this transition. We look forward to all that God will do in the years to come, and we commit with you to supporting them through this transition.

For Christ and the nations,



Hal Hamilton
Cornerstone International President

Partner with us

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