## CHRIST IS THE REDEEMER

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## Dear Friends in Christ:

We just thank God to be alive and still in His service. Amen.

Last week end my wife and our two daughters were traveling to reach me up on the mountains in Mexico where the tent is currently set up. It is a 7 hour drive from El Paso, TX.

On the road they were stopped twice by the "narcos", just a check, thank God. Can you imagine Tirsa's face when she found under her nose a AK-47 Kalashnikov automatic gun?

It is not a joke, my dear brother. It is tough down here.

The campaign is going just great. Every single night the crowd is increasing and non-christians are attending regularly. We desperately need rain (physical AND spiritual). The ground is so dry here and so are the hearts of most people in this region. Pray that God's Word will soften their hearts so the seed can grow.

Two young men showed up at camp a few days ago. They had been drinking non-stop for the last 3 weeks. One of them used to be with



Altar call in a men's conference

Praying before setting up the tent in Colonia la Cuchilla, a very tough place

us in the past. Late in the night one of my helpers and I were running all over the city to find a saline solution I.V. to put in their veins to help them quit cold turkey. It is quite difficult to see them sweating, trembling, and vomiting for a

several days as they fought this drug demon. Prayers and love were the only help we were able to give. But, thank the Lord, now they are just fine, fully recuperated, and serving the Lord. Praise God!

Please do not put your arms down, keep praying for us. Thanks.

Until He comes,

Renato.



The last day of campaign, a not too strong tornado, thank God, knocked the tent down. The damage was almost nothing. Three day later the was up again in another town.



He is a pastor who came to preach in the tent. His wife met us many years ago, when she was only a little girl when we put up the tent in S. Barbara in 1996. It looks like God is reminding us that our work it is not in vain.



This little girl fell from the bed in her house and hurt her arm. Her mom was taking her to the hospital for X-Ray. But the little girl said, "No mom let's go to the tent. Bro. Renato will pray for me."

You know what? She came, we prayed and she did not need anything more. Her mom got save, as well.

It blessed my heart so much.
Hallelujah! How encouraging!