

The Mendoza's in Mexico

serving in Tijuana with International Baptist Missions

Dear Friends,

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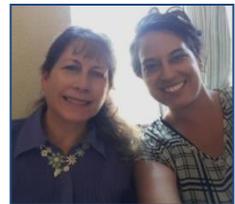
The highlight of this month was our 5th music camp held at the seminary in Rosarito. This was our biggest one so far, with about 110 in attendance, counting campers, teachers and helpers. The building was stretched to its limits, and we will definitely need to find another place to hold the camp next year. Thankfully, Arnulfo was able to install another complete bathroom and an extra shower in the seminary building before camp started. Some campers drove/flew in from southwest Mexico. We were especially pleased to have 13 campers from our own churches this year. We trust that both the preaching and the practical music lessons will have a far-reaching influence on Christian churches throughout Mexico.



Our son Josh got home from his college summer ministry team two days before camp started, just in time to direct and teach. We were very blessed to have several teachers volunteer their time to come and minister at camp, including some who were our former students.



One of them wrote: *"Music camp was amazing. It was such a privilege to serve God alongside ...my high school piano teacher Carrie Mendoza. I've been so blessed... to serve in a mission's trip at my birth country. I just realized that all the work we did this week will be spreading literally all over the country of Mexico. The teens of our church came back recharged to serve in the music ministry. They sang*



all the choir pieces as a special number in the morning and evening services today and gave testimonies. Just as my teachers made an impact in my life, now I'm able to teach others God's truth and do the same!"

Students studied theory, directing, composing, voice, instruments, choir, orchestra, music history, and Biblical philosophy of music each day, and a recital was presented on Friday evening for parents and friends. This year's concert was held outside where there was more space.



We trust that the children, young people and pastors who attended will continue to uphold high standards of Christ-honoring music, excel on their instruments, and teach others in their churches.



We praise the Lord for His faithful provision of our personal and ministry needs. Thank you for participating and praying!



Arnulfo & Carrie