



## The Mustard Seed – Late Summer 2008

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**Jacob with parents and siblings at 60<sup>th</sup>**

### ***A Wonderful Summer of Travelling!***

Our travels this summer took us as far south as Indianapolis, IN, as far north as Saskatoon, SK, and as far west as Vancouver Island, B.C. One of the highlights of the trip was our privilege to celebrate Jacob's parent's 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary! While not all the extended family members were able to attend the event, all 7 brothers and sisters participated in some way. We had a blast!

We enjoyed connecting with our supporting constituency in Western Canada. Many people shared stories of God's provision in their lives. Others shared struggles happening at this stage of their development as individuals and families. As we interacted with family, friends and supporters, we were encouraged by God's intimate involvement with His people. God is good, and His gracious love endures forever!

### **Looking Ahead...**

September is a month of organization and settling back into the house in Guelph. We're also getting our girls settled into the school routine. While both Megan and Carly miss their friends in Spain, they have already made the adjustment back to school in Guelph quite well. God has provided great friends as well as excellent teachers. For this we are truly thankful!

Visit our website – [www.gintersinspain.org](http://www.gintersinspain.org) for regular updates and photos!

October will see Jacob travelling to Spain to join the team for the annual ICE church-wide retreat. We expect leaders from all our related churches to be there, making it a time of mutual encouragement and growth. Our retreat focus is prayer and worship.

After Thanksgiving, we'll be serving at Guelph Bible Chapel through the Alpha marriage course. We also look forward to connect with more of our supporters in South Western Ontario.

#### **Please Pray for us!**

##### ***Jacob & Karen***

- Marriage Course at GBC
- Jacob's travels to Spain in October
  - o Pray for Jacob as he directs & encourages the team in Spain!
- Ongoing Development

##### ***Spain Team***

- New **teammates**, Mike and Daniela Riley, finalizing studies in Costa Rica - Pray for good language assimilation
- Seminary in Every Church – Pray for the team as we offer 2 courses this year
- Spain Team – October Retreat – Pray as we interact with our church leaders for mutual growth and benefit

### **Thanks so much!**

Thank You for your ongoing interest, your prayers, and your support. Thanks for your words of encouragement, and your acceptance of the new situation we find ourselves in. We are privileged to serve in this capacity as God enables and develops us. We are privileged to serve in the company of family and friends like you!

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Sincerely,

*Jacob, Karen, Megan and Carly*