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Some ministry  
opportunities God has  
allowed  
- Weekly services at  
the dump

-Travel and preach to  
the military and police

- Teach adult and  
youth Sunday School

-Minister in music  
through song leading,  
playing the piano and  
drums in service and a  
youth camp choir.

-Work in the soup  
kitchen

-Help with youth  
nights

-Do hospital visitation,  
something we desire  
to do on a consistent  
basis when we return.



— Please pray with us as we apply for Honduran residency. It is our desire when we return in April to legally and financially be able to stay in Honduras for the next two years without a need to return to the States.

James, Melissa, James Jr., Rosalind

P E R S I N G E R



We have finished our first four months here in Danlí, Honduras! A lot of foundational work has been done like finding a place to live and purchasing a vehicle.

## Honduras-a land of open doors

From the armed forces, police, hospitals, and public schools to the dump the gospel of Jesus Christ has an open door to be preached. The Sumner Families have been working in Honduras for almost 30 years. 2 years ago God burdened our hearts to come work alongside these great people. Of the many opportunities that we have had to minister one very special to us and close to our hearts was the trip to Puerto Lempira. Only accessible by boat or plane, La Mosquitia is a region cut off from the rest of Honduras by thick jungle. An estimated 80,000 people live in this area.



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## El Crematorio

People are literally living on heaps of garbage. The occasional do-gooder will come pass out clothes, the occasional missionary will come and take pictures but mostly these people are rejected and disliked by even the poor of their society. We have faithfully held Saturday services here and have seen God opening their hearts. Their lives are characterized by instability and inconsistencies. Because

of this, we will have anywhere from six to forty five people in our service. Sunday mornings we pick up 5-12 people for Sunday School at Christ Cares Church. Nicole and Noelia live in the dump and have faithfully attended our services and church on Sunday. We also sponsored them to go to youth camp.

