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The picture above was taken when we first started pioneering a work in the Darien. We were living in a tent and on fire with the gospel. With four children, ages 8-12, God's supernatural protection was on our entire family. Funny when grace is given to you it seems to be void of common sense. This was totally outside of my character to do this. Blazing trails led by faith usually are given one step at a time.

Here we are now in 2025. Dennis pioneered 9 churches and had a bible school for 15 years establishing the pastors in the word of faith. He was their only teacher. He taught 4 hours a day twice a week. He walked 8 miles one way to get to the village where he taught the bible school. He also taught on the radio station that he pioneered. Until this day he is called their spiritual father across all denominations. Funny how one mans life driven by a call can change so many lives.



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GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

Because of protests, we were unable to commit to the men's conference. Thankfully, the protesting has ceased and we are able to go ahead with the women's conference.



amazonsmile

**WE ARE NOW AN
AMAZON SMILE CHARITY!**

*No matter what season of life you find yourself in
He is always there alongside of you.*

He loves to feel needed by His children.
The more we need and depend on Him the more
He reveals Himself to you.

Ministry Needs

We lack about \$15,000 in order to purchase a small pick up truck for the ministries.

I need someone to move to Darien to help me in full time ministry.

I do not feel comfortable living there all alone. If you feel called please contact me at Jeanne.vidamin@gmail.com.



Prayer Requests

*Thank you for all of your prayers on the unrest in Panama.
All the protest are over and we are a peaceful country once again.*

*Please pray for my health and for wisdom in this new season of my life.
Its been a real challenge figuring out who I am after Dennis passed away.
We were married 55 years right after high school.
But little by little I am finding myself.*

COOKS RESIDENTS

There are a lot of changes going on in our family.

Jason is moving back to the states for a while.

Jennifer is focusing on her talent in art. She is making them available for purchase. Pictured to the right is an example of what she is doing. All the funds will go to an outreach for the poor in the church that she attends.



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