

Brief Report

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Shipment of materials to the Dominican Republic

Monday, Feb. 17, 2020, Embarque Colonial picked up, at our location in Tamarac, Florida, four very large boxes of materials for several congregations in the southwestern area of the Dominican Republic. I estimate the four boxes weighted approximately 560 pounds.

Tracts, with local data imprinted for the churches in Barahona,
Villa Central, Paraíso and Jaquimeyes 65,320

For example, 40,442 of 21 different titles for Barahona.

Tracts. Generic. No local data imprinted..... 12,755

Total tracts sent 78,075

Bibles 116

Books, of titles we print 23

Booklets, of titles we print 461

Compact discs of hymns..... 27

Communion cups 2,000

Communion bread. Boxes 8

Cost of shipping \$310.00

Delivery. The company, Embarque Colonial, ships at least one container weekly. I understood our four boxes were to go out Wednesday, the 19th, from Miami. About a week for delivery in Santo Domingo, where they are to be picked up by evangelist Santos Feliz, of the Barahona church.

The church in **Paraíso**, largest in the town, was established through literature sent from Puerto Rico. Also, the congregation in **San Rafael**. I had the privilege of visiting the congregations in the area many times, preaching and serving as translator for elders from the US, who provided support for four or five. The church in Bayamon, Puerto Rico continues to send \$1,000 quarterly for benevolent and evangelist works in that sector of the country.

Attachment: a photograph of the four boxes at the front of the garage of our house in Tamarac.

Your contributions made possible this shipment. Santos said they had been without tracts for years.

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