

Brief Report

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Three baptized in Piura, Peru through Editorial La Paz

Piura, Peru. June 22, 2020. 9:53 p.m. *“Brother Homer, I hope this finds you in good health, in every sense. I am thankful to God for having come to know your Website Editorial La Paz.*

Previously, I belonged, together with two friends, to a neo Pentecostal sect of apostles and supposed prophets. Lamentably, I wasted three years of my life believing I was a true believer. I had a lot of problems. Went around visiting many churches in my area. Even becoming depressed on not finding people who speak the truth.

I began to navigate the Internet, finding all kinds of teachings, from the worst heresies to interminable debates. It was, thus, that I found your Site. From the time I began to read, I was really surprised, and my heart was filled with joy to know there are people who love the truth.

There I found out how we become disciples of Christ, about the baptism that saves, and the different kinds of baptisms practiced by the sects.

Thanks to the directory of churches, I was able to contact a brother in Lima, Peru, and he put me in contact with a brother in Piura. Thus, they were able to visit and instruct me. They came back and taught me more of the gospel, and I was baptized, together with my two friends, for the forgiveness of sins.” Katherine Arihana Lazarte

Notes. From additional data in two e-mails received from Katherine Lazarte, I would say she and her two friends were converted at least a year ago.

Katherine was in contact with José Juan Álamo, deacon of the Bayamon, Puerto Rico church, before she was with me! The leadership of the Bayamon church has invited me to preach for the congregation, via their Facebook account, next Sunday, June 28. Last night, I was talking with José Juan, a chemical engineer, about how that would be done, when he mentioned that transmissions by the Bayamon church are being seen even in other countries, and spoke of his contact with Katherine, who had told him she had been converted through studies on Editorial La Paz, and wanted to send me greetings through him. He sent her our e-mail, and this morning we had two from her.

On the site, there is a sidebar that can be opened, showing contact information for us, but visitors not really computer savvy might not notice it.

Piura, meaning “abundance,” is a city of about 490,000, near the Pacific Ocean, and not far from the border of Peru with Ecuador. Map attachment below. Piura, third Spanish city in South America, was established by Francisco Pizarro, in 1532.

Once again, thank you for making possible the Internet site www.editoriallapaz.org.

In Christ,

Dewayne