The Jolleys

Serving the Spanish and English Speaking World with Fellowship International

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Dear Prayer Partners,

The Kairos course (www.kairoscourse.org) seeks to educate and mobilize local churches in cross-cultural mission. One of the reasons Ken has been involved in the program is because of how he has seen God use it to transform the hearts and lives of His people. When you begin to possess God's heart for all peoples, discover the diverse and creative ways Jesus is building His church amongst them today, you cannot help but want to get involved in His mission to the world in some way. People discover God's purpose for them through this program. To that end there are two significant events in which Ken will be involved in the coming weeks for which we would appreciate your prayers.

1) The Simply Mobilizing Latin American Summit in Cancún, Mexico, January 30 – February 3.

Simply Mobilizing is the new "umbrella" structure that is seeking to provide other resources to equip local churches for cross-cultural mission, and the Kairos course is now just only one of several resources. Up until now the oversight of the movement in Latin America has been conducted by a team of individuals from Australia, USA and Canada (Ken). The purpose of this summit is to bring together key individuals from the Latin American countries where Kairos is now up and running, introduce them to the new restructuring and resources of Simply Mobilizing, plan for the translation of these resources into Spanish, and to Lord willing appoint a team of Latin Americans who will now take over the leadership of the movement. As the original translators of the Kairos program, Ken and Belkys Moreno will be recognized at this event, but the big highlight for Ken will be the opportunity to place his hands on a team of individuals to bless them, and to hand over the baton of his role to them. It will be a good day of celebration.

- Pray that the Holy Spirit will make it evident to all delegates who should now lead them.
- Pray that we will be able to celebrate our unity in the midst of diversity as we commit together in equipping the church as God's vehicle for His mission to the world. The Latin American church is very large, but also very distracted. Kairos is being used by God to change this as a distracted giant is being awakened to a greater cause.
- Pray for direction and funding towards the Spanish translation of resources.
- Pray for safety, travel and financial provision for all of the delegates and the summit. Many come with economic challenges but are trusting God to provide.
- 2) Spanish language Kairos course in Toronto. February 21 March 17.

This is the first Spanish course to be offered in Canada as a request of the "Instituto de Formación Ministerial" which provides theological and ministry training for Spanish speaking churches in the greater Toronto area. Ken is currently preparing a team of 5 individuals (1 Wycliff couple, 1 Colombian couple and a Panamanian student) to serve as facilitators for this course.

- Ken is excited by the facilitating team. They are all quality people. Pray that as we come
 together from different places and experiences that we would indeed develop a good sense of
 team and be able to celebrate one another as we serve together throughout the duration of
 this course.
- Pray for participants. We require a minimum of 10 students and could potentially handle up to 25 for this course.
- Many of the participants with the Institute are already serving in pastoral and leadership roles in Spanish speaking churches. As the Holy Spirit should lead, pray that they might see the role that the Kairos course may protentially have in their churches as part of their disciple making program. It would be great to see other courses happen in local churches as a result of this course.
- Pray that as we walk together in God's heart and plan for this world, that we would be renewed in our role in the fulfillment of it.
- Pray that out of the 5 member facilitator team, there might be those who feel led to receive further training and experience as Head Facilitators. This would enable Ken to multiply his role, and be able to hand over current responsibilities with Simply Mobilizing Canada to others, as well as what it means for the expansion of the kingdom of God.
- In addition to offering a regular Kairos course, there is also an added component being offered in this program for those individuals who would like to take the course for academic credit with the Institute. For these students, Ken will be serving as their professor in mentoring and evaluating additional assignments for academic credit. Pray for wisdom and favour with the students as he does so.

Thank you so much for the honour of being your ambassadors in equipping and encouraging others who make God known,

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