

# THE DUPLANTIS DIARY



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Honduras

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## People Raising

Eric and I have been working hard preparing for service. We are having the pleasure of visiting with many dear friends as we share God's vision for us in Honduras, and asking them to partner with us in prayer and finances. Don't get me wrong, this process of deputation is daunting in many ways. Asking for prayer is easy, and asking for money is hard. We have had to deal with pride and the false image of 'begging' in our minds, and learned to humble ourselves in asking others for help to accomplish God's mission. No one likes to ask others for money, but the Lord's plan for us in this season is turning out to be much bigger than money. With every visit, we are learning to trust in God's provision. He has been constantly working ahead of us. I can only imagine the tasks ahead of us which will require this trust. Only with prayer can we grow in this way.

*I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now.*

*Philippians 1:3-5*

## Modeling Clay

God is REALLY big, and REALLY strong! As we visit with you all, we have been blessed by so many testimonies of how God has worked mightily in each of your lives. These stories give us strength and courage as we move ahead into the unknown. With so many changes in our lives, instead of just being molded gently in His hands, I feel like He has gotten out the sculpting knife and is scraping and scraping....



## Prayer requests:

Christy needs:

- ◆ Courage in the face of the martyring of children of IRAQ– this is weighing heavily on me.
- ◆ Endurance as I return to work and still prepare for the field.

Eric needs:

- ◆ God's guidance in how to best serve Him in our new church home.
- ◆ Patience as he resumes homeschooling the kids.
- ◆ Protection from discouragement during fundraising.

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