

March 24, 2014

Dear friends and family,

Late winter has been a good and busy time for us. It has been a blessing to visit with so many friends and partners throughout Michigan and even in Ohio. Next we are looking forward to a trip to Pennsylvania in early April. Pray we are able to connect with everyone we can, including reaching people by telephone. It has been great to catch up, and to pray for and with many of you. I wish we could get everywhere to see all of you in person! If you haven't heard from us yet, please email us at iobstsinSpain@gmail.com or Skype us at [aydiobst](https://www.skype.com/name/aydiobst).



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**Tapping a sugar maple tree at
the Troy Nature Center**

We are happy with how the kids are doing in school here. They have been working quite hard! Recently, they also enjoyed going on their class trips to Washington DC (8th grade) and to Chicago (7th grade).



**Lewis and Clark Day: teachers and parents
taught historic skills like outdoor cooking,
shelter building, and snowshoeing**

Please pray for our transition back to Spain. We are currently in the process of purchasing our tickets. Pray that we find the right school for the kids and the best new home for us all. I (Allen) will be flying out in May, before the rest of the family, and hope to have everything taken care of soon after my arrival. Please pray, also, that we would return to Spain with full financial sponsorship.

Meanwhile, we are already preparing for this coming

summer's outreach at the ports of southern Europe. Please pray for our volunteers who participate from countries all over the world, including the Middle East. Pray for even more involvement by the local Spanish, French, and Italian churches. Finally, please pray for all the North African travelers, and especially for all who accept packets and share the materials with their family and friends back home.



**I am looking forward to rejoining our
ongoing outreach at the Spanish ports!**

We are so very grateful for everything you do to partner with us, helping introduce North Africans to Jesus, and helping Christians around the world grow in their faith.

Thank you, and God bless you!

Allen and Deedee

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. Ephesians 1:3