

# VIOLA TO PANAMA

*March - April, 2021 Prayer Letter*

Greetings to all in the name of our Lord and Savior,

God has truly been blessing us over these past two months. We have been able to add more bookings for this year to the schedule, bringing the total number of bookings for all of 2021 to 84. Praise the Lord! In the last letter, I had mentioned that we were at 15% of our needed support. Well, the Lord is truly opening the flood gates, for we are now at the end of April with 30% of our needed support promised! Thank you to all the churches that have decided to partner with us over these past two months and for those who continue to support us to reach the harvest field of Panama.

More good news! In the middle of April, we received word from the US embassy in Costa Rica that Maria's immigration case was received. We are now in the process of gathering together all of the US Embassy's requested and required paperwork for the interview, as well as Maria completing all of the medical exams and getting the vaccines required to enter into the United States. Once all medical exams, vaccines, and paperwork are complete, Maria will then be able to request the appointment for the required interview, which is the last step before being granted the visa to come into the country.

Thank you for everyone's encouraging words, letters, prayers, and support. We appreciate all of you.



With blessings,  
Zach & Maria Viola  
Missionaries to Panama

## Travel Update

During March, I was able to present the burden on my heart for Panama in two churches in South Carolina, in both of their mission conferences the same week. I was also able to present in multiple churches in Ohio and Florida. Then at the start of the first week of April I made my way from Florida to Texas, where I have been for all of April.

## Panama Update

The government of Panama has made the decision not to reopen schools for the year, leaving many families who have no power or computers (even if they had power) struggling to figure out how they can get access to the classes for their kids to learn. Please pray for these families who are in need of a solution.

## Prayer Requests

1. Pray that God will provide 100% of our monthly Financial Goal to get to Panama in 2022: 30% of the goal has been reached.
2. Pray for a gentleman by the name of Israel in TX, who is from Mexico originally, with whom I was able to share the Gospel with this month.
3. Pray for Maria's US Visa interview that will probably take place in late May or June.
4. Pray for continued safety and good health for me while I am traveling.
5. Pray for the lost souls of Panama and the church plant of the Sherwood's in Boquete.

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