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FELIPE AND MAJO - MINISTRY UPDATE!

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IMPORTANT MINISTRY UPDATE

Grace and peace to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

As I reflect on the past several years, I am overwhelmed with gratitude for the way the Lord has used all of you to sustain and encourage us in ministry. Your faithful prayers, generous financial support, and genuine partnership have allowed me to serve Christ here in Colombia, and I truly consider you fellow laborers in the work of the Gospel. Thank you for believing in the Lord's calling on my life and for investing so faithfully in His Kingdom.

I wanted to share with you an important ministry update and invite you to rejoice with me in the Lord's faithful leading.

Over the past several months, Conexión Church has entered a season of significant growth and restructuring. As part of these changes, they will not be able to provide a full-time ministry position. While this transition has not been easy, I have been continually reminded that our God is never surprised by changing circumstances. He is the One who establishes our steps, and His plans are always good, even when they unfold differently than we expected.

In His perfect timing, the Lord has opened a new door for me to continue serving Him full-time.

Beginning this school year, I will be joining the staff of El Camino Academy as the High School Principal Assistant. El Camino Academy is much more than an academic institution—it is a missionary Christian school committed to educating bilingual servant leaders who will impact the world for the glory of Christ. Every aspect of the school's philosophy is intentionally grounded in Scripture, seeking to shape students not only intellectually but spiritually, so they may love the Lord with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength.

One of the things that drew me so strongly to this opportunity is the school's unwavering commitment to biblical truth. The faculty and staff see education as discipleship, and many of them serve as supported missionaries, faithfully investing their lives in the next generation. The school partners with families to raise young men and women who think biblically, lead humbly, and live missionally wherever God may call them.

This ministry is also deeply personal to me. El Camino Academy is the very school where my siblings and I graduated, along with several other young men and women who have gone on to be shaped through Downline Ministries and are now faithfully serving Christ in various ministries around the world. Looking back, I can clearly see how the Lord used the biblical foundation I received there to prepare me for ministry, and it is a tremendous privilege to now return and invest in the lives of students who are walking a similar path.



My responsibilities will extend far beyond administration. As High School Principal Assistant, I will have the daily privilege of discipling students, shepherding them through some of the most formative years of their lives, and walking alongside families as they seek to raise their children in the knowledge and fear of the Lord. In addition, I will teach the High School Worship Elective and disciple the student worship team, helping students grow not only in musical excellence but, more importantly, in hearts that treasure Christ and lead others into genuine worship.

I want to emphasize that this is not simply a new occupation—it is my new full-time ministry assignment. My daily mission field will be the students, families, faculty, and staff of El Camino Academy. I firmly believe the Lord has called me to invest in the next generation of Christian leaders, equipping young believers to stand firmly on God's Word and to influence their communities, churches, and nations for His glory.

Although my vocational ministry is changing, my heart for the local church remains unchanged. We will continue to be active and committed members of Conexión Church, as they have faithfully cared for our family, walked alongside us during our season of restoration this past year, and provided us with a close-knit community of believers who love us, encourage us, pray for us, and point us to Christ. Conexión will continue to be the local church that shepherds us, holds us accountable, and

faithfully cares for our spiritual well-being. This transition is not a departure from ministry but a redirection of the ministry to which God has called me in this season.

As many of you know, missionary service at El Camino Academy is built on a partnership model. While the school provides a portion of my compensation, many faculty and staff members are supported missionaries who rely on the faithful partnership of churches and individuals to sustain their ministry. Because of this, I would be deeply grateful if all of you would prayerfully consider continuing to partner with me in this new ministry assignment. Though the context of my ministry is changing, my calling remains the same: to make disciples, proclaim the Gospel, and invest in the next generation of Christ-followers who will influence the world for His Kingdom.

I would also be honored if you would continue praying for me during this transition. Please pray that the Lord would grant me wisdom to lead with humility, compassion to shepherd students well, boldness to proclaim His truth, and endurance to serve faithfully for His glory. Pray that the Gospel would continue transforming the hearts of students and families, and that the Lord would raise up future pastors, missionaries, church leaders, and faithful followers of Christ through the ministry of El Camino Academy.

Thank you again for your faithful partnership in the Gospel. I can confidently say that every student I disciple, every family I encourage, and every opportunity I have to proclaim Christ has been made possible in part because of your generosity, prayers, and encouragement. Your investment has produced fruit that extends far beyond what any of us can see, and I am deeply thankful for your continued faithfulness.

May the Lord richly bless you as you continue to make His name known among the nations. It is a joy and privilege to labor together with you for the sake of the Gospel.

In Christ,

Felipe, Majo, and Amalia.

(Ps. Newsletter coming soon with more exciting news!)