



# The Delhotal's to Santa Barbara

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Greetings praying friends!

A new year has begun and we are earnestly **hoping to be moved to Santa Barbara before this year is over! Please pray** with us that we would be able to raise sufficient support and find the right deal to make that move during that time frame!

This past month has been a whirlwind and I cannot believe the number of miles we have covered in our minivan! Wednesday, December 14 found us at Faith Baptist Tabernacle in North Highlands, CA. Then LeeAnne enjoyed a sweet reunion with Pastor and Mrs. Larry Gibson in Auberry. Pastor Gibson was LeeAnne's pastor at the first Baptist church that she attended years ago when she rode the bus to church in the San Diego area. Sunday evening we had a blessed time with Pastor Wass and Sierra Hills Baptist in Tollhouse, but a flat tire delayed our departure for our long drive to Texas. Many thanks to this pastor and church for their assistance and providing an unplanned stay at a local hotel!

From there we spent a little over a week in the Corpus Christi area, allowing us to celebrate Christmas with Abigail, who was visiting with friends. We also had opportunity to present to Heritage Baptist Church there; Iglesia Bautista Hockley in Katy, TX (on Christmas), Texas Baptist Church in San Antonio and People's Baptist Church in Corpus. From there it was back to California to present at Lighthouse Baptist in Moreno Valley and Calvary Baptist in Yucca Valley to start the new year; followed by Bible Baptist in Victorville on Wednesday before heading to Arizona. With the new year came a new round of illnesses, but we have been able to keep up our schedule, presenting at North Valley Baptist and Hillcrest Baptist on the 8th before cruising over to Heartland Baptist Bible College for their Home Missions Conference. From there, we enjoyed rich fellowship with Pastor John Watson at Caprock Baptist in Amarillo before stopping here at Faith Baptist in Carlsbad, NM. There are still a couple of us "under the weather," so **please pray for good health going forward!**

For the second letter in a row, we are happy to report that we have picked up **five new supporters!** They are as follows: Calvary Baptist in Simi Valley, Pastor Adam Batterson; Anchor Baptist in Salt Lake City, Pastor Jason Atwood; Western Hills Baptist in Glendale, AZ, Pastor Greg Hardesty; Hillcrest Baptist in Phoenix, Pastor Mitchell Crittenden; and Calvary Baptist in Dundalk, MD, Pastor Stacey Shiflett. **Please continue to pray for a full schedule and new supporting churches! Praise God that He continues to answer these prayers!** The next several weeks will see us make a quick trip back to California before making a stop in Arizona on our way back to Texas and Oklahoma for a few weeks as the Lord continues bless with a full schedule.

For His Glory,  
Chad Delhotal and family

P.S. Our tech guy (Elijah) got our new website up and going. Check it out at [www.sbbaptist.church!](http://www.sbbaptist.church!)

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