

# The Beans' Talk: Update from Mark and Patti Bean

Translating all of God's Word for six different groups of Quechua speakers in central Peru

## Celebrating the end of the translation workshops

Glossary finished? *Check*. Key terms? *Check*. Introduction to the Bible? *Check*. Illustrations and maps? *Check*. Outstanding questions answered? *Check*. Plus many parallel passages checked. The end of April arrived and we celebrated. How does one celebrate? You need...



soup, sauce & guinea pigs



friends



lots of potatoes



special music



nice clothes



certificates & gifts

## Family vacation!

Immediately after the Quechua celebration we took off for the States. The highlight of the month has been time with our children & grandchildren. We were in Colorado for Eric's graduation from Denver Seminary. Then, a very special moment came the next day when Mark baptized Ernie. To the delight of the South Carolina grandkids, we had fresh snow up in the mountains. The week together was such a gift. We thank God for our family.



## Praises and Prayer Requests

- ⇒ **Praise:** For a special time of celebration with the Quechua team we've worked together with for nearly 12 years. **Pray** for each one to be a light in their respective areas.
- ⇒ **Praise:** For a wonderful time together as family. The fact that there was no cell phone or Internet service in the area that we vacationed was an extra blessing. We fully had each other's attention. No distracting emails or text messages to interrupt our time together.
- ⇒ **Praise** for the joy of seeing Ernie baptized.
- ⇒ **Praise** that Eric is accepted as a "missionary-in-training" at Parkside Church. **Praise** that we'll be in the same neighborhood with him. That's an unexpected blessing!
- ⇒ **Pray:** For us as we work in Ohio near Mom Bean and tackle the remaining checks required for the six Bibles. We'll explain what's left to do in the next Beans'Talk.

Giving thanks!

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