

# History Highlights



## *Looking in the Mirror*

When Pastor Von began Spectrum Ministries, he already had a group of people who had been praying for him in his youth ministry. He communicated regularly with them, and sometimes their response went beyond praying, and they wrote him notes of encouragement or contributed to his ministry expenses. Those people became the first supporters of Spectrum.

Every month you read our newsletter about how God is using the Spectrum staff in Mexico to impact lives. That is true, but when we as a Spectrum staff look in our spiritual mirror we see many people behind us, all working under God's direction to make this ministry happen. We see those who support Spectrum financially with gifts large and small. We see those who make donations of food, clothing, and other items, and we see the very faithful team who has sorted those donations for many years. We see those who don't think they are seen because they are in their prayer closets interceding for Spectrum. We see those who help this newsletter reach you each month. We see the group leaders who have brought people from their church or even just their family or circle of friends, leaders who believe that God uses their group's time with Spectrum to impact them. We see those who share with their friends and churches what Spectrum is doing and invite them to become a part of this ministry. We see those who pro-

vided vehicles and other equipment and who have maintained and repaired them. We see those who faithfully washed filthy towels week after week.

Whether your face first showed up in our spiritual mirror forty years ago or just this year, it is not an accident that you are here with us. You are an important part of Spectrum's forty years. We are blessed to be the feet on the ground in this ministry, but the next time you look in your physical mirror, we want you to remember to praise God for how He's using you too to care for people in Tijuana.

