



Christopher & Leah THOMPSON

SERVING THE LORD IN **ECUADOR**

Dear Pastor,

January 2026

Thank you so much for faithfully supporting our family and the work here in Tumbaco. We do not take lightly the sacrifices God's people make to be part of the ministry here in Ecuador, and we are deeply grateful for your prayers and encouragement.

We are excited to share that, under the leadership and guidance of our home church and Pastor, we are moving forward with the purchase of a property that we have been praying about for the church. The property is in a **very central location**, an area that continues to experience steady residential growth. It is only about a block from the main interstate highway.

The property consists of a **lot measuring approximately 1,928.77 square meters (about 20,770 square feet)**. The lot already has **water, electricity, and sewage services available**, which significantly reduces initial development costs. There are also existing structures on the property with a total covered construction area of approximately **490 square meters**, including **usable facilities** that can serve immediately for ministry purposes such as classrooms and meeting spaces. This will help save us well over \$100,000 in initial construction costs! The land is zoned to allow up to **three stories of construction**, making it well-suited for the future development of an auditorium and additional ministry spaces as the Lord leads.

The purchase price of the property including the costs to remodel is **\$380,000**. Through the sacrificial giving of our home church and several friends, we currently have **\$186,000** committed toward this project. At this time, we need approximately **\$194,000** to complete the purchase. The contract we have signed gives us until **June of this year** to pay the full amount due.

Please pray with us that the Lord will provide the remaining funds needed and guide us wisely as we move forward. We firmly believe that this property will serve as a strategic base for the continued growth of the church and outreach in this area of Ecuador.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at Chris@teamecuador.org. If you would like to give toward this project, funds may be sent to our support address listed below. Please make checks payable to **Central Missionary Clearinghouse**, and note in the memo that the gift is for the **Building Reserve Fund of Christopher Thompson**.

Your prayers for our family and for the people of Ecuador are greatly needed. Through your faithful prayer and giving, you are part of what God is doing here. Thank you very much for standing with us.

In Christ,
Christopher Thompson



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I have set thee to be a light of the Gentiles, that thou shouldest be for salvation unto the ends of the earth. Acts 13:47