

*"Remember your leaders who have spoken God's word to you..." Hebrews 13:7 (CSB)*

Dear Friend,

Thank you for your generous gift to Mission:Dignity®! There are 2,600 retired ministers and widows who join me in expressing our gratitude to you! After decades of ministry, it is important that they know they are remembered.

Isaias Martinez pastored churches in many states for 47 years before declining health forced him into retirement. He and his wife, Vicenta, were married for 56 years and became Mission:Dignity recipients just before her passing in 2023.

In a recent thank you letter, Isaias wrote, "Thank you, Mission:Dignity, for your love and care. You were there for us when we needed support. Thank you for your support in my sorrow. Thank you for my new hearing aids! This was a great need for me, and I can't really put into words how much I appreciate you all!"

Thank you for remembering these soldiers of the cross who have given their whole lives for the Gospel! May God continue to bless you for your generous giving!

Working Together,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Aaron J. Meraz". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Aaron J. Meraz, Ph.D., D.Min.  
Director of Mission:Dignity

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