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Prayer Requests

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- Pray for the teachers as they hear and read the Word & new materials as well as the Children (all 7500 of them) as they receive the assignments; so they will let God into their lives and will grow in faith.
- Dwight & Kristi need strength, mental acuity, support from the States, & wisdom for writing the curriculum & dealing with the many folks who come in daily for spiritual support.
- The "aloneness" Dwight and Kristi experience seems profound at times. Please request that God's chosen friendships develop.

Thank You for your support & prayers for this ministry. We are in this together.

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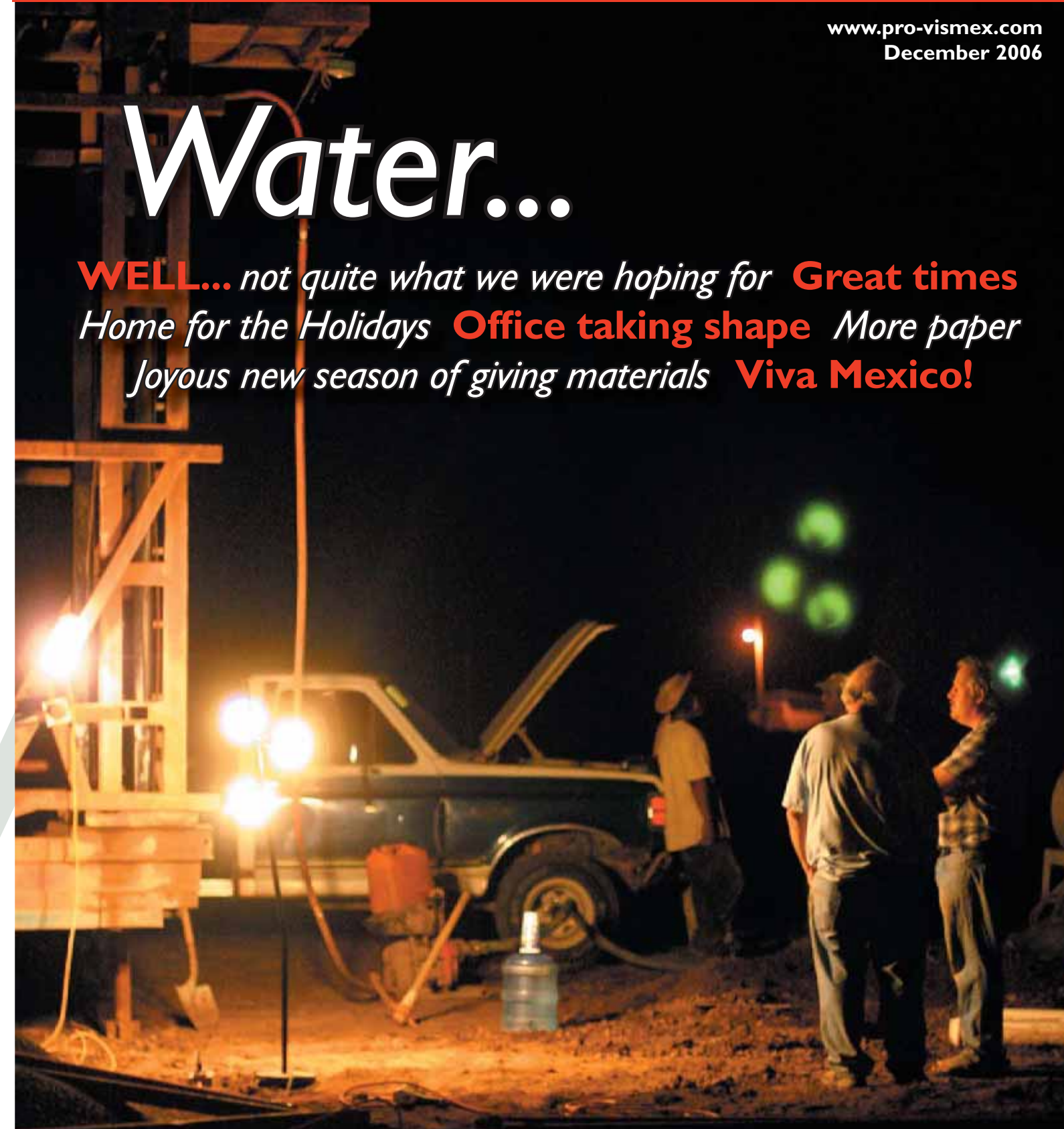
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Water...

WELL... not quite what we were hoping for **Great times Home for the Holidays Office taking shape More paper Joyous new season of giving materials Viva Mexico!**



Twelve news-bits this Christmas

We wish you all a very special Christmas Season as you celebrate the coming of our King and enjoy special times with family and friends.

1 Huge Workshop

For the last 6 workshops, we have had 'just enough' material for the churches that arrived, sometimes down to the last pack for 10 kids! We were feeling like God was sending people to us as we could handle them... until this past month. We had over 200 people attend representing 64 churches! (With current needs for over 2900 kids!) More than double the regular attendance. We do understand that Hermosillo is a huge city (several million people) but Mochis is also a huge city, and we had just enough material there, so we were pleasantly surprised in Hermosillo to break into a new and exciting season. We gave away everything we had and set a date to deliver the remainder.

6 Styles of food

eaten at Mexican Revolution day. We attended a big Mexican Revolution day party at a local church with great bands and great food on November 20th. VIVA Mexico!!

7 Walk-in in pastors

We continue to have several walk-in pastors each week. Most are from this area and we continue to be amazed that there are more out there. It is so cool to be able to load up a minister with the tools they need and can't get!!!!

2 Missionaries Leaving

Harry and Linda Nasbaum have been Mennonite missionaries in Huatabampo for 6 years. They are leaving in December, leaving us the only Christian Missionaries in the local area. We will miss them as they have become great friends.

3 Weeks in Oregon for Christmas

Wahoo!!! Home to see family and friends.

8 Weeks of fun for parents

Dwight's Mom and Dad, Ko and Jan Krauss, visited for 8 weeks and are heading home for Christmas. We have so enjoyed their stay and will miss them terribly!!!

4 New Equipment Stands

The laser printer, laminator, folder, and bookmaker all now have permanent homes on custom stands instead of on folding tables, which really helps the office set-up. Thanks to Lon Smith's team and Ko Krauss for all your help! The office is really starting to take shape.

9 More cases of material

We are headed back to deliver the materials to the churches in Hermosillo on December 1st. Enough materials for 1300 kids should finish the needs for those who attended the previous workshop.

10 Cases of paper

We bought a lot of paper this last month, and have used all of it!! We keep thinking we will be getting a little ahead producing materials, but we keep giving it away.

11 More cases of paper

Actually, it was more than 21 cases for the month! We have put almost 1.5 million copies through our Risograph since we got here. Looking forward to a back-up Riso!

12 Months of Blessing

As the year comes to a close, we are so grateful for the blessings God gave us each month of the year. God is Good! All the Time!

50 Feet of well

As we have shared with you in the past newsletters, we felt like it was now time to push forward to try to find good water on our land. (for the past year and a half Dwight has been making trips with our little water trailer, and bringing our water in from Huatabampo) We so appreciate all your prayers thru this time. Things just fell together to have a company come out one day... and we went for it! I was so excited to see them out the window. It took them a couple of days to get the well dug down to 50 feet and installed. But, unfortunately, after the well was installed, and cleaned out, the water turned out to be completely salty. (Worse than seawater) The well has lots of water, but the water is too bad to use for anything at all. Naturally it was a disappointment, but we both experienced grace from God at the right moment. We trust God has our water situation in His hands, and has a plan for His glory thru every aspect of our lives. Our next steps with our water situation will be checking closely into the city's efforts for water with our neighbors, and regular water deliveries (to relieve Dwight from the job.)