

ACTS IN ACTION

**The A Family Net Update from
the Bonilla-Giovanetti family**
*ABFMS Missionaries & MKs to Chile,
en route to Spain*

May 2009

Parenting in Missions



We trust that as time goes by, you have been visiting www.theafamily.net for our latest journals. On these AiA bulletins we highlight only portions thus we encourage you to check the site frequently for more updates.

A big portion of our gratitude for our time in Chile is how we saw God at work in the lives of those around us. Two of our students who graduated in December, led the Xtreme Team to Bolivia (<http://xtremeteamchile.blogspot.com/>), and returned to be married so they could "continue fulfilling their call to missions". Ulises and Jennifer were married on Friday, February 27, right before we left Chile and in March they were sent by Christ King Baptist Church in Santiago to lead a new church plant in Villarica. What they learned in the Institute, they practiced in Bolivia and will now be useful in this new experience in the south of their country. Because you were faithful in having servants in Chile, they studied and were encouraged to follow their call to missions.



Ulises and Jennifer chose Daniela as their flower girl...



When Kim arrived to Chile in January 2008, little did she (or we) know how life would be in May 2009. After a week with us at the International Youth Camp, a second visit followed with an experience that convicted Kim to return to the States to pursue her ordination and the process toward endorsement and commissioning as a missionary. On Saturday, May 9th, 2009, Kim Kushner will be ordained and commissioned to missionary service

to El Salvador in her home region and church in Oregon. <http://www.internationalministries.org/missionaries/360>. That is what parenting in missions is like: opening doors for and encouraging others to do what the Lord has called them to do.

Because of His true love... Because of His death and resurrection... Because He called us... Because we know He is coming again... We serve Him... And we pray that He may find us all in His service. You are part of these joined adventures and we treasure each one of you. Keep your updates coming, too!

Together pressing toward the goal, your fellow servants,

The Bonilla-Giovanetti family
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You are invited to join **The A Family Team & Network** of individuals and churches who support the ministry of the Bonilla-Giovanetti family through prayer, encouragement, or financial support. To learn more or join their Missionary Partnership Network (MPN), contact Lee Riggs, Church Relations Advocate, at rev.riggs@gmail.com.

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