

LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things, things planned long ago.

- Isaiah 25:1

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One last small family gathering before we head out!

We bought plane tickets for Uruguay! We leave on Tuesday March 26th! As I write, Laura and I are surrounded by suitcases, packing lists, passports, itineraries and emergency contact forms. To be honest, we're feeling a lot of different things; but we're especially feeling incredibly blessed and thankful. Here are just some of the things that we're thankful for:

- ▶ The Lord! Having a personal relationship with God has radically changed our lives. He has been so faithful and good. Now, we've been given the joy, privilege and honor of sharing Christ with others in Uruguay.
- ▶ You! Without you, we would not be able to serve the Lord in building Christ-centered laborers in Uruguay. Thank you so much for your partnership with us!

▶ For the Uruguayan Cru staff couple, the team of ten short-term missionaries, and for all of the Uruguayan student leaders who are there to welcome us! They've been so helpful these last several days in arranging lodging and a rough game plan for the first few weeks we're there.

▶ For our parents! Seriously, without such loving, supportive, kind, generous, and incredible parents, I don't know how we'd be able to serve the Lord in Uruguay. We love you moms and dads, thank you.

With our departure fast approaching, there are many practical ways that you can be praying for us. Please be praying for:

- ▶ Safe travels and safe arrival in Montevideo.
- ▶ An apartment. The first few weeks we'll be searching for a place to live in the city that is near campus.
- ▶ For our language and cultural transition into life and ministry in Uruguay.
- ▶ For the Lord to continue His work in Uruguay of bringing students to Christ. Just last week, five men and women put their faith in Christ as their Lord and Savior!

The next two months will be full of new experiences for us. Thank you so much for your prayers. We will be returning to the United States this summer for training, but will fly back down to Uruguay at the end of August. We're so thankful for you and



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