



The Franklin Family

*Go, stand and speak in the temple
to the people all the words of this life. Acts 5:20*

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In That Sweet By and By . . .



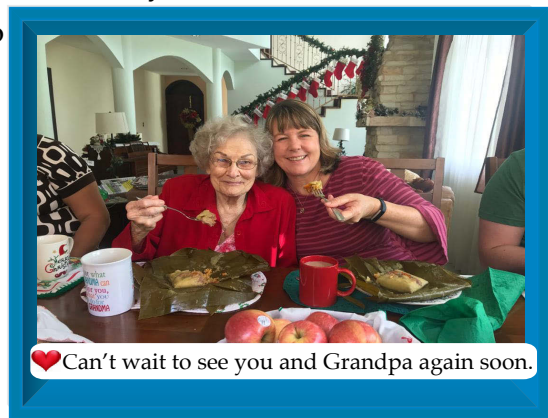
She fought the good fight, ran the race & kept the faith

My loving and extraordinary grandmother Maudie Meek passed away this week. The Lord placed her in my life perfectly through the years to guide and lead me to do His work. She was all at once my grandmother, counselor, sister, friend, and mentor. For 65 years she served as a Baptist Bible Fellowship Missionary and along with my Grandfather Jeff, who passed in 2005, established many churches and personally impacted those they ministered to in California, Chili, and Costa Rica. Many memories have flooded in of her love for Bibles, music,

flowers and birds which has always reminded me of her love for the Lord. I remember riding in the car with her on several occasions and she would always have a 3x5 index card on her visor to help her memorize Bible verses. My grandmother's mark can be found in the churches we have established, who's evangelistic zeal is rooted in the influence and love my grandmother so skillfully poured into me. Many people are indebted to this great woman of God, it is difficult to put it into words. Her absence I feel, but her example is forever with us in the growth and spread of churches in many countries that has sprung from the tiny "mustard seed" of love she passed on to us all. I thank the Lord that she is home. I pray this prayer I recorded of my grandmother at Christmas several years ago will be a blessing to you. I speak only for myself, but I know others feel the same, when I say that she made me a better missionary, a better wife and a better woman than I would have been had she not been there. Her advice at home, at church and in the highways and byways I've traveled, has echoed in my mind and heart many times. I pray the Lord gives our family, friends and church members who knew my grandmother the same sharp defining wisdom and enduring love and purpose that He gave to her.



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Can't wait to see you and Grandpa again soon.

Psalms 33: 4,5 - Regina



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