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I would like to add my recommendation... with regard to Karvin Adams and Partners in Missions, an organization he and his wife Sandy founded and direct to support the work of missionaries and national leaders of the Church of God in Latin America.

In September 2005, when we were new as Regional Coordinators for Latin America, Karvin invited my wife Barbara and I to accompany him on a short-term mission trip to the San Blas Islands of Panama, where Partners in Missions has been working for several years with native Americans of the Kuna Yala culture. Karvin's ministry to the Kuna—as well as in other areas of the region where Partners operates—involves congregational development and leader training to serve, not only Church of God congregations on the islands, but an interdenominational community of evangelical churches, as well.

We find Karvin and Sandy to be committed to long-term service to the growing church in Latin America. They are sensitive students of local culture and appreciate the complexities of working cross-culturally in the region. Karvin regularly consults us on plans or programs that intersect with our work as Regional Coordinators. This is not just a courtesy. He believes, as do we, that open and candid communication between Partners in Missions and Global Missions is essential to the success of our corporate efforts to fulfill the Great Commission in this key area of the world.



Karvin, son of a Church of God pastor in LA., was converted at the age of 8. His interest in Native Americans began shortly after. He received a call to ministry while in his teens. He is a graduate of Gulf-Coast Bible College (now Mid-America Christian University).

Sandy, who was raised by a Church of God mother in N.E. LA., was converted at the age of 10.

Since 1981, they have served as pastors and were the first Church of God North American missionaries to Ecuador. In January 1997, they founded PiM which focuses on the Indigenous Peoples of the Americas in Leadership Development.

The Karvin and Sandy have a son who is a pastor, a daughter and 7 grandchildren.

Partners in Missions

**A Church of God
Missions Organization**



(Mayan Indian of Guatemala)

Founded by
Karvin & Sandy Adams
First Church of God North American
Missionaries to Ecuador

Our Mission:

Help Indigenous People become spiritually mature so that they, with the help of the Holy Spirit, may be self-governing, self-propagating and self-reliant



(Warner School Students in a Presentation)

Partners in Missions is...

- ~ Recognized as a missions organization of the Church of God - Anderson, IN.
- ~ Governed by a Board of Directors
- ~ Approved by IRS as a nonprofit religious organization - 501(c)3
- ~ A Public Corporation

All donations are fully tax deductible and used 100% as designated

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"I thank my God every time I remember you...Because of your partnership in the gospel" (Phil. 1:3,5)



(Dona Concepcion Ramirez whose image has been on the \$.25 coin of Guatemala since 1959 with whom we have worked)



(Warner School in Peru educating students for more than 15 years)

Areas of ministry include...

- ~ Educating the Church of Missions through Conventions and Trips
 - ~ Evangelizing the Lost
 - ~ Edifying the Believers
 - ~ Equipping Church Leaders
 - ~ Encouraging the Church
- ~ Education of Students in the Warner School in Peru & Adults in Guatemala in Vo-Tech Training

"It was a joy to participate with Partners in Missions in our recent trip to Quito, Ecuador. We were able to witness the love and admiration that the Christians in Ecuador have for Pastor Karvin Adams. His missionary work is a wonderful blessing to many Christians in Latin America."

Rev. Gilbert Davila
Spanish Speaker for CBH
(Christians Broadcasting Hope)