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Leonardo graduating from Charis



Leonardo in class at Charis Mexico

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*I am come that they might have life, and
that they might have it more abundantly.*

John 10:10

The promise of an abundant life was given to all. Yet there are still many Christians who remain unaware of this promise, living burdened by pains, sicknesses, and attacks from the enemy.

Through our global translations, we are sending the message of hope into every tribe, nation, and tongue possible, working to reach people all around the world. In Mexico, Leonardo Maximiliano Cirila's life was forever changed through our global efforts.

Leonardo, an educator for nearly four decades, was forced into early retirement due to debilitating leg and foot pain that plagued him for twelve years. He had tried to pray for healing, but the pain continued to progress and prevented him from tasks as simple as getting

in and out of cars. Then he came across Andrew Wommack's television show, *The Gospel Truth*, in Spanish on the Enlace network, and it changed his life forever.

Leonardo recalls, "I turned on the TV and there was Andrew. There was kind of a voice in my heart telling me to watch it." Drawn in by the truths Andrew shared, Leonardo started watching every day with hunger and expectancy. He says, "My favourite scripture in the Bible is John 19:30 where Jesus said, *'It is finished.'* I agreed with what Andrew said when he taught about that. I understood it now because of his teaching."

Searching online for Andrew's books in Spanish, Leonardo discovered there was a Charis Bible College location in Mexico and decided to check it out. After limping his way to the school, Leonardo was greeted by the school's Director, who not only helped him get Andrew's materials but also prayed for his healing on the spot.



Leonardo at Charis Mexico

Leonardo was introduced to the supernatural power of God as his healing started to manifest instantly.

Leonardo describes, "I felt the pain leaving immediately. It diminished little by little at first, but by the time I was leaving to go home, I didn't have any of the pain anymore! I was really surprised." He decided to enrol in classes at Charis Mexico and graduated in May with plans to bring the truth of God's Word to his community of Santiago Mexquititlán.

"My intention is to help other people," shares Leonardo, "because there is much, much need. I want to show them I'm healed so that they will believe the Word. John 10:10 says that the Lord Jesus came so that we might have an abundant life, but most of the time, we are the ones who refuse it. I invite people to meditate on the Word and seek God so they can take advantage of what God really has for them, and for all of us."

Our international Charis locations are doing the work of God all over the world, and Leonardo's testimony exists because of the tremendous generosity of our World Outreach Partners. Through your faithful support, healings are manifesting, destinies are being discovered, and people in remote places are receiving the abundant life Jesus came to give. Together we are transforming lives and spreading the Gospel to the ends of the earth!

**Quotations edited for length and clarity.*



Leonardo praying on a mission trip

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