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## The M<sup>C</sup>KENDREE Family

## Missionaries to the Deaf $1^{st}$

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

March-April 2014

Nehemiah 8:10b "...for the joy of the LORD is your strength."

God has certainly given us much joy and strength these last couple of months. It has been a joy to celebrate the 5th birthday of Martha, to see the spiritual growth of Ian, and to have Phebe Anne McKendree join our family! Phebe Anne was born on March 28, 2014, at 10:40AM. She weighed 6.5 pounds and was 18 inches long. She has a full head of black hair and dark blue eyes! Mommy and Phebe are doing very well. Thank you to each of you for praying for us during this time!

We are also rejoicing over the increasing faith of our church members in Callao. It is a blessing to watch them grow in grace and in the Lord!

We have 5 Deaf students this year for the Bible Institute. Each of them are at different levels. What a joy it is to watch them learn and grow in their walk with the Lord!

Through the joy, God gives us the strength to go through the difficulties. Every family has struggles, whether it is your own family or your church family. It saddens us to see our church family members struggle and sometimes fall. Our hearts tremble and fear as we see the consequences of sin. We rejoice, however, in the hope of seeing them rise up and continue serving the Lord. We rejoice in the victory of a child of a Deaf adult (CODA) get saved out of a life of resentment, bitterness, anger, and rebellion - all because of a hug and an "I love you" from a loving Christian lady. It is a blessing to see this young lady now busy serving the Lord in her first year of Bible College here at Efata Villa El Salvador.

We have been busy scheduling meetings for our upcoming furlough starting in September. We currently have a full schedule up until the end of December. If you would like us to come by your church, please send me an email at perudeafmissions@gmail.com, or you can call me at (405) 443-9802.

We are now only using perudeafmissions@gmail.com for our e-mail. We are no longer using mattsarahmcktoperu@yahoo.com for our e-mail address.

Thank you for your faithfulness and support. We love you all and look forward to seeing many of you while we are on furlough this year!

To the Deaf 1st and Whosoever Will, The McKendree Family Matt, Sarah, Martha, Ian, & Phebe

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