

## A Little Leaven ...

*The apostle Paul to the Christians in Galatia* wrote the following words,

*“Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free ...  
A little leaven leaveneth the whole lump” (Galatians 5:1, 9).*

Leaven, in the Scriptures, is used mostly as an example or symbol of evil influence, but there are a few times when it is used of good influence, such as our Lord comparing it to the kingdom of heaven (Matthew 13:33). In the English language, when it is used as a verb it involves the idea “to raise something” (Merriam-Webster). The Lord’s church needs to grow, and during recent visits to some Hispanic congregations the brethren started to realize something that English-speaking congregations have known for a long time, “grayheads do not walk with us forever”. Christians need to become the leaven that leavens the whole lump, in this way we can fight back against the leaven that Satan uses around the world to deceive humanity. Our children need to see their parents getting busy for the Lord. Older generations are passing to their reward, while the younger ones are not filling the shoes the elderly are leaving. We are thankful to God for the opportunity to provide tools and resources to the Spanish-speaking congregations, so they grow and get busy in reaching the Spanish-speaking world with the truth of the Gospel, generation after generation. One lady recently wrote to us the following message,

*“I saw a video, and, honestly, I have always wanted to go to the true church of our Lord Jesus Christ but I had not found it until I finally saw this video and it seemed to me to be the whole truth.”*

There are lots of souls out there seeking the whole truth. Our most popular video is the Spanish version of **Why Are There So Many Churches**. We recently launched a teaching card having brief info with a QR code and a link to that video on one side, and details about the Spanish **Back to the Bible** videos on the other. Many of these have been given to missionaries to use in upcoming campaigns into Latin America as well as some Hispanic congregations in Texas. We hope they will help them in their efforts as well as those souls who are searching for the truth. The lady from that email was already put in contact with local brethren in her country, and we hope and pray she becomes a Christian soon. The course on **II Corinthians** has been launched recently on the School website and the series for new converts, **The New You**, is getting close to its last lesson’s release.

We are thankful to God for the opportunity to serve Him through this ministry. We are thankful to those who support financially these efforts and to those who promote and use the resources that the School makes available to the entire Spanish-speaking world. If you are reading this and would like to support this work of the Lord, please visit our English website, [spanishbibleschool.org](http://spanishbibleschool.org), take a look at what the School offers, or get in touch with us directly. Let us all be that good leaven, serving together our heavenly Father, and help this world find the truth that saves their souls.

**May God bless you and your family richly today, and always!**

**To Him be the glory!**