

FEBRES



Waleska
Febres

COLOMBIA

LANGUAGES

Spanish

MINISTRY PRIORITIES

Evangelism,
Discipleship

BIRTHDAY

6/2



LOCATION

Colombia



ABOUT

WALLA'S ministry has been primarily dedicated to evangelism, discipleship, leadership development, basic biblical and non-formal theological education, and church planting in Colombia, the Dominican Republic, and Puerto Rico. Now she serves in Colombia at the Torch Bible Institute (Instituto Biblico la

Antorcha), which focuses on preparing only ethnic leaders and pastors from the 107 tribes spread throughout Colombia to serve among their communities. Walla serves as co-director, academic coordinator, and teacher. She is also a pastoral assessor to the three churches founded in Bogota and participates in some movements and organizations serving ethnic groups and churches. In addition, she receives short-term mission teams. Walla makes short-term cross-cultural trips to the ethnic communities to encourage, comfort, follow-up, and offer training, workshops, and conferences on requested themes.

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Comforting a child from among the Nasa tribe.

“ MINISTRY STORY

"Behold, you will call people you did not know, and people who did not know you will run to you, because of Jehovah your God, and the Holy One of Israel who has honored you" (Isaiah 55:5).

If you are a very sociable person with lots of charisma, used to being surrounded by many people, perhaps for you the fulfillment of this verse is obvious. But when you are a person like I used to be, full of fears, complexes, and insecurities, you will be surprised to think it could become true in your life. Thirty-two years ago, God gave me this word. In my disbelief, I thought it was a mistake, an impossibility. However, over the years serving the Lord in mission, I've been able to see how his word is yes and amen in him. God has allowed me to meet so many people from so many countries, ethnic groups, families, and cultural backgrounds, that it gives me great joy to know he is not wrong. Nor was he wrong in letting me know that it was not because of me, but despite me, and because of him. He has glorified himself and honored my life by surrounding me with so many in need of

faith and hope, who have come to know him and his truth, and who have been transformed. Also, surrounding me with so many who have been his instruments to bless, teach, encourage, correct, exhort, challenge, affirm, and walk with me, near or at a distance, in this beautiful adventure of faith and obedience.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for provision for the native students to come to the Bible Institute from their communities.

Pray for provision for the different projects to continue developing the new property for the Bible Institute.

Pray for the beginning of the discipleship and missionary programs.

Pray for volunteer missionaries to become part of the ministry at the Bible Institute.

SCRIPTURE

"See, I have made him a witness to the peoples, a ruler and commander of the peoples. Surely you will summon nations you know not, and nations you do not know will come running to you, because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has endowed you with splendor."

Isaiah 55:4-5 (NIV)