# Martinez Missionary Mail (3rd Quarter 2024) Chuck & Robin Martinez, SGSP Mission Directors, Guatemala



A phone call took on an uncertain feeling with a request to meet with the leadership of the agency that owns the aircraft in service with SGSP Aviation for nearly 6 years. They shared that it had been a difficult decision, but the sale of the aircraft was required to finance the organization's changing needs.

SGSP was offered the opportunity to purchase the aircraft outright, however as a ministry we lacked the \$375K sale price. Graciously the owners did allow for the continued use of the aircraft until the final sale. Immediately we began to pray for wisdom and began to reach out to other missionary aviation organizations, searching for a replacement aircraft.

We ask that you add your faith to ours as we wait on the Lord for the perfect solution. Meanwhile, C&R and SGSP remain committed to maintain our missionary outreaches even with out the distinct advantage of aircraft.

### Have a Suggestion?

Reach out with your ideas, advise, or leads to <a href="mailto:admin@sgsp-aviation.org">admin@sgsp-aviation.org</a>. There is wisdom in the counsel of many!



Awaiting the perfect solution....



We want to hear what you have to say.



## Help With Our Hollering!

Effective outward communication helps to meet the needs of SGSP Aviation Ministries, Inc. and generates interest and awareness. If your gift is social media, we invite you to come alongside and join the SGSP team. Reach out to us with your questions at admin@sgsp-aviation.org

### Routine Ramblings

Around about July /August, routine aircraft inspections must take place to keep mission aircraft in condition to operate in the unforgiving landscape of the western highlands of Guatemala. Apart from this, licenses and permissions must be applied for, paid, and registered, allowing for unrestricted circulation within the borders of Guatemala. A lot of effort but well worth it, to speed the Gospel, aid, and compassion to the people of Guatemala.



#### Jolted in July, Ailing in Aug

Robin's mom fell at home in California, breaking her hip requiring surgery. She will need six weeks to recover and physical therapy. Robin was called stateside to give aftercare to her 92-year-old mom during her recovery. Chuck stayed in Guatemala to coordinate ministry outreaches and will join Robin later stateside in August.

# Drawing The Curtains Back

Co-laboring with fellow missionaries is all part of the job-description at SGSP Aviation in Guatemala. Visiting colleagues in the lake district of Santiago Atitlan, we got a feel for what they were trying to accomplish as they were renovating a Christian camp and what SGSP's part could be in their effort. Several newly renovated guest apartments needed window coverings......well you know Robin, if it involves sewing, she is all in.

