## **DAY 10: MARY CHACÓN**

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My name is Mary Chacón. My husband is Evangelist Carlos Chacon. We have been serving the Lord For almost 18 years. God has allowed me to be the mother of two beautiful daughters, Carla and Celeste.

When we started our ministry we had only one thing, "Faith." We did not have vehicles. We did not have a tent or equipment. We did not have a house nor children. We had only that simple faith, that two young people starting their life together believed that the grace of God could do something with their lives and we only prayed for our requests.

A few months passed and I found out that I was pregnant with two babies (twins). That joy of motherhood was in our lives, but in a few months I suddenly lost my pregnancy (Miscarriage). A sadness flooded my heart. We were traveling and were far from our family and in case it was not enough my husband arrived late to a missionary appointment in a church that evening that he had to keep. We were living off of love offerings only at that time. When he got home, I asked him how it went. Did you present the ministry? He said no because he was late. Oh, but did you explain why? Yes. I had another question, but did the church pray for me at least? He answered, "No."

A feeling of sadness flooded my heart thinking, "Lord, we are alone!" The Lord with his sweet voice said to me, "Yes, daughter, I am trying to teach you a lesson. You and your husband are alone, both in my hand."

## Isaiah 41:9-10

Thou whom I have taken from the end of the earth. And called thee from the chief men thereof, and said unto thee, thou art my servant; I have chosen thee and not cast thee away.

Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee: yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.

[Bettina's note: Mary has been a long time writer of Spanish devotionals on Facebook. You can find and follow her page at "Hadasa Devocionales by Mary Chacón."]

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