

meet the **CANOS**



PANAMA



their story

Luis was raised by separated parents. In 1986, when Luis was 12, a pastor visited his house and shared the Gospel with him. That day, Luis accepted Christ as his personal Savior. His involvement with Word of Life began in 1992 when he met missionaries from the organization.

Nedelka was also raised by separated parents. She grew up with her father and six brothers. In 1991, when Nedelka was 11, her older brother shared the Gospel with her and she received Christ.

Luis and Nedelka were married in 1997. In 2003, God led them to the Word of Life Institute in Argentina, where they studied for three years, getting grounded in Scripture, training for ministry, growing in their faith, and enriching their marriage.

In December of 2006, the Canos returned to Panama to serve God with Word of Life. The focus of their ministry is evangelism, discipleship, and leading Bible clubs and camps.

In 2013 they took in two girls, Marcia and Janeth, from ANA Panama's transition home. The arrangement was originally temporary, but the following year Luis and Nedelka committed to adopting the girls.

Marcia is in her first year of college and hopes to get Bible training after graduation. Janeth is in high school.

prayer requests

The Canos praise God for a fruitful evangelistic event on November 4, a national holiday. During the parade the Canos passed out water bottles and Gospel tracts. Many invitations to church were given out to many people also. Pray that many respond.

Praise God that Traci was able to give the gospel to the sister of the Cano's adopted daughter. Pray that the Lord will draw her to Himself.

Pray for WOL's Youth Involve Contest. This is a day that the youth from all the different Bible Clubs compete with different spiritual gifts; Bible memorization, teaching, singing, drama, etc. It is a way to expose the youth to different ways to serve the Lord and to hone their gifts. Pray for the Lord to raise up many youths to serve Him with their gifts in the future.

Pray for the Pastor's Breakfast on December 1 to be a time of blessing, encouragement and strengthening for all those who attend.

Summer camp starts in January. Pray for the Word of Life team as they are planning the details now. Pray for unity and teamwork in their preparations and that God will be glorified.

Pray for all the Panamanian students who are studying at The Bible Institute in Mexico. Pray that they will take full advantage of this training and that God will guide their future decisions, and that God will raise up the next generation of Global Workers in Panama Word of Life.

Pray for:

- God to raise up more financial and prayer partners for Luis and Nedelka.
- a home in western Panama City and new and bigger car for the ministry.
- God to inspire people to give camp scholarships to children in need.