

HISPANIC MISSIONS SUNDAY

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WHY SEND HISPANIC MISSIONARIES?

62 MILLION

The Hispanic or Latino population in the U.S., which includes people of any race, was 62.1 million in 2020. It grew 23%, while the population that was not of Hispanic or Latino origin grew 4.3% since 2010. By 2050, the Hispanic or Latino population is expected to reach 100 million.

(Source: US Census, 2020 Population Estimates)

SECOND

The U.S. is the second largest Spanish-speaking country in the world, second only to Mexico.

(Source: Instituto Cervantes, El Español: Una Lengua Viva, Informe 2021)

3,361

Right now, there are 3,361 Southern Baptist Hispanic congregations in the U.S. with 223,351 members; they represent 20 nationalities from the 21 countries which state their official language as Spanish.

(Source: Ethnic Research Network, 2020 State of Ethnicity & Race in SBC)

Learn more at

imb.org/hispanic-church-missions

Historically, Hispanic countries have been considered a mission field, but now Hispanics are becoming a missions force all over the world.

Hispanics are uniquely equipped to live cross culturally because they already understand how to navigate between cultures.

Many Hispanics are bilingual or trilingual.

Second and third generation Hispanics do not have some of the restraints that their parents may have had, like learning a new language or resisting a move to a new country.



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