

## Report on Expo Monterrey 2013

We started on Friday 19th the expo, I was helped by a couple of my fellow readers at Univitatia study group, we set the stand and planned giving 5000 flyers-brochures, 50 Jesus' timeline posters, 100 pix of Jesus ascending, 15 copies of When things go wrong and 20 of Urantia opens the door of our Chilean friend Yolanda Silva, 20 copies of Life in other planets, 3 UB English (came only to visit 4 American visitors), 12 3CC pins, 100 Orvonton pins, and 300 cds and 300 dvd's by the second day we had to do more because all was given so fast we did 100 more of each and got to most of the visitors, spiritual vitamins got scarce by the last day we only got 3000 and rolled at the stand about 300 not more because got no time we needed at least 3 people to serve most of the visitors.

At the expo we've got the stand # 106 and was a 2X2 mts.



*Here is Lourdes a friend we hired to help us on everyday basis since we've got only 3 volunteers for some hours*

Most of the people visiting loved the J.J. Benitez DVD and also and specially the Audio DVD we gave them, since we got 20 UB for the activity we raffled 7 and could sell 7, the prices of the items at the expo went from 5 to 10 USD we tried to sell it for 20 but ended up in 10 USD, also a couple that was not well cut and missed 16 pages about 12 mm missing the last 3 letters of each line were given away, we lost 1 UB Spanish in the crowd and also 1 cd we had in consignment.



Only 305 of the visitors got an email address so we've got a lot of phone numbers and people who said wanted to be at the study groups but will call, this time more people asked about the different translations and took the translations available at the booth to go thru them inspiring to stay longer at the booth.

Got time for an interview at the expo radio for 20 minutes and only 5 in local TV, having a chance to talk about the book and a brief presentation.

We also made copies of a CD with secondary works of readers throughout Latin America.



The people who stayed longer were three groups, those asking for the “lost years of Jesus”, those asking for Life beyond our solar system, and those asking for the spiritual creations in the many universes, remarkable a 9y.o. boy who asked about the seraphim transport and an 8y.o. girl who reading her spiritual vitamin got an insight on Life and Light.



The youngest reader 8 y.o. and the oldest a woman in her 90's who had read the book for 40 years and never before had a chat with another reader.

Also we had a visitor from France who found the UB in a mystic French speaking community.



Readers from the first study group in Monterrey came to the fair and asked for information to be in a study group again, so we are preparing for more people at the 2 active study groups in town. And due to the request in this expo we are opening the first morning study group every Wednesday basically for housewives who just cannot attend a night study group.



*We gave brownies the first day at lunch time in order to get more time.*

*Volunteers were Irma, Ricardo, Yahaira, Angélica and Agustin.*

At the stand we also got some music from readers in Latin-American helping as an icebreaker with some visitors. The stickers flew the first day we had so few that is a need for next people are very receptive to the Paradise Trinity talk with such a small aid to start it.

We had only a couple of copies of Pat Yesh coloring book we did not think so many children would come to the expo so it is also something new we learnt, we needed 21 steps book too people who recovered from addictions came asking for something similar to this. As usual the copies of When things go wrong came to be the most read and discussed by people who have never been in a group or who are starting their personal quest.



Yahaira explain the UB to a group



From left to right, Angélica, Irma and Lulú

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Visitors also asked a lot for C. Montgomery posters Ascent to Paradise and Local Universe Mother Spirit, but we only had a couple.

The expenses were:

From 720 US the stand came to 584 paying it as soon as requested, Mario gave me the loan for it and also I asked just a receipt not an invoice to avoid the 16% tax. Also hired Lourdes for 100 USD for the 3 Days.

Since the flyers were not enough ran out of ink making copies at our computers so got to buy ink and well as more markers and more envelopes for the cds and dvds, got as well 100 Cds and 100 DVDs extra of what I had before to complete the request at the booth. At the type of booth we've got 3 bracelets and badges so had to buy 2 for the rest of the volunteers.

### OUT

Stand	\$584
2 extra bracelets and badges	10
Lourdes Rebollar	100
2 chair, 1 table and a tablecloth	24
Paper shop at SAMs	203
Taxis for the set up and off	50
Meals	<u>150</u>
Total	1121

**OUT \$ 1121**

**Received support of 750**

### IN

**IN 145**

**Difference 226**

1 UB Spanish at 20 US	\$20
6 UB Spanish at 10 US	60
5 Lo básico 2	20
15 When things go wrong	<u>45</u>
Total	145

Thanks for your support and also volunteers as Ricardo Castañeda who traveled 8 hours from Zacatecas just to be with us and serve.

Agustin Arellano