



Abner & Susan Pineda

CITIZENS

Abner – Honduras / USA

Susan – USA

EDUCATION

Abner: * Central American Theological Seminary (Guatemala), 1972-1975

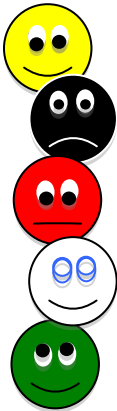
* *Child Evangelism Fellowship*[®] Leadership Training Institute, spring 1979

* Dallas Theological Seminary MA/CE, 1991

Susan: * Philadelphia College of Bible, 1973 – 1975

* *CEF*[®] Leadership Training Institute, fall 1976

TESTIMONIES



Abner: I was born in a Christian home in Honduras, Central America. For a long time I thought I was a Christian. But when I turned 8, a Sunday school teacher told me of the need of receiving Christ as Savior in order to go to Heaven. I did and it is a great honor to know I'm God's son forever.

Susan: During evening family devotions, I asked my dad what Romans 3:23 meant. When he explained, I realized I was a sinner and wasn't going to Heaven. After I prayed and asked the Lord to come into my life, Dad read John 3:16 and put my name in the verse. I was five and sure of eternal life!

WHAT INFLUENCED US TO WORK WITH CEF ?

Abner: The need of the children and CEF's effective plan of training others to evangelize them. God also used contacts with a CEF teacher training team.

Susan: Having grown up with CEF, I was aware of the need of the children. God led me into the ministry through contact with a teacher training team.



HISTORY WITH CEF

1979-1982 — Helped develop leadership in the Dominican Republic

1982-1989 — Helped develop leadership in Puerto Rico

1991 – present — Education Director for Latin America

2006 – present — Education and Regional Director for Latin America

FAMILY INFO.

Name	Birthday	Hobbies, interests	Verse	Salvation Age
Abner	10/26	Mechanics, graphic arts	2 Tim. 2:2	8
Susan	08/03	Kids, arts & crafts	1 Cor. 15:57	5

3 Married Children:

A. Benjamin (80), Chrissy & **Abigail** (2011) Pineda - Florida Fire Investigation / Nurse

Anna (83) & Colter, **Jedediah** (2011) & **Elizabeth** (2013), **Gracelynn** Brown - CEF Missionaries

Andrew (87) & Heather, **Amelia** (2015), **Wyatt** (2017) Pineda - Christian School Athletic Manager/
stay at home Mom



MINISTRY

First Term: 1979 - 1984

We worked in the Dominican Republic (under the leadership of Herb and Joan Racke) for three years evangelizing children in schools, homes, churches and camps. We also held teacher training classes training nationals to evangelize kids. The Lord raised up four full-time workers and led us to serve in Puerto Rico in 1982.

Second Term: 1984 - 1989

We continued serving in Puerto Rico. Our main focus was teacher training, holding an average of four classes a week. We helped develop national workers for both the Dominican Republic and Puerto Rico.

Furlough: 1989 – 1991

Abner got his Masters degree from Dallas Theological Seminary.

Third Term: 1991 - 1994

In 1991, Abner completed his graduate studies at Dallas Theological Seminary and was asked to take the responsibility directing the **education department** for CEF of Latin America. This involved coordinating the training carried on in 20 countries, organizing and scheduling national leaders to give training in other countries, helping develop materials needed to do the training, directing the 3-month Latin America *Children's Ministries Institute*® and traveling to countries needing help. To reduce travel expenses, in 1993 we moved to Avon Park, Florida.

Regional Director: 2006 – present

In June of 2006, Abner was appointed regional director for Latin America. This involves supervising, encouraging and giving leadership to the **20 countries** in the Latin America Region.

We are praying the Lord will call and equip the right persons to fill the position of Director of Education and Regional director by 2020.

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