

## **Joe and Linda Knight**

Linda and Joe Knight were co-pastors of the Rock Church Northwest in Monroe, Wash. They were in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico doing missionary work after 15 years of outreach on the streets of Seattle.

Members of their congregation gathered to pray and told reporters they were told not to talk.

The Knights said they gathered food, raised \$3,700 to build showers and toilets and worked to buy a school building for teaching English and the Bible to children living in poverty, according to a July 1998 story in The Herald of Everett.

Much of the support came from corporations.

"As a team, we have been able to get companies like Alaska Airlines to donate food for the children," Linda Knight told the paper.

"This isn't one of those things where we do a missionary trip and then forget about it," she said. "This is going to be our lifelong work."