

# TESTIGOS CRISTIANOS DE JEHOVÁ

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SE September 3, 2018

TO ALL CONGREGATIONS

Re: Rooming for the 2019 International Convention

Dear Brothers:

We were all excited to know that an international convention has been scheduled for Madrid next year. As was indicated to the congregations, it has not been possible to invite all the brothers from Spain to attend that convention. On the same dates there will be conventions in different cities, so all of us will feel a strong sense of unity receiving at the same time the relevant information that will be presented on that occasion. We feel sure that all of us share the same hopes and expectation related to that event.

In our letter of August 7, 2018, the following recommendation was made: “Please await further instructions before reserving hotel rooms.” We would like to repeat that recommendation. We have been told that some brothers have begun to contact hotels in Madrid and other cities in order to reserve rooms for the convention. Although we understand that certain preparations for the convention should already be addressed, we would like to remind everyone, dear brothers, of the importance of following direction given to the congregations. Soon the congregations will receive a list of recommended hotels, and the brothers can begin to make rooming arrangements. When those lists are available the enormous task will be simplified, and all things can take place in an orderly way. (1 Corinthians 14:40, footnote.) So, brothers, we must ask for you to be patient, resting in the assurance that you will soon have the information needed to find adequate rooming for the convention.

We look forward to this very special event with great expectation. No doubt it will provide an outstanding opportunity to display the Christian qualities that characterize God’s people. And that will result in a great witness for others, as well as a source of personal satisfaction knowing that we all walk in harmony with “the wisdom from above”.—James 3:17, 18.

We pray Jehovah’s blessing on the preparations and work being done related to the 2019 conventions, and we count on your cooperation with respect to the details mentioned in this letter, and we thank you very much in advance.

Receive warm greetings and an expression of fervent Christian love.

Your brothers,

*Testigos Cristianos de Jehová*

c. Circuit overseers

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P. S. to all bodies of elders:

This letter should be read to the congregation at the next midweek meeting. Please help the brothers to understand the importance of following the aforementioned instructions. Thank you.