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Soler, Omar (1969-) was born in Placetas, Cuba. He served as pastor of churches in Cuba and Florida including Lugares Celestiales Church, Stuart where he still serves at the present time. He and his wife, Odalys Gómez Soler have two children.



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Omar Soler

He was born on July 21, 1969, in Placetas, Cuba

He met the Lord Jesus Christ in October 1992 at the evangelical church “New Pines of Placetas” and, after only 6 months of being a believer, he felt the Lord’s call to the pastorate. He married his wife Odalys Gómez on September 4, 1993, with the strong conviction that together they would dedicate their lives to the service of the Lord. Their two children, Omar Abran and Joel Enoc Soler, are a precious gift from God in their lives. The Pastor began his pastoral studies at the Evangelical Seminary of Cuba “New Pines” in January 1993, and soon after began his pastoral work in a new mission in “Cumbres” Placetas. In July 1995 he was transferred to the church “New Pines in Zuluetas,” where he pastored for nearly 11 years and had the opportunity to build a beautiful building for the church and the pastoral house. Since 2003 he has worked as a coordinator and teacher at the seminary for pastors and leaders CPI (Training Pastors Internationally), work that he still continues to do. He did several theological studies, including a “Bachelor’s in Theology” awarded by the FLET seminary in March 2005. In 2006, he moved to the U.S. and began pastoring our church in April 2008. His pastorship is known for being very careful in preaching the gospel and sound doctrine, where he is powerfully used by our Lord Jesus Christ. Love, grace, and transparency are what characterize him, and his strong desire for all members of his congregation to exercise the gift and calling God has given them has allowed many current pastors and strong leaders to emerge under his leadership, who now serve the Lord in different places around the world.