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excerpts from home visit

HV1: And how many times a week does she... does Child S read at bedtime?

PAR: Most of the times, because we read the Bible together.

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HV1: Okay, and um, approximately how many books does she have available at home for her to read, from 0 to 3, 4 to 6, 7 to 9, 10 or more than 10?

PAR: No, I think only from 3 to 6. [0:03:30] Although the Bible has other books. She had other books that she read but she doesn't have them anymore. Once she reads them, she doesn't want to read them again, over and over. So we go to the bookstore [sic], get new ones, and return them. We have bought some, but we go, and¾

HV1: And you go to the library. Okay. Which is one of her favorite books that she reads?

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PAR: She will do fine, because she loves to read, but let me tell you, when... I just got married, we haven't moved here yet, we are in Mexico, but in the two or three months that we were involved with the wedding preparations I haven't had time to sit with her and read during this time, almost never. We were reading Proverbs from the Bible every night, one by one by one, like that, the four of us, I have three children, [0:07:58] and we were used to, now we couldn't read even a verse, and now that we are here it will be different, because I won't have to be running around for the preparations or nothing like that, because before she would say, "Mom, they told us to read every day for 15 minutes". We had to read the titles they gave them to read. So we read every day for 15 or 20 minutes, because they give them books.

[0:08:30] And she used to tell me "Mom, you have to read", "Oh, that's right" ... at bedtime. So right now, I haven't had the time during the past two or three months to read with her.

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