

Missionaries to Brazil

The Tyler Family



"He is able to save them to the uttermost" Hebrews 7:25

Dear Prayer Partners,

December 2014

As we look back on this year and reflect on what God has done, we are reminded of those who have helped us. Thanksgiving is past, but our hearts are still thankful for each and every person that has prayed for us, helped in supporting us, and encouraged us through this past year. Several people have already sent Christmas cards or even an offering for Christmas. God has been good to us!

The next few months will be filled with decisions as we finish up scheduling meetings, planning family events, and preparing for furlough in April. We will be trying to take advantage of our time in the US to get a few medical things cared for that are not so easy where we live. We also have some family gatherings planned and are excited about seeing all our friends again.

Things have been going well in the church since the inauguration. There is more participation than before, but not quite as much as we would like. The Lord has put many people in our path that are good prospects. We have followed up on several of them and will continue to do so as the weeks go by. Many have promised to visit, but have not yet come to the services. We have had a few visitors and are expecting more. Please continue to pray. The hardest time of the year to reach new people is from now to mid-February. Many people have time off and travel for three to four weeks. The holidays also provide many extra activities. Everything is slower. Yet, we are confident that God is working in hearts and will continue to work during these months also.

My father came up from São Paulo in November and we had a great time with him for a couple of weeks. He preached several times while he was here. The boys enjoyed having him here also. I am sure he was worn out from the heat and running around.

While my dad was here, we took a trip to visit a few small cities neighboring Indian territory. Though these cities are somewhat close to isolated tribes, these particular tribes would be best reached through other Indians. They are isolated and somewhat aggressive, so they rarely come into town. At present, there is not any Gospel witness or missionary in these tribes. We are also aware of several other tribes in this area of the country that are in the same situation. Please continue to pray that God would open doors and provide laborers for this work. A young Indian couple graduated this month from a Bible training institute. The church in their tribe would like to send out couples like them to neighboring tribes. They need your prayers. Their names are Zenilton and Adriana.

The past few months have been very uncertain here in our city and state. Political scandals have been unveiled and several have been arrested. Good things have also happened. Weddings, recitals, and other events have allowed us other opportunities to get out into the community. We see the hand of the Lord working in lives and drawing individuals close to him. One young lady we have been praying for over the past few years attended our Bible study this past week and plans to be there next week. I have had some good talks with her. Please pray for her salvation. God is at work and we are thankful that He has allowed us to be a part of what He is doing!

Reaching the World through Brazil,

"Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us."

Matthew 1:23

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