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Dear Prayer Partners,

Greetings in the name of the Lord! I trust the first quarter of this year has seen God doing great things in your neck of the woods. We certainly serve a marvelous God, do we not?

One of our most important ministries here in Brazil is the training of men and women for the ministry. Every school month we have a module at the **Bible Baptist Institute of the North**, some



with just a few students, others with more students. We ask that you pray for our students as they study and prepare to serve the Lord in the ministry. Although Antonia and I have not been close enough to teach often at the Institute, we are thankful for the other missionaries and teachers that



come in and pour their lives into the lives of these students. Please pray for them, and also that God will give us more students and raise up new laborers for His harvest in Brazil.

We are also thankful for the Family retreat we had in March at **Camp El Shalom**. Our campground has been an incredible tool in reaching people with the Gospel and in ministering to



people of all ages in our churches. We have already begun planning our biggest camps, the Junior and Senior Camps, which are held in the month of July. Please pray as we invite speakers and encourage children and young people to participate in these life-changing events.



Finally, I would like to report that after two years of laboring here in Palmas, we have decided to move back up to the city of Belém, at the mouth of the Amazon River, where we served for the first 22 years of our ministry. Although we have done much praying, canvassing, speaking to people one on one, and preaching the Gospel here in Palmas, we simply have not been able to get the work off the ground. It has been disheartening, I must admit, especially since Palmas is known as the "Evangelical Capital of Brazil." Then recently, a close missionary friend of mine reminded me that every missionary needs to be in a place where he can have the greatest impact on the Kingdom. We prayed about it, and now believe that for us, that place is back where the Lord has used us for so many years. Although leaving Palmas will be difficult for us, in Belém we will have the opportunity to continue planting more churches in needy areas that have far fewer truly Bible-believing churches of any kind. Furthermore, we will be more involved in our Bible Institute ministry, teaching and helping our students stay busy in practical ministries in their local churches, as well as preparing them and assisting them in the planting of new ministries.

Please pray as we plan our move for April 29. We hope to get somewhat settled in there before we make a trip to the States this summer to help get Stacy acclimated and enrolled in college. Please remember her in your prayers as she makes a final choice in a college to attend.

Allow me to express our gratitude to you. Your prayers are greatly appreciated! May the Lord bless you as you hold down the fort and win the lost to Christ, until He comes!

For His sake,

Kyron, Antonia, Keila, and Stacy

"To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God..." Acts 26:18a