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# NEWSLETTER OF THE COSTA FAMILY

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Dear American friends! Greetings from Brazil! Here we are again to share with you what great things the Lord has been doing! Thank you for your tremendous partnership through your prayers and support. May God bless you for being with us in this ministry!

## TRIP TO THE USA

We praise the Lord for the great trip we had to the USA. We thank Him for this opportunity, when we were able to meet great friends, partners, make new contacts, and share new projects. We are very grateful to God for the amazing family we have in the USA. It was a tremendous privilege to spend time with such wonderful people, whom the Lord has been using to bless our lives and ministry for so many years through many ways. Only God can reward you for all you have been doing for His Kingdom! You have a special place in our hearts! Thank you very much for the hospitality, care, and love, dear American family!

## MISSION TRIP TO INDIAN TRIBES

In September, once again, God blessed very much our ministry in Indian tribes in the Amazon region. This is the same area where we have been going for more than ten years. We are grateful to the Lord for this amazing ministry that He has been giving us in these tribes. Many were reached with the Good News!

**OUR TEAM**

**OUTREACH IN A VILLAGE**

At the end of our last meeting in this trip, an Indian came and said that we must go back there to work in another village where they also need a lot of help. This is not the first time that it happens on the last meeting! We believe that God does it to show us that we must go back, which means that He has been using this partnership between us and the local mission

(MCB) for the Glory of His Name! As we have shared before, the local missionaries have reported many times how this work alongside them has been helping to extend their ministry. We thank Him for that! We have already set a date for 2023.

**LOCAL PASTOR PRAYING WITH THE INDIANS**

# SCHOOL MINISTRY

**SCHOOL MEETING**

Our ministry at schools continues going very well. We have been reaching students from elementary school through high school, and their teachers as well. It remains as our biggest mission field. In a time in our country (and in most of the world) when moral values, principles, family, etc. have been attacked and destroyed (and so many of these thoughts come to the society through schools), God is giving us open doors to preach His Word in this field which Satan has been exploiting a lot. It is a war! It is always tremendous to see how the students receive so well the principles and moral values of the Scriptures!

We thank Him tremendously for this incredible harvest field. Each student represents one family, so what God can do through it is immeasurable!

**SCHOOL MEETING**

# OTHER MEETINGS

In our local ministry, alongside the schools, we have been working in churches (evangelistic programs for children and mission services), drug recovery homes, and juvenile prisons.

We also thank God for all these opportunities. He has been doing great things!

**CHILDREN'S MEETING AT CHURCH**

**MISSION SERVICE AT CHURCH**

# BE AMAZING MINISTRIES

In August, the Be Amazing team did "The Amazing Home" in Orlando to which went fifteen Brazilian women. Six of them live in Brazil, and the others live in the USA. This event made its mark in the way that God healed the hearts of these women through a period of learning, friendship, and rest. Many of them were living a hard time. The son of one of these women tried to commit suicide during the week before the "Amazing Home"; the husband of another one died twenty days before; another one was in a process of divorce etc. On the beginning, the Be Amazing team was very concern about how to deal with all these problems, but God led them in every step. The Lord connected the participants through tremendous times of fellowship. At night, they didn't want to sleep, they just stayed seated on the floor talking through all the night. This strong fellowship was used by God to heal their hearts. One day, when they went for a hangout as part of the "Home" schedule, the two ladies who had problems with the son and husband were expressing great joy! It was very beautiful to see the different ways that God uses for restoration. Great stories happened! Praise Him!

**PARTICIPANTS OF THE BE AMAZING HOME IN ORLANDO**

# LAUSANNE CONGRESS

Dear friends, I, Bruno, got invited to participate in the Lausanne International Proclamation Evangelism Committee! It happened through Blair Carlson, who is part of this Committee, and with whom I have done outreaches in Africa. Right now, the Committee is planning to do outreaches in Asia, around the Lausanne Congress, which will be in South Korea in 2024. I praise the Lord for this tremendous opportunity. Please, keep praying for God to lead this group.

# TRIP TO THE NORTHEAST

Right now, I am preparing to go to the Northeast to assist our staff member Tiago in his ministry. Bill Martin, from Atlanta, is going with me. We will do evangelism and make a water well for the community. As we mentioned in newsletters before, people in this region suffer from long droughts. They have to walk miles to get water – and it is bad water. So, please, keep praying for the spiritual harvest and for the well project.

# MISSIONS CONGRESS

Dear friends, we will have on Nov 7–11 the biggest missions congress of Brazil. It happens every three years in a city close by. WP BRAZIL and BE AMAZING BRAZIL are going to participate. We will have a booth to represent our ministries. It is a tremendous time of fellowship and encouragement. Also, it is a great opportunity to present our ministries and to develop partnership projects with other missions. Please, pray for a good time there! All our staff will participate.

Thank you for your precious time reading our newsletter!

"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace."

(Numbers 6:24-26)

In His Unfailing Love,
Bruno, Camila, and Mariana.

# PRAISE

* For your faithful prayers and support
* For the Be Amazing Home in Orlando
* For the trip to the Indian tribes
* For our team of volunteers in the USA and in Brazil

# PRAYER REQUESTS

* For the mission trip to the Northeast this month
* For the Be Amazing Home in Brazil in Nov
* For the mission congress in Nov
* For the Lausanne outreaches