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NEWSLETTER OF THE COSTA FAMILY JULY 2023

Hello, dear brothers and sisters in Christ! The Lord gave us another wonderful quarter, when many heard the Gospel in different parts of our country. See in this newsletter what happened during the last months. Thank you very much for your precious partnership!

FIELD VISIT TO BOLIVIA

As it was planned in April, I, Bruno, went to Bolivia for a field visit. I had a wonderful time with our staff member Robson & family. Robson has been working hard with the WP Boat in Bolivia, reaching many Indian villages. We worked in partnership with small local churches, helping them reaching their communities. We thank the Lord for the wonderful outreaches we had. Many were reached. The response of the people was amazing. The local workers were very grateful for what we all did together.

We had one of our meetings in the soccer field of a local school. The Directors let us use it for the meeting. We had a great meeting there! At the end, the religious teacher from that school, who was not a Christian, asked us to provide him with some Bibles to teach the Word of God to his students! He was very impacted. Praise the Lord for the power of His Word!

ROBSON PREACHING IN AN INDIAN VILLAGE



MOVIE MEETING IN THE SOCCER FIELD



FIELD VISIT TO THE BRAZILIAN NORTHEAST

In May, David Wilson and I visited our staff member Tiago in the Northeast of Brazil. We three worked in the big city of Recife (almost 4 million people live in the metro region). We had an amazing time together. God provided us wonderful meetings at schools, where the teachers were very grateful for all the work done. We had meetings with elementary, middle, and high school students.

TIAGO PREACHING IN A SCHOOL



DAVID AND BRUNO PREACHING IN A SCHOOL



Tiago has been doing a wonderful work in the Northeast. Alongside the school ministry, God has been giving him amazing meetings with construction and rural workers. Many companies have been inviting Tiago to speak to their laborers. It has been a tremendous mission field. God is wonderful!

MISSION TRIP TO THE AMAZON

Praise the Lord that we had in June another wonderful trip to the Amazon to help local churches in the evangelization of their villages and to provide medical/dental assistance for the people as well. As we mentioned before, on this trip we take a hospital boat and go along the big Amazon River. The boat stops at the village, and while people come to have health assistance, we go in the village to do evangelism in the schools and other outreaches. These people who live at the banks of the rivers are one of the least evangelized groups of Brazil.

MOVIE MEETING (see our boat in the background)



OPEN AIR OUTREACH



We had an incredible team composed of 11 Americans, (led by Debi Turner from Fellowship Bible Church + people from other denominations), and 17 Brazilians + the boat crew! 817 people were reached by the Gospel in four different communities where we worked. Also, 1,208 people got medical/dental assistance - and many of those, of course, also heard the Gospel through the health professionals. Some in our team also did door-to-door evangelism and gave counseling. It was a great harvest, where our Lord Jesus Christ was glorified!

One pastor of one of the villages, who was facing many challenges - especially concerning his wife's health - told us that he was tired out and considering leaving his

SCHOOL MEETING (see the Amazon River in the background)



ministry in that place. However, he said that the visit of our team gave him a new breath. He said that God used us to encourage him. He was very grateful and strengthened by all God did in these days there. It is amazing to see how the Lord takes care of His people. Thank God for all His great deeds!

OUR TEAM!



BE AMAZING MINISTRIES

In this last quarter the work of Be Amazing continued going very well, growing with church and discipleship groups. However, we want to highlight two special events that we had. The first one was in Manaus, State of Amazonas (same place where we had the mission trip). After Camila worked on the mission trip mentioned above, she stayed a few days more when the team left. She was invited to speak to a group of women from different churches. Consequently, three new Bible study groups have already started in this region of our country (very North)! Thank the Lord as Camila's time there was very blessed, especially when these new doors opened! The second one was in a city in the Southeast of our country in the State of Minas Gerais. Camila was invited to go there for the graduation of a Be Amazing Bible study group. One special thing about this group is that it was developed inside dental clinics. It was not promoted by any churches, but a Christian man who owns a dental clinic was who promoted the Bible study for his workers and friends! It was tremendous to see how the Lord used this ministry to reach women in this different context!

PRAISE

- * For your faithful prayers and support
- * For the field visit to Bolivia and the Brazilian Northeast
- * For the mission trip to the Amazon
- * For the work of Be Amazing Brazil

WOMEN'S MEETING IN MANAUS



GRADUATION OF THE BIBLE STUDY GROUP



MISSION CONTROL PROJECT

In our last newsletter, we shared with you about our new project concerning our Mission Headquarters for WP Brazil. We thank the Lord as He has started to provide for it! Unbelievable! About 25% of the total cost has been committed thus far. Please continue praying for this miracle. Again, you will find attached to this newsletter a brochure which shows in detail what this project means. Please let us know if you have any questions!

Thank you very much for reading our newsletter! We praise the Lord for your lives. Thank you very much for all your trust in us and care of us. May His Grace be with you and with all your families!

In His Love,
Bruno, Camila, and Mariana.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- * For the mission trips remaining this year
- * For the Be Amazing Home in the Northeast of Brazil to women who suffer in the areas where they have long droughts
- * For the WP Brazil Mission Control Project

