

The Tyler Family



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

Dear Prayer Partners,

March - April 2013

"And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world." (I John 2:2)

Within the last 60 days, we have begun a new outreach. We made an attempt to advertise the Haitian Creole part of our Gospel website and found it to be very fruitful. The Lord then prompted us to go a step further. We found that there are nearly 430,000 people in Haiti that use Facebook. With help from Benji and Kerri Dryden (my wife's sister) in Haiti, we began investing in a Facebook page.

It is exciting to have an opportunity to influence people all around the world, but the most exciting thing so far happened just last night. The Drydens posted something simple just asking people if they were prepared to die and if they would go to Heaven. In return, one particular young man asked what he needed to do to be saved. Within minutes other Haitians were on there telling him to "repent and believe in Jesus." Praise the Lord!

A few days ago, another young man wrote, "I want to know God." Only time will tell what effect the Word of God is having in the hearts of these people. Please help us pray that the Lord would use these tools to spread the Gospel through the whole world.

We will be taking a trip to the American consulate in São Paulo this summer to renew necessary documents for our family. We will also take advantage of this trip to visit my parents who live a few hours from there.

In conjunction with this trip, Amanda will be traveling to the US for three weeks in June to get school materials for the next two years for our children. The cost of shipping them, along with the risk of losing them through customs made this the better option. She will also be able to spend some time with her family.

Continue praying for the work here in Ouro Preto do Oeste. We do not know what the Lord has planned, but we pray for wisdom and guidance as we seek to follow Him. The Monday night Bible study continues every week. Other Bible studies have been started, but because they depend on specific families and their homes, they have not been conducted regularly up to this point.

Another subject of interest to us is the World Cup in 2014. It goes without saying that Brazil is crazy about soccer and hosting the World Cup will only make things more exciting. Though we do not live near any of the game locations, I have been working with Wings Bearing Precious Seed to help take advantage of opportunities this event will bring to us. With much of the world at our doorstep, we must take advantage to reach people we may never again meet here on this earth. We have estimated that at the four games nearest our location, we can distribute 70,000 pieces of literature. Much more could be done in the days leading up to the World Cup if we were able to print themed tracts also. All of this would require careful planning and much manpower as there would be a small window of opportunity to distribute the literature. Would you like to help?

Reaching the World through Brazil,

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