

The Tyler Family



Reaching the World Through Brazil... Acts 1:8

Dear Prayer Partners,

November-December 2019

God is good! It has been such an encouragement to hear of how God's people have prayed for us during the past few months. We have needed every bit of those prayers.

Praise the Lord, I am on the mend. Recuperation is going well, though some days it seems like we are not making any progress. Physical therapy has helped quite a bit, but if I did not know it was for my own good, I would label the hand therapist as a torture specialist. With hand/wrist therapy two or three times a week and therapy for my pelvic surgery twice a week, we are having to juggle schedules in order to fit in return visits to doctors. Thankfully, I am much stronger now and can handle a bit more.

There are still a few daily tasks that I need help with, but most are related to the lack of use in my right hand. Please help us pray that I will be able to carry on the needed tasks. When we return to Vilhena, I will need to be able to work and be a bit more independent.

My morning routine keeps me busy with exercises and icing to keep the swelling down. The boys are continuing their schoolwork as they are able. Amanda has the toughest job caring for both them and me. My parents have been very helpful allowing us to crash with them for this time also. Dad has been driving us around town and trying to keep track of our ever-shifting schedules.

On the ministry end of things, we ask you to pray for our church in Vilhena. Missionaries Ed and Jean Cook are keeping things going while we are away. We have a church filled with young immature Christians who for the most part have handled things pretty well, though any change can be hard. There have been a few misunderstandings which we have tried to work out. Pray the Lord will keep working in their lives.

We have purchased tickets to return home on the 18th of January. We all dearly miss our home, our city, and our church people. Our hearts yearn to be back home working hard and winning souls for Christ. It is difficult to sit still when you know there are people who need to be baptized, others who still need to be saved, weddings to schedule, retreats to plan, people to train and so much work to be done. However, we know that the Lord has a purpose and a plan. We are confident He is in control of all of this.

Thank you once again for your prayers and support through all of this!

Reaching the world through Brazil,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeremy Tyler".

“The LORD reigneth...”
Psalm 97:1

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