

# The Amazonian

The HORTON FAMILY Newsletter

## Taking the Light of Jesus to Northern Brazil

Planting New Testament Baptist Churches

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### Back In Brazil

After a two month trip to the States, we're back on the field to finish up our 5<sup>th</sup> term of service. We were thrilled to be able to visit some of our supporters this summer, as well as take care of some medical and dental needs. Now we plan to throw ourselves back into the ministry here in Pará, helping our churches here in the area, as well as teaching in our Bible Institute. Please pray for the following needs:

1. We would like to help the Independent Baptist Church in Benevides (the first church we planted) to start a new congregation on the other side of town. They have a desire to do this, but they need someone to help lead the effort, since their current pastor stays very busy with a growing church, as well as finishing Bible Institute. Starting churches is our primary focus in the ministry here in Brazil.
2. Our heart is also burdened for the second church we started back in 2006, the Independent Baptist Church in Cidade Nova, as they have had to give up their facilities that they have rented for 12 years. The rent just got too expensive for them. In addition, they are praying about purchasing a facility close by. They need \$50,000 for this excellent building, which is in a great location. If you feel led of the Lord to give toward this project, please send a special offering designated as "**Horton New City building project**" to our mission agency. We are grateful for those who have already given \$6000.00 towards this important project, and we ask that you pray that God will supply the remainder before this house sells. For now, they are meeting in the homes of the members.
3. Pray for new students to answer God's call in their lives and enroll in our Bible Institute. Training future leaders is also a very important part of our ministry.
4. We plan to start our furlough in April or May of next year. Please pray that God will give us the needed appointments for our furlough, including some new prospective churches, since we will need to not only report to our supporting churches, but also to raise some much needed new support.



### Stacy's Space

I've been accepted by two colleges, but I have decided to return to Brazil and assist my parents in the ministry for the rest of their term. I may also get a part-time job and earn a little money. Then I will return to the States and enroll in college next fall. Please pray for me while I am in Brazil, as I may also consider other colleges, and that God will give me wisdom in my future choices. I still want to major in music or perhaps in children's ministries.

### Keila's Korner

Praise the Lord, I have only one semester of college left, then I graduate! For now, I plan to continue my job in landscaping until sometime next year, and then apply to possibly work in a Christian humanitarian organization in the DFW area. I am excited, and I ask that you pray for God's wisdom in my life, and that my plans would be according to His plans, and pleasing to Him.

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