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PRAYER LETTER - January 2025

Dear Praying Friends,

Thank you for your prayers and financial support for our ministry. In January I traveled to the Amazon region of Brazil to meet with Pastor Valcides. Years ago, he planted the Anchor Baptist Church in Ururcará and from there he has started many congregations in hard to get to places. He recently began a congregation in a jungle community called, "Morada do Sol" which means "Home of the Sun." I thank the Lord that through offerings



Bible Baptist Congregation in Morada do Sol

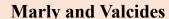


that I recently received, I was able to help this new congregation purchase cement and other materials to help with the construction of their temple.

LEAVING A MARK ON THE WORLD

The expression "Leaving a mark on the world" essentially means making a significant and lasting impact. For the last 34 years, since I have known Pastor Valcides, he has been impacting the world for Christ. I have often called him the Apostle Paul of the Amazon. For years he has been traveling to the most remote regions of Brazil to take the Gospel to those who have never heard. He has also trained countless ministers through his seminary training that he conducts in those hard to get to areas. Please join us in praying that the Lord would sustain his health and give him many more years of fruitful service.

"And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not." (Galations 6:9) - Sometimes we wonder if our efforts are in vain, and the Lord reminds us, that at the right time, we will reap, if we faint not. While I was in Manaus, I was contacted by Juarez, one of my old friends from Barcelos, Brazil. He used to help me with the construction projects at the church. Though he was an excellent person, he had a serious drinking problem, and he did not know the Lord. At some point in time, after we left Barcelos, he was gloriously saved. He just wanted to let me know how good the Lord had been to him and thank me for my prayers. I want to thank all of you for your prayers and for the part that you have played in the salvation of men like Juarez.





Juarez



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