



The Tavares Family

Missionaries to Brazil

"Blessed be the Lord, who daily loadeth us with benefits, even the God of our salvation. Selah. -Psalms 68:19

Prayer Letter

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Prayer Requests

- *God to use our lives to see more souls saved
- *The new Brazilian President Bolsonaro
- *Kayla & Ivan's new life as a married couple
- *Tiffany's life in Kansas City, MO
- *Leaders in the Church
- *Christmas Cantata
- *Safety
- *Health

Dear Pastors and Praying Friends,

We praise the Lord for all the blessings that our God has bestowed upon our lives, family, ministry and the country of Brazil. We thank God for our newly elected president. Please, pray that God will give him all the wisdom to govern and lead Brazil.

We are so blessed for the faithfulness of our church members! They are always involved with everything that is happening at church. In October we held a youth camp with about 40 children in attendance. We really needed several adults to help with the kids and we praise the Lord we had more volunteers than we could imagine. It was a blessing, we had a wonderful time in the Word of God, games, and good food!

We praise the Lord for opening this door to minister to these children, for through them we are also reaching their parents little by little with the Gospel. Many of them are coming to church to check why their children are always happy to be there. Almost every week we are having visitors in our church! This is a great opportunity that God is giving us to minister to them!

Another blessing was to be able to go back to the US and see our oldest daughter Kayla getting married to Ivan, a fine Christian Filipino man. It was a beautiful ceremony in San Antonio, Texas. Many relatives from both sides of our family were able to attend. We had family from New York, Florida and many also from Brazil. The Gospel was preached and this was a great opportunity for our family to hear the Gospel once again since the majority are not saved. I had the privilege to translate the ceremony to Portuguese so they could understand it in their own language! Once again, the seed was sown and we will wait on the Lord to see it germinate.

We also spent a few days with Tiffany, our youngest daughter in Kansas City, Missouri. She had just moved and is working at a job that God opened for her there. As she lives by herself, most of her stuff was still in boxes and we were able to help her settled everything in place. She was so happy to see us!

We are very busy preparing for our Christmas Cantata!!!! Please, pray for this great event, that our neighbors and community would come and hear the word of God and get saved!!!

Thank you very much for your faithful financial and prayer support. Also, we appreciate the encouraging letters, cards, e-mails and love gifts towards the purchase of the new Van. We are in very great need of this van. We pick up and drop off all of these children that are coming to church. We still need to raise \$13,000. We know God has the rest, we just need to find it!!!

May the blessings of the Lord be upon your lives and ministry!!

Under His Care,

Paulo and Marilza Tavares