



"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen." Matthew 28:19-20

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Dear supporting churches & prayer partners,

It appears the Lord has changed our immediate plan to enter Brazil. The goal was to depart on Oct. 1st, but as of today, we still have not heard back from the consulate in Chicago regarding our visas. Then this week, the airline canceled our plane tickets with no option of rebooking. It seems the airline is transitioning all flight operations from Orlando to Ft. Lauderdale, FL.

Considering these delays, after speaking with our pastors and Orlando (our key man in Brazil), it was determined best to remain until we hear back from the consulate. Once we hear back from them, they will need our passports, which, if we had left on Oct. 1st, would have required us to return to the States to complete the process. This does help us avoid that extra burden.

Supposing for whatever reason we do not hear back before our applications expire, the Lord may transition me to plan more short-term mission trips to evangelize, baptize, disciple, deliver literature, and as led of the Lord, see a church plant. This would require the need of more traveling and finances, but if this could possibly accomplish more without waiting for the need for a long-term visa, I'm open to it.

Today's sociopolitical climate seems to be dictating several things. In looking at Scripture, I'm seeing ways of possibly bypassing some of those issues and help see God's goal of reaching our generation still get accomplished. Pulpits are opening more and more stateside, and many regions still have no churches. Please pray with us as we strive to see the Lord's will accomplished in our lives and those we reach.

From Myra

I want to thank everyone who has prayed for my health. Being home has allowed us to get help for some of the issues I was facing. Praise the Lord, the heart problems have been addressed, and the symptoms have almost completely disappeared.

I am thankful for the time in which we live. I have been able to stay in contact with two of the ladies in Africa, and God has given me several other ladies to study with and counsel. Only a few of them are here in Fargo. Vidoe calls allow "in-person" studies regardless of where I am. Although our Brazil departure has been delayed, God continues to use us. And that is all I want. I don't know what God is doing with this delay, but I do know He is in control and will show us in His time.

Thank you for your continued prayers and financial giving. God bless,

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