

Gary and Janet Tomberlin

Missionaries to Brazil

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Dear Pastor and Church,

All of you, our supporting churches, have been **so faithful** during the years we have been in Brazil. We are **so thankful!**

We have written to you already about finishing our responsibilities in the church in Balsa Nova and now moving to the state of Bahia. Our oldest son, Bradley, lives there and we want to stay close to him because of our age. Wherever we move to, Brazilians are in DARKNESS and need someone to show them the LIGHT. We will be working with a new, small church there and teaching them to reach out to the multitudes of people around them who do not even know where the book of John is in the Bible.

At the present, both Janet and I are having our teeth pulled and getting dentures. This is an expense that we knew was coming, but right now, just before we make a move of 1,000 miles to northern Brazil, was unexpected. I have made a loan of \$15,000 from the Missions Office and that is still not going to be enough. Dentures for both of us are expensive. The clutch on my pickup just went out. The moving truck will be about \$2,000. Please pray these needs will all be met.

Personal evangelism is one of my favorite ways to serve the Lord. Having dental work done lately has given me more special opportunities. My dentist and her assistant are beginning to see the light for the first time. The ways of this world have had a disastrous effect on the families of both of them. They are both generational Catholics, and have a Bible but never read it. I've asked them to read over and over again Exodus 20. I pray that both will be full of questions my next appointment.

Pray for us and please consider helping us with these unexpected needs.

Your long-time missionaries to Brazil,

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