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## Prayer Letter – January 2021

Dear Praying Friends,

Thank you so much for the thoughtful cards and the generous offerings that you sent us this past Christmas holiday. All of your kindness to us is greatly appreciated.



## A MISSIONARY'S HEART / PASTOR VALCIDES

I have known Pastor Valcides for over thirty years. If I had to name one person who has had a lasting impact upon my ministry in Brazil, it would be him. For the time that I have known him, he has always displayed an evangelistic zeal that is exemplary. I have accompanied him on several mission trips to several hard to get to places along the rivers of the Amazon. A door of opportunity has opened for me to accompany Pastor Valcides on yet another missionary journey, that will take us to the triple point between Brazil, Columbia and Venezuela.

## MINI-SEMINARY / EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN

The Lord willing, on June 11, Pastor Valcides, along with myself and three others will begin a 24day journey that will take us from Manaus, Brazil, up the Black River (Rio Negro) to the community of Galilea, Colombia to conduct a Mini-Seminary with Colombian and Venezuelan pastors. There will also be some students from the Curipaco Indian Tribe. On the way back we will go up the Uaupés River to conduct an evangelistic campaign, in an area that has been closed

to the Gospel for many years. The Cacique, or chief of the village, will meet us in São Gabriel and guide us to his community. During the next few months, the Lord willing, I will be busy translating some of the seminary lessons from Portuguese to Spanish. I will also be preparing a series of lessons about False Doctrine. We need your prayers. Please join us in praying for the Lord's hand to guide us in all the preparations to preach and teach the Word of God in these remote areas.





A MAJOR SETBACK - Please continue to pray for our 16 missionary families in Spanish-speaking South America. A few months ago everyone was so excited to be able to get back to having in person services, but now, with the new surge in the virus, many are having to return to virtual services. Please join us in praying that our missionaries, their families and their church folks would be encouraged in the Lord.

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