

Our Family

Zach - Jan. 7, 1984

Sara - Jan. 28, 1984

Landon- July 27, 2007

Paige - March 22, 2010

Blake - Oct. 23, 2012

Jackson - Oct. 25, 2013

Tori - Feb. 20, 2015

Lawson - Dec. 29, 2017

Anniversary

June 2, 2006

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THE BRUNER FAMILY

May/June 2019

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

As I write this letter, Sara and I are on our way home from Tabatinga, which is located on the borders of Brazil, Columbia, and Peru. We had the privilege of visiting our dear friends, Jon and Stephanie Hernandez, who have been serving faithfully in this region for the last six years. I was privileged to preach for their couple's banquet on Saturday, as well as, all day Sunday. It was a blessing to see how God is working in the church. The goal of this trip was to allow Sara the opportunity to visit for the first time. We were able to look at a few houses and see all the stores where she will buy groceries, furniture, and appliances. Please pray with us as we continue to follow the Lord's guidance regarding the next steps of our ministry.

A week before we arrived, the first of two scheduled medical trips was completed. During this first trip, the team was able to treat over 500 people through the mobile clinics and over 70 people accepted Christ as Savior. I will be returning in July for the second trip to head up the triage department. Your church can have a part with this ministry, as well as, you personally, and I ask that you PLEASE consider helping!

- 1) <u>Purchasing supplies</u>- a one-time offering of \$50 could purchase much needed anti-biotics and hygiene supplies for each family that we are able to treat.
- 2) <u>Financial gift-</u> any amount given will help with the cost of airfare, river travel, lodging, and meals for the two-week trip.
- 3.) <u>Prayerfully-</u> pray with us that God will keep the team safe and healthy and would use this trip to open more doors for churches to be planted. This will be the largest group we have had so far and includes two ladies from our home church. Looking forward to what the Lord is going to do!

We are gearing up for our annual VBS! This year our theme is "Jesus, our true hero". It is only Him who has the power to save us, keep us, protect us, provide for us, and grow us. Each year the Lord has brought new families to the church through this week, and we are excited to see who He will bring this year.

Each week we have new families visit our services and would ask you to please pray specifically for David, Sara, and their baby, Arthur. The job market is very un-stable, and David has been searching for the last eight months with no success. Because of this, Sara has chosen to leave. I have been counseling and working with David and through this trial the Lord has worked on his heart and he asked the Lord to save him. GOD still changes lives! We are praying and hoping that Sara will decide to return home so they can be together as a family.

Thank you so much for the impact you all have made in our lives and ministry, and for your consistent love and support. We pray for the Lord's blessings on you and your families as you continue to serve Him.

Your missionaries to Brazil,

Zach, Sara, Landon, Paige, Blake, Jackson, Tori & Lawson Bruner

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