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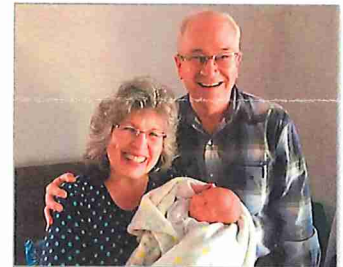
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July began with our 16th grandchild being born. July the 8th God so graciously allowed Bella Grace Nichols to be born to Nathan and Katherine Nichols in Ribeirão Preto, São Paulo, Brazil. Both Mom and Baby are doing well. How we thank God for each grandchild given to us. Each one is unique and special! Pray with us that God will allow each of our grandchildren to personally receive Christ as their personal Saviour.



August the 8th was Father's Day here in Brazil. We took advantage of the opportunity to invite Father's and Son's to a Father-Son Fellowship Friday August 6 at 7:00 pm. We had about 15 men present. Rafael brought his brothers and Father. Pray for them as they heard the gospel. Rafael always ask prayer for his family every time we ask for prayer request. Without a doubt that was one step taken for them to receive Christ in getting to know others from our church.



August the 19-22 we had a revival with Pastor Paulo Castelan from Franca, São Paulo. We had a capacity of 55 chairs and most of the nights we had 45. Saturday night we had 51. There were no visible decisions made for salvation but many have been more faithful since the revival. Slowly but surely God is forming a group of people willing to pay the price to be different and live for Him. This is so refreshing to see. On Sunday the 29th, we divided the men and women's Sunday school classes. I am teaching the men's class. What a joy and privilege to preach and teach God's Word!



I am amazed at how God continues to open doors of opportunities even during these difficult times. We've heard that the States is going through the third wave of Coronavirus. Our little city has finally calmed down. We still use masks and take precautions that are necessary. We wish to thank each one who has prayed and given so that we can remain in Brazil to reach the lost for Christ. May God bless you richly as you faithfully serve Him. **John 4:24** "God is a Spirit: and they that worship Him must worship Him in spirit and truth."

*Bro. Bob, Naomi and Family*

