



MTT Ministries Molding the Next Generation

“The things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.” II Tim. 2:2

2016 SEPTEMBER MTT Prayer Letter

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Dear Family and Friends,

Thanks so much for your prayers for us this summer. It was obvious the Lord was in control and answering prayer. We can't begin to tell you everything that happened in this short letter, but we will try to hit the highlights.

PRAYERS ANSWERED

1. We asked many of you to pray that we would be able to fill our teams. We were short-handed on all three teams. On the Brazil team we were able to add on 4 people within the last 2 months before leaving on the trip.

On the US West team we still needed 2 more people when we left. The first week, Pastor Kleeberger's daughter, Kassie, helped in several areas of ministry. The 2nd week Tiffany Parks, one of our MTT Alumna, who is now a missionary to the Philippines, but home on furlough, joined us for a week to help in VBS. Then the 3rd week, one of our Canada team members, Heather Parish, decided to join us early to help during our last week out west. Bob Lankford, long time missionary in Brazil, who was one of our interpreters on the Brazil team, decided to join us for the last week and a half out west, as well.

When we left for Canada, we were 2 short. At our first stop we were able to add on Emma and Matt Arseneau, who both quit their jobs so they could join us. They had prayed about it, and decided this was what God wanted them to do. Also, Bob Lankford joined us again. The Lord supplied the need for each team.

2. We also asked prayer for good health. As I mentioned in our update after the Brazil trip, we had some sickness on the Brazil team, but nothing too long lasting and serious. One of the young men got a

parasite from drinking contaminated water. But we were able to get him the proper treatment. Also, a cold and cough was passed around to a few on the team. The Lord helped us through all of this and gave us many opportunities to be a witness in public schools and in churches on the Amazon River.

3. At an Indian village along the Amazon River in Brazil, we were scheduled to have an evening service. But we had been waiting for quite a long time for the pouring rain to stop, and we could not start our service because of the loud noise of pounding rain on the roof of the church. We were told that the rain would not be stopping anytime soon. A program we were supposed to have earlier in the afternoon at the town community center had already been cancelled, and it looked like this one would have to be cancelled as well. So we asked the team to pray, realizing that it was God's will for us to preach the Gospel and that He alone could stop the deluge we were having so the people could hear us. By the time the first young person finished a short prayer, the rain suddenly stopped, and didn't start again until we were walking back to the boat after the service. The timing was so perfect, that we believe this was a direct and miraculous answer to our prayers.

4. On the West team we were at one of the 3 locations where we did a VBS. The teen class there was all boys except for one girl. And she had been giving us problems all week. We prayed that she would be saved. We tried to dream up ways that we could reach out to her and be a better witness to her. But she was definitely not interested. Then near the end of the week another girl showed up who had been recently saved and was excited about it. She was invited by one of the younger children.

She was a great testimony to the girl we were concerned about. But on Sunday morning we really didn't expect her to show up for the closing program, but she did. And to our surprise, she agreed to talk to Abby, our girl leader for the teens between services. And before we left to travel home after the morning service, she accepted Christ as Savior.

We could look back over the week and see how the Lord had led in each circumstance to draw her to Himself. Nothing we did seemed to work, but God was working anyway, in spite of us.

4. God is so good. We saw 28 accept the Lord as Savior out West and 12 were saved in Canada. So there were a total of 40 young people that trusted Christ this summer.

THANKS BE TO GOD

We are so thankful that even when things look impossible to us, the Lord is still in control and can provide our every need. And we learned that if we pray in God's will, He will answer and will bless in ways we never imagined.

We are also thankful to God that several team members have expressed interest in going into missions because of their travels with MTT. This is one of our primary goals.

Thank you to all who hosted the teams, to all who cooked for us, to all who prayed for us, and to all who helped financially.

We appreciate each one who makes it possible for us to spread the Word of God around the world and to train young people to serve Him.

Training the Next Generation,
Bob & Joyce Landis

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The MTT Brazil Mission Team – May 11 – June 8, 2016



The MTT U.S. West Mission Team – June 16 – July 18, 2016

The MTT Canada Mission Team – July 22 – August 22, 2016

