

Monday, March 11, 2019

March update and prayer requests

Dear Grace,

Hello from Brazil. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and pray for me and the requests listed.

One of the things that COMEV does is "lip sync dubbing" that is take a film or documentary that is in English and put it into Brazilian Portuguese. Recently we accepted the task of doing 11 episodes of a series by the name of "TETELESTAI" This was Jesus last word from the cross, translated as "IT IS FINISHED" This is a powerful, really well done series that we believe will be used to reach thousands of people, our prayer is that many persons will come to know the Lord Jesus. Here is a little information I copied from their web site.

*"Light in Action produces films with the goal of impacting lives in the least reached areas of the world. We believe that high quality film projects contextualized within the audiences' culture can provoke a thirst to know the truth".*

We hope to finish all 11 films by the end of next week. PRAY with us that all will go as planned and that soon these films will begin their ministry. If you want to know more here is the web site:

<https://www.lightinaction.org>

BUILDING SALE: We received a letter from the company interested in buying our building renewing their desire to purchase with the same plan as before. This is really good news but PRAY as there are several things to be worked out before this is a reality.

SOCIAL MEDIA: Our outreach thru Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and radio continue to grow each month. Last month 45,000 persons saw our posts. Our blog continues to grow as does listeners to our radio ministry. Right now only radio is reaching beyond Brazil. We are working on the details so that "Teomidia" will have a ministry in other countries. PRAY that soon this will be a reality.

TEOMIDIA: This ministry has such powerful possibilities, it is growing slower than we had hoped. It is still not self-sustaining and needs offerings for the time being. PRAY with us for funds for this ministry.

FELLOWSHIP CHURCH: I continue to teach and preach every Sunday at Fellowship Community Church. I am preaching thru the book of Galatians. I finished chapter 4 yesterday. I ask your PRAYERS that the Word will fall on good soil and produce a harvest for the glory of God.

HEALTH: Janet stays the same, no better or no worse. I visit every day and try to minister to her by affirming my love, by singing hymns to her, reading scripture and praying. Not knowing what the Lord has planned I just ask that "THY will be done" as to how much longer she has on this earth. My health also seems to stay the same. My diabetes is under control with diet, exercise and medicine.

Your friendship, prayers, and financial support makes all this possible and I am very thankful.

Yours for the gospel, wherever Portuguese is spoken.

J. Cullen Rast