



# The Smiths

## Missionaries to

# Brazil



Sharon and Bill

Dear Friends,

December 2016



**November** – Pastor Paulo and the Bible Baptist Church celebrated their Anniversary on the 26th and special music was provided by some of the adults of the church. “Go and preach the Gospel” was the theme for the Anniversary. We had a good time of fellowship with the church.



November 30<sup>th</sup> we flew to Manaus for the graduation of the Bible Baptist Institute of Amazonas. We arrived around 1:30pm only to find out there was no electricity in the town. We tried to rest in the 105 degree temperatures but without success. Praise the Lord the lights came back on around 4pm and we could get cooled off.

**December** – December 3<sup>rd</sup> was the Bible Institute graduation. Rogerio was the only graduate this time. This young man and his wife are planning to come to Boa Vista, Roraima to work with us and the churches here. They are a real blessing to us and we are looking forward to what the Lord has for them.



gift exchange and a few as well as Pastor their



hours of fellowship before time to leave. Most of the Pastors and wives work jobs churches so they stay busy. Please pray for these Pastors and their families.

***Wishing you a Christmas full of love and peace and a New Year full of God's blessings.***

Everybody, everywhere seeks happiness it's true, but finding it and keeping it seems difficult to do. We are unaware that Happiness is just a “state of mind” within the reach of everyone who takes time to be kind. For in making others happy we will be happy, too, for the happiness you give away returns to “shine on you.” Let us show kindness this New Year of 2017 and Let the Light of Jesus shine through us.

**Thank you for your prayers and faithful support to us as missionaries in Northern Brasil.**

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Month of **November**

THANK YOU!

Your missionaries in Northern Brazil,

***Bill and Sharon***

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