

ALENCARS NEWSLETTER

Christmas 2019

“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.” [John 1:14](#)

We marvel at the wonder that God sent his only Son to live among us and to die to provide salvation for us who are so unworthy. Christmastime is such a special time. It's a time to reflect on the birth of our precious Savior. This is also a time to reflect on the happenings in our lives this year.

As stated in Ecclesiastes 3:1 “To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven. The time of Janis' father came to leave this earth 12 days before his 101st birthday. It was in our home that Dad drew his last breath as Paulo was at his side holding his hand. We thank you for your prayers for us in this time of change.

We thank God that Jonathan has successfully concluded this school year. We are very proud of him for this accomplishment. On January 13th he will celebrate his 18th birthday. Pray for him as he is working hard to complete all the requirements to be accepted at Pensacola Christian College. Lord willing if approved he will begin classes on January 20st.

What We Do

Operation Tropical Christmas has a mission to help less fortunate children in Fortaleza, Brazil. Partnering up with Igreja Bíblica do Calvário, on December 24th, this event will provide the youth of Conjunto Veneza with a Christmas celebration full of games, food, music, presents, and most importantly God's word.



How Can You Help?



Donate

To donate towards operation Tropical Christmas visit tentmakersbiblemission.org. Find Paulo and Janis Alencar under South America, then click on “Children's Special Project Fund”.



This Christmas our daughter Joyce and our son, Jason, will be coming to Brazil. This will be a great opportunity to minister together as a family. So we are planning **Operation Tropical Christmas**, where once again we will serve the children from the slums that surround our church. Pray especially that lives will be reached for Christ as the Christmas story will be shared.

We have come to the conclusion of one more year of serving the Lord, and we are grateful to God for each of you who have partnered with us in our ministry. Because of your support and prayers we are doing the work of the Lord and seeing things happen. We acknowledge all your sacrifice in contributing towards the work of the Lord in Northeast Brazil.

“For God is not unrighteous to forget your work and labor of love, which ye have shewed toward his name” [Hebrew 6:10a](#)

We trust you will continue to remember us before the throne of grace.

May you enjoy this holiday season as you worship our Savior.

Blessings,

Paulo & Janis Alencar

