

Prayer and Praise Update

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Dear Praying Friends,

Greetings again from Brasília!

As the shortest month in the year draws to a close, the Linguistics course is in full swing here at the ALEM center. This year, we have a total of 14 regular students, plus a couple others who are taking only a part of the course. As usual, they are a good bunch of people. Please be praying that the LORD would use this time in their lives to prepare them for whatever He is calling them to, and that He would make His will for each one of them clear.

It's hard to believe that I will be going on furlough in less than a year. And it's already becoming necessary to do some planning. Please be praying that I would be able to get everything done that I need to do before leaving at the end of the year for the States.

One thing that I have to do before leaving is have everything prepared so that the computer equipment at the ALEM center can function reliably in my absence. Related to that, I need to prepare some documentation to help others deal with issues in case equipment fails or is damaged. At this time, I am working with the center administration to produce this documentation. Please be praying that I would be able to create it in such a way that those who use it will be able to understand it—even if they're not professional computer techos!

So please give thanks for:

- A safe trip home from the Mother Tongue Translator course.
- Fourteen new students taking the ALEM Linguistics course.

Please pray for:

- The ALEM Linguistics students, for preparation for God's calling in their lives.
- All of the details that need to be taken care of before I go on furlough.
- The documentation for the ALEM center computer equipment, that it would clearly communicate.

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