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Dear Friends and Prayer Partners,

Thank you for your prayers and faithful support! We are happy to share with you how God is working in our lives. We hope that this report is as encouraging to you as it is to us! God bless!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BABY!



In August we celebrated Avery's 1st birthday. It is hard to believe how quickly the time has gone! We invited several Portuguese friends and neighbors and had about 25 in attendance. We hope to build relationships with them and are excited for what the future might hold.

ONE STEP AT A TIME...

We are so thankful for those who prayed for Ricardo in response to our last letter. He has attended church faithfully since then and Lionel has been able to meet with him several times. He gives a clear testimony of salvation and is willing to follow the Lord in baptism. This has been set for the 4th Sunday in October.

As Tania grows and matures in the Lord, this will be the next step for her as well. We would love for her baptism to be the same day if she is ready. She has been coming to church and discipleship with Valerie faithfully each week but it is very obvious to us that Satan has been attacking her in these last couple of weeks. Please pray for her and her unsaved family as she makes important decisions for the Lord in the near future.

FAMILY MATTERS

It is always difficult for missionaries to be far from their family but it is especially hard during difficult times. Valerie's Grandpa is in the final stages of cancer. Carol was able to spend 3 weeks visiting and celebrating his 82nd birthday and 38 years of pastoring Calvary Baptist Church in Junction City, KS. What a blessing for her to be able to make special memories with her family during this visit.



Avery has her sign prepared to pick Carol up at the airport.

We were happy to welcome her back since she leaves a big hole in our family and ministry. We do ask for your prayers concerning any and all decisions that will need to be made by our family and the church.

THE BIGGEST LOSER?

Since January 2008, Beau has lost 81 pounds. Since we arrived in Portugal, he has been running 3 to 6 miles per day on a walkway along the ocean and is now recognized by other joggers as a "regular". As we are getting closer to winter, we decided he should join our local gym that is actually located right next to our church building. Already he has met several people and been able to expose them to our church. We are excited to see what God will do with the contacts he is able to make there.



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