

The dried up port at Anori.

The True Hawkins Family - Brazil

November/December 2010

Dear Praying Friends,

Church News – The Lord has blessed the ministries of our local churches here in the Amazon. Bela Vista has 5 new converts awaiting baptism, Presidente Figueiredo had 2 families return (reconciliation), and 2 saved during November. We had four Bible and missions conferences in November, and three funerals.

Bible Institute – We had one graduate finish this semester, and had a leadership conference for our pastors organized by John and Becca. All the Bible Institutes are in recess until March, and we're awaiting news from the interior schools on enrollment and projects.

Construction Projects – I made a quick trip to Anori in November, and began preparations for the work team to go up and raise the walls. The building material is awaiting us, and due to the low river and deficient transportation, we have had to postpone the trip.

At KM 142, we have purchased and been donated the necessary material to raise the walls and cover the building, but the early rains have slowed things down. The mud makes it difficult to access our work site off the highway.

We visited the Iranduba work on November 20th, and helped the men decide on how to take most advantage of the topography for the auditorium construction.

Our next trip will be to Puru-Puru to negotiate the lot for the wooden building which will serve to begin the work in that community.

General News – We are planning several trips in the next two months: Anori, Beruri, Puru-Puru, Boa Vista, and up to the Island to begin preparations for youth camp in March.

Family – Nathaniel got some R&R and spent a few days in the U.S. for Thanksgiving. We have not seen him for 19 months, so miss both him and Philip, who is finishing up his 3^{rd} semester at the Academy. Please pray for their safety as they serve in the armed forces.

Thank You – As always, we appreciate your cards, and letters, your prayers in our behalf, and your faithful financial support of the Lord's work here in the Amazon. You are our partners in this great work, and the foundation for world-wide missions.

In His Service,

True and Diana Hawkins



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