

December 31, 2017

Dear Friends,

The locals call the place: “Crack-o-landia.” It is one of the worst drug ghettos in the world and is located in Sao Paulo, Brazil — a city of 20 million inhabitants. In all of my years working among the addicted and with those who are reaching them with the Good News, I have never seen anything like it. After the initial shock I was overwhelmed with a sense of both desperation and hope.

The sense of desperation came from the sheer numbers and hollow looks on the faces of the thousands crowded together. My sense of hope came from the workers and leaders of TC Brazil because they have both the calling and compassion of God for the addicts of Crack-o-landia (and other places throughout Brazil). I was in Brazil participating in meetings with Teen Challenge Brazil and was deeply moved by all I witnessed, heard and saw. Please pray for this needy place!

The fall months were full of other events as well. I attended a number of meetings and shared the Gospel in many settings including Albania, Hungary, Ireland, Greece and Austria. Terry found herself in a very unique ministry in the desert of Algeria in the Western Saharan refugee camps. She could write pages about that experience!

Through all of these experiences both Terry and I feel the sense of urgency for the hour in which we are living. We see that the harvest is plentiful and the laborers are few, and, we feel compelled to work while it is still day, for night is coming. We are also amazed how many doors are opening for the Good News to be demonstrated.

Thank you for helping us work in this harvest over the past many years. We do believe that God will abundantly bless you for your part in this ministry and we are so grateful for each one of you who give and pray for us!

God Bless!

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