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Ending 2024 Strong



Hey, it's Mafú here. Merry Christmas!

Wow, what a year it has been! We are encouraged in many ways. And have big hopes for the next year. A huge shoutout to all our incredible supporters who made this possible. You have prayed, encouraged, rallied around us and financed the ministry with faithful and generous giving. Though we do not reply to them, cards that come in the mail encourage us and show us that we are being remembered, thanks

Short Term Assistants

Earlier this week we said goodbye to our phenomenal Short Term Assistants, Anna and Liv, who brought so much energy and heart to our mission. Their unique personalities and talents blessed our family and the ministry here. At a surprise farewell party on Tuesday many people had a chance to express their love and gratitude for the friendship of these lovely young ladies.

Year-End Plans

As we gear up to celebrate Christmas and New Year in beautiful Brazil with our home church and loved ones, let's keep the momentum going!





We ask for your continued prayers for our church ministries, construction projects, Bible camps and school initiatives as we continue to spread the Grace of Jesus, the love of God the Father and the transforming power of the Holy Spirit with those around us. Thank you for partnering with us. You play an important part in this ministry.



Looking Forward

As we look forward to the holidays, our excitement is through the roof! Spending Christmas and New Year's in Brazil with family is the perfect way to recharge and reconnect. It's a time to reflect on the blessings of the past year and gear up for the amazing opportunities ahead. We are especially excited that Zach and Carey Ritland are expected to join us in August 2025. That is an answer to our prayers.

As soon as we return to Paraguay in the new year we will be busy with kids camp and teen camp back-to-back. Pray for those outreach opportunities.

We're filled with gratitude for your unwavering support and can't wait to see what God has in store for us in the coming year. Together, let's make a difference for eternity!

In Christ,
Matthew, Ednay, Zoey, Ian, Boaz and Levi Abel

YEAR-END GIVING OPTIONS

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