

Thinking of you and thanking the Lord for your love and prayers!

March 2022

Our time in south Brazil is drawing to a close. Wilson and I will be heading back to Benjamin Constant the 10<sup>th</sup> of March, together with the Spicer's. It's been such a delight having them here and enjoying family times together.

This past month we enjoyed celebrating birthdays with family; Roseli (Wilson's sister), Johann (our niece's son) and Neri (Wilson's brother).

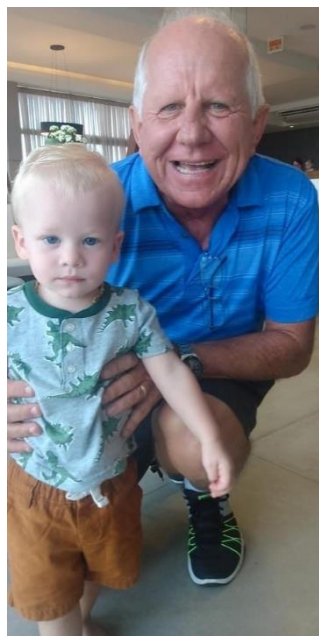
The last two birthdays were combined with a **KANNENBER FAMILY REUNION...**



What an amazing day that was spending a day together catching up with each other's lives, sharing a wonderful meal and afternoon teatime and watching grandma's 13 great grandchildren play and interact with each other during planned activities which included: large balloons, toy time (each child brought one toy), table games, movie

time and to top the day off they all sat on the floor and played with a massive amount of playdough!





*We met new family members, shared awesome fellowship with one another and made so many precious memories to cherish for years to come!*



## **THE KANNENBERG CLAN 2022**



*My ankle bone has finally healed. I can't even begin to describe how great and freeing it felt to be able to put my weight on it once again and begin to walk. I can't thank the Lord enough for such a helpful, loving, hardworking, patient, compassionate husband! He stayed by my side through thick and thin while I was recuperating! My physical therapy is in the form of exercises I researched on the internet to help strengthen my ankle and work on getting full movement and I am praying I don't do anything stupid in the meantime!*

*It has been so nice to finally be able to go to the beach, walk on the sand some and put my feet in the water. We even did a few special activities with Ben, Jessica and the grandkids with the use of the wheelchair. Came in handy too when one of the kids was tired of walking!*



As some of our friends have so often said in the past: "God has a plan". He does! He has a plan and a purpose for everything. During our time in south Brazil, Wilson's sister had a surgery, his other sister and brother-in-law needed to be away for a month to treat health issues and his brother's wife was just diagnosed with an aggressive brain tumor. If God lays it



on your heart, could you please pray for Laura and her family? This has been quite a shock for them and for us all. They have all been working together to care for Wilson's mom and spend time with her each day. We are so thankful that we have had the privilege to be here for her and step in so the other siblings could take care of their own personal needs. Mom is so loving and cheerful. It's a JOY to be with her. We know it's hard for her to have to slow down and rest more often, (especially because of pain from her sciatic nerve) but she has such a positive spirit and is always so thankful for the times she is able to enjoy family and we are so thankful for the time we can enjoy her!

The two boat trips with the mission teams from TX, that Ben and Jessica set up before they left for south Brazil, went very well. The first group spent 10 days distributing water systems for several villages and the second group focused on teaching personal hygiene. Both groups also focused on evangelism. We will soon be preparing for a couple more upcoming mission trips. Wilson has also been preparing seminars for two leadership training conferences that he plans to hold shortly after we return.

*Sending our most special thanks for all your love and prayers!*

God bless,  
Wilson and Lori

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