



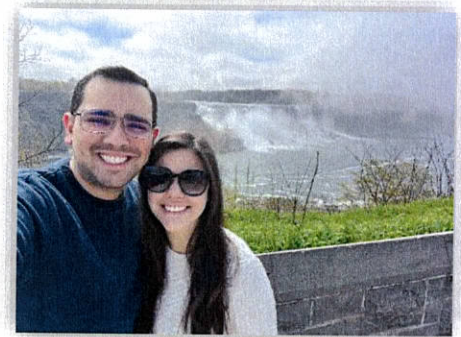
July 10th, 2024,

Dear Supporters, Family, and Friends,

We are excited to announce that **we are expecting our first child!** Please pray for us as we navigate this new phase of life. The baby is due in February. Abigail is doing well but has a lot of morning sickness. Our prayer is that she can be well as we finish our deputation.

We are quickly approaching our last few months here in the United States. **We desire to move to Brazil on the 4<sup>th</sup> of October.** Please pray that we can reach the level of support we need by then. While we thoroughly enjoy deputation, we are excited to serve the Lord in Brazil!

The Lord has allowed us to keep busy and has filled our schedule! We've traveled many more miles and have been blessed to participate in several meetings and conferences. Our travels have led us from Texas to Canada. We have been honored by the love and generosity of precious church brothers and sisters.



At the beginning of June, Abigail completed her second week of Candidate School. Even though it was busy, we were incredibly blessed to be back at the BIMi headquarters and to see precious friends and fellow missionaries who are also on deputation.

We were blessed to participate in a couple of VBSs in June. It was an excellent opportunity. Hundreds of kids participated in the VBS, and many souls were saved. We were blessed to see the Lord work marvelously and honored to be a part of it.

We thank you for your faithful financial and prayer support for us. As we often say, we couldn't do this without you! May God continue to bless your church and ministry.

Joyfully in Christ,

Stephen and Abigail Barrett

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