Dear Co-Laborers,

June 11th, we were planning to visit the church in The Olives. This was impossible due to extreme rain that flooded the whole area 100 kms east of Santa Cruz. The road going in was under water for about 2 weeks with only access by air. Some homes were flooded and our church building that is in a low area had about a foot of water inside the building. None of the church family's houses were flooded.

Many families ran out of food. With no road access the government flew in by helicopter a small token amount of food, as a "political" show of support for the needy people. The church building is okay. After the water resided we were able to clean up the mess.

Please pray for 10-12 adolescents and several adults that are preparing for baptism in the church of the Olives.

Please continue to pray for 40 German believers who migrated to Bolivia from Germany. Some like Otto Bolinger and his family are doing quite well adapting to a very different language, culture, and general environment. Others are very discouraged and thinking about returning to their country. The economic crisis in Bolivia makes it hard for even the natives to find work and wages are much lower than in Germany. We pray for the Lord's strength and encouragement for these dear German believers suffering through many trials and tribulations.

During August 4th-7th Bolivian Independence Day weekend, we had a very special family conference with several churches attending and many believers from various parts of Bolivia gathered to enjoy the Word and fellowship, during this time of spiritual



Amparito and Daniela are very active serving in the women's ministry. They are helping organize a women's Retreat for September 9th.

August 20th, our granddaughter Zoe was baptized after the morning service. I was given the privilege to baptize our precious



grandchild.

Three of our Four grandchildren have started school August 17th: Solomon (4th), Zoe (3rd) and Boaz (K). Chloe is only 2 years old.

We need to travel soon to my eye doctor in Brazil for an overdue checkup. I still drive a lot but try to avoid driving at night as much as possible.

Thank you once again for all your faithful prayers and financial support of our ministry here in Bolivia.

Yours for souls,

Dan & Amparito Brooks