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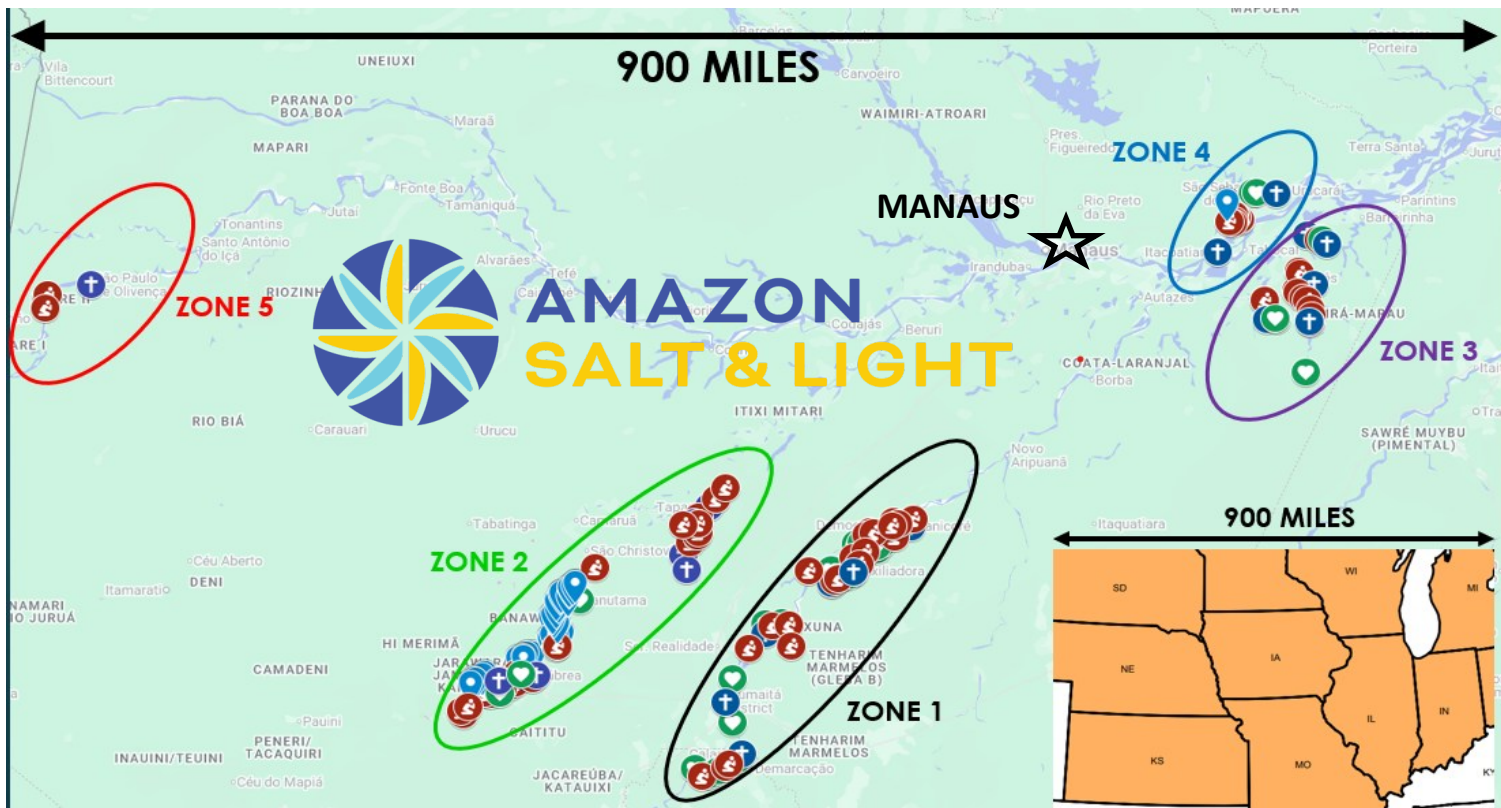
Matt, Janelle, Mariah, Jaelah, Luke, Sierra

Missionaries to the Amazon Winter 2025



A QUICK RECAP OF 2025. PRAISING THE LORD FOR ALL WHO HELP MAKE THIS MINISTRY GO— PRAYERFULLY AND FINANCIALLY:

1) Sierra had surgery to repair a deviated septum from a bike / motorcycle accident in Brazil (October) 2) We celebrated 26 yrs of marriage (May) 3) A rare face-to-face board meeting— not pictured Dan Koster and Derek Stoller (November) 4) Matt getting some farming time in this fall in between traveling and presenting (October) 5) We watched our documentary with many of you. As of this writing we have been able to share it with 25 groups, both large and small. If you were a host, a HUGE “thank you!”. We hope to release the movie for streaming early next year. (Sept-Dec) 6) A huge praise for the team that built the Bearhawk — our third plane in Brazil! Our plan is to have it based in ZONE 4 (next page) sometime next year. (March) 7) Matt and Jeremy Zobrist (ASL’s vice-president) visited a new area— see ZONE 5 next page (September) 8) Mariah graduated and started her job in the Emergency Department at University of Louisville Hospital. Thankful for her preceptor that helped her navigate! (January).



As God brings us Brazilian church partners, we establish geographic zones where we can strategically work to evangelize, disciple and then plant locally-led, multi-generational, mission-minded churches. Please join us in prayer and support as we start the new year! On the above map, each praying symbol is a contact we have but have not yet established a small group or local church. The blue crosses are where church buildings are located.

ZONE 1: 61 small groups, 11 churches, 7 speedboats. **2026 need:** 1 speedboat. 2026 goal; 7 new churches.

ZONE 2: 14 small groups, 8 churches, 4 speedboats. **2026 need:** 1 speedboat. 2026 goal: 5 new churches.

ZONE 3: 32 small groups, 10 churches, 2 speedboats. **2026 need:** 2 speedboats. 2026 goal: 9 new churches.

ZONE 4: 16 small groups, 2 churches. 2 speedboats. **2026 need:** 1 Floatplane. 2026 goal: 5 new churches.

ZONE 5: 5 small groups, 1 church. 1 speedboat. **2026 need:** 1 speedboat. 2026 goal: 4 new churches.

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father full of grace and truth. John 1:14

May the Lord bless & keep you & make his face shine upon you & your family this blessed Christmas Season!

Ever grateful, the Steidingers



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