



SARAH GOODMAN

Medical Missionary Amazon River Basin, Brazil

Dear Friends and supporters,

Thank you for your ongoing prayers and support. Happy New Year! I am excited to announce that I have completed my deputation journey. I spent the Fall months in Oklahoma, Utah, and Rhode Island completing my final meetings. It was a true joy to not only gain new ministry partners, but also make dear friends. I am now at full support! Thank you all for your prayers and support on this journey. Looking back, I can see God's hand on every meeting. He's used each of your churches in a special way.

The Lord allowed me to spend the holidays with my family as well as my sending church in Florida. I enjoyed a sweet time of commissioning and prayer with my church family. Their amazing generosity and friendship is an enormous encouragement! I love them and will miss them all dearly!

As many of you know, I have been praying for a speedy visa application process. Although there was a slight delay with submitting several of the papers, God worked and the actual approval process went very quickly! I now have my visa and the only remaining steps will be to register with the local police department once I arrive in Brazil. I have heard from other missionaries that this step can be challenging as there are limited appointments available. Please pray that I would gain an appointment quickly and this entire process would run smoothly.

Departure Plans

After finalizing with my mission director, I have set my departure date for **January 26th**. This date is rapidly approaching! Please pray for a smooth packing process as I finalize several last matters in the states. I will be arriving in Ribeirão Preto, a municipality in southeastern Brazil. This is where I'll be attending language school. Additionally, there are several well-established churches and ministries in which I can serve while also adapting to both the language and culture.

Communication Details

Many have asked for information regarding contacting me after I have moved. All letters may be sent to my mission board. Both my email and phone number will remain the same at this time; email will provide the most reliable form of contact, however. I will be sure to update my contact information should this change.

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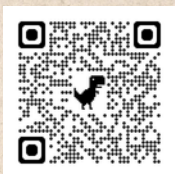
Prayer Requests

- Travel mercies for upcoming move (**January 26th**)
- Smooth housing search
- Preceptors with which to complete my FNP clinical hours (finalize for 2026)
- Finalization of in-country documents
- Summer medical-evangelism trips

Summer Medical-Evangelism Dates

- Peru-Colombia, May 19-28
- Colombia-Brazil-Peru, June 10-19
- Suriname, August 19-28


Use the QR code below for more information on the trips or to sign up!



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Summer recaps:

- 13 villages
- 1,151 patients
- 102 Salvations

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Medical-Evangelism Yearly Recap

I wanted to briefly summarize the summer medical-evangelism trips in which I participated. God worked mightily and through our **13 mobile village** clinics, we saw **1,151 patients** come through! Of these, **102** reached out for counseling and made personal decisions for Christ! It was a joy to see how God worked through both the physical and spiritual needs of these dear people.

Additionally, I was thrilled to have two individuals come on the trips, both from two of my supporting churches. It was their first medical missions trip; their enthusiasm was contagious!

Year Ahead

In addition to settling in and beginning language school, I am planning to take part in three summer medical-evangelism trips in the Amazon. I have included the dates for these trips among my prayer requests. Please be in prayer for God to supply both volunteers as well as medical donations for each trip. I am happy to answer any questions regarding them.

Thank you all again for your prayers and support! Your kindness and generosity is such an encouragement. In particular, I wish to give a special thanks to those of you who reached out with kind cards and additional support during the holiday season. Your churches remain in my prayers! I am thrilled to see how God works in 2025.

Best,

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Psalm 67:2



Sending Church Commissioning service and prayer



May parents and Pastor Johnny Boutchia

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