São José dos Campos, SP - Brazil **October 2024**

"Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

Dear family and friends,

Last month, we received a special request to take in a young girl named Stella. She is 7 years old and currently in the second grade. Unfortunately, Stella had been falling behind her classmates and was unable to read, write, or even recognize letters. After some investigation, the school discovered that she was being abused by a family member.



Stella

Thankfully, she is now receiving the assistance she needs. At Haven of Hope, Stella has been warmly welcomed by her fellow students and is making remarkable progress. Keep Stella in your prayers.

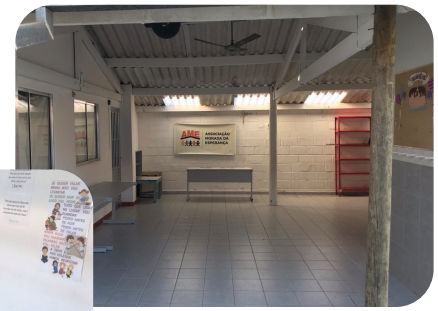
We have an urgent ministry request that we need your prayers for. Haven of Hope has been operating out of a leased building for the past nine years. Recently, the owners decided to sell the building at the beginning of 2025, and we have been given priority to purchase it.

The **asking price is $100,000**. While we have been saving to buy our own building, we currently have $20,000 in our account and **need to raise an additional $80,000 to purchase this location**.



HAVEN OF HOPE BRAZIL





Haven of Hope current location and installations

We are committed to continuing our ministry in this area, whether through relocation or by purchasing the building if the Lord provides the necessary funds. **Your donation can make a significant difference in meeting this specific need.** We trust that the Lord will guide us and supply the needs.



Donate Online at: building.haven.org.br

On a personal note, Carmen and I had the wonderful opportunity to celebrate our 10th anniversary, albeit six years late! My parents kindly stayed with the kids, allowing us to take a week away from home. It was a fantastic time to renew our relationship and enjoy some much-needed alone time as a couple. We were able to use accumulated airline miles to cover all our tickets and hotel accommodations.



"Kids Day" special event

On October 12th, Brazil celebrated "Kids' Day," and we organized a special event for children and parents at our local church. Over 120 people participated, and it was a wonderful time for parents to spend with their children and learn more about raising them in light of the Bible. Involving parents is crucial to reaching homes and making a lasting impact.



In Brazil, the school year starts in February, and we have started planning for the next group of kids we will receive in 2025.

Many of you sponsored a student during this year, and it has been a great help! With the sponsorship of students, Haven of Hope is able to purchase consumables the students use throughout the year and helps cover some of the ministry costs.

By the end of the year, we have the challenge to raise 21 sponsorships for students!

Would you like to be involved in sponsoring a student?

The **sponsorship is $50 a month** or **$600 a year!**

Sponser Online at: sponsor.haven.org.br

All sponsorships and donations to the ministry or to our personal support are tax deductible.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers.



Blessings,

Andrew, Carmen, Rebeka, Timothy and Deborah Pereira

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Financial Support:

Support and gifts can be sent **on-line** at: **donate.missionary.com.br** or **by check** following these instructions: **1.** Make the check payable to: **Haven of Hope Brazil**. **2.** In the check **Memo address** to: **Andrew & Carmen Pereira**. **3.** Mail the check to: **Haven of Hope Brazil, P.O. BOX 480, Wheaton, IL 60187**.

Pray with us — Andrew, Carmen, Rebeka, Timotheo and Deborah — Brazil — October 2024

1. God to supply the funds needed for Haven of Hope to purchase a building.
2. Stella to continue improving in her studies and to grow in her knowledge and love of Jesus.
3. Sponsors for underprivileged students at Haven of Hope for this next year.