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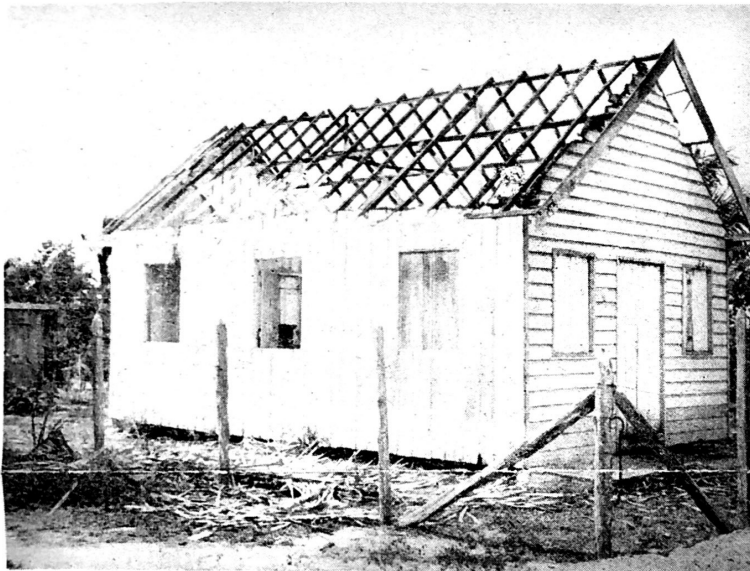
(After 20 years on the mission field, the Hallums have retired because of Brother Hallum's health).

(Spanish Language)

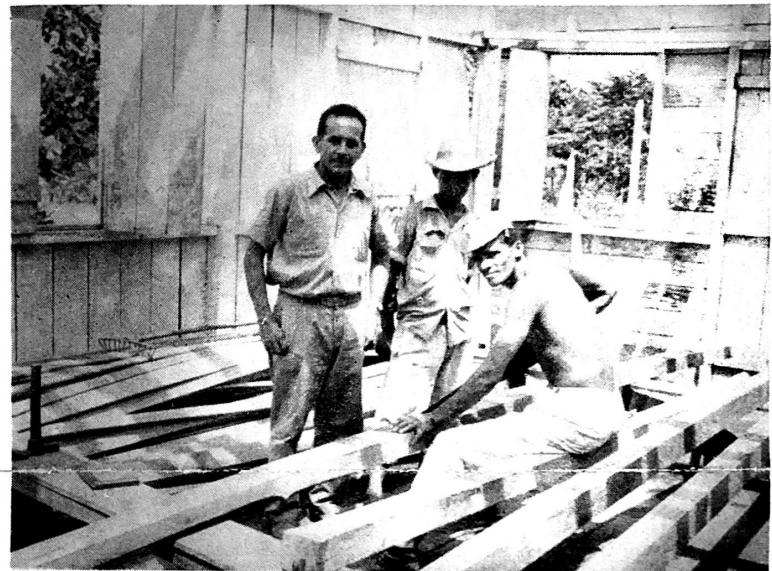
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SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH, MANAUS, BURNED



This is a picture of the Salem Baptist Church building, in Petropolis, Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil as it looked after it was burned on Monday, October 12, 1959. What kind of "Religion" does one have that would lead him to set fire to a Baptist Church Building? Note the thatch on the ground that was punched off from the inside to help save the building.



Repairs are being made on the Salem Baptist Church building that was burned. The floor was burned and has been torn out. It will cost several hundred dollars to repair this church building. Brother Hatcher wrote on the back of the picture, "Care to help?" I am sure that many will want to help. Send your offering marked, "For burned building".

HOMES THREATENED TO BE BURNED IF BAPTISTS HOLD SERVICES IN THEM

By Walter Lauerman

Iquitos, Peru, Oct. 15, 1959

Dear Brethren:

Juan Castro

Juan Castro, feeling led of the Lord is now preaching in Santa Maria on the Amazon River. It is about a 40-minute ride from Iquitos, with an out-board motor or about 1 hour and 15 minutes from the end of the bus line. There has been reported one profession of faith there and from 50 to 70 attending the night services. We have given up the Mission house in Iquitos now as Juan is now preaching on the rivers. Juan is thinking of preaching at another place that is near Santa Maria but on the other side of the Amazon. Juan goes in a boat that has regular trips to and from Iquitos. Pray for Brother Castro that he might stay with this work and that the Lord might bless.

Javier Freitos

I went with Javier Freitos a few days to Mapa Cocha and San Tomas. The priests have now all but run us out of San Tomas. I preached to them very sternly in their homes and in the pulpit, that man is free and must only fear God. They promised me when I left they would continue to attend faithfully, but the day after I left the attendant of the village stirred all the people up and

called the priest and the priest threatened to burn down their houses. There is only man there that permitted us to use his house to preach, but he is now also scared off so now we don't have any house to preach in, and it is against Peruvian law to preach in the open air. You must be in an enclosed building. Maybe we will have to shake the dirt from our feet from this people. I have warned them and Javier Freitos has preached the gospel faithfully to them. I did not go to Manicamira with Javier this time, but he reports many still interested and therefore in time God will bless. This place is really the best of that which Javier preaches to.

Simon Gaima

Simon Gaima has made week trips to Sargento Lores, Shiwa and preaches Sundays at Santa Rosilla. He preached one week at Bellavista and plans to go to Polis as soon as there is water. I plan to visit Santa Rosilla and Shiwa with Simon about the end of the month. We now have 10 regular preaching points on the rivers and with four Peruvian preachers.

The crowds are increasing again at Astoria, Juan Ruis reports. Juan baptized two from Sapotal and six others have made professions of faith in Sapotal

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SOMEONE SETS FIRE TO SALEM CHURCH BUILDING; NEWS FROM MANY PLACES

By John Hatcher

Manaus, Brazil, Oct. 18, 1959

Dear Brethren:

Once more we have the privilege to write you concerning what has come to pass in the run of another month here in the land where you don't have to heat your bath water. We are at the present enjoying the hottest time of the year.

Ilha de Paciencia

Everything is going well and the work is showing signs of progress. On the 23rd of September at 11:00 a.m. we left Manaus for the "Ilha de Paciencia", a place where the Bethel church has a work directed by Brother Newton and Brother Aguiar. After a trip of about eight and one-half hours we arrived at the home where we were to be staying for the next three days. Arriving late as we did there was not time to have service that night and besides the people were already in bed. After arriving the people made us some coffee and after drinking it we then spent the next forty-five minutes killing mosquitos, but seeing it was a hopeless job we gave up and retired. To me it is a miracle how the people support so many insects. The next two nights were worse. The following day we visited the homes until late afternoon and at the service there were some forty persons.

The next evening there were about 20 present. There have been several professions of faith here and the brethren go regularly.

Bratcher Preaches

On Sunday evening, Sept. 27, Brother Bratcher was invited by the Pastor of Zion church to preach and I translated

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Special Notice About Conference

Those arriving on Monday afternoon, November 23, come to the church and park your car in the church parking lot. Be sure to close the windows of your car and lock car doors. The church will be open and a telephone is in the room off the vestibule. Pastor's phone number is WALnut 1-3784. Church phone number WALnut 1-8452. Leave your car in the parking lot and walk around the corner three doors to 975 East Grand Boulevard to the church parsonage where you can wash up and change clothes if you like. Sandwiches and hot coffee will be on the table, self-serve, from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. There will be plenty to eat for all out of town guests. Do not buy supper on the way. This is too expensive. Food will be on the table waiting for you whether you eat it or not. Don't let it go to waste. Those arriving on Tuesday and afterwards will have meals in the hall near the church. Cut this out and put it in your purse.

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this month. Hayme Mosquerra states that God has called him to preach. He lives and preaches in Arenal and made trips to Sapotal and Picuruyaco. People in Picuruyaco are also having services on Sunday and a young member of the church leads them. Juan says that he has been doing a lot of visiting inland at Astoria and new people are coming. Juan's wife is improving much in her sickness.

Alfonso Varsalles, whom I baptized in January, and a preacher, is preaching in homes in Iquitos and a faithful witness. He was rebellious towards me at first and did everything imaginable toward me, but four months ago his daughter got sick with Rheumatic Fever and was bedfast for two months and is left crippled in the right leg, and this brother has repented toward me and I believe he will make a real servant of God. He is working hard all day and sometimes at night as a shoemaker to meet his bills. Pray for him.

All of us preachers are preaching at homes on Friday nights in Iquitos. We are reaching people that we would never reach in the church now that Juan Castro is preaching on the river. We are having prayer meeting before Monday night classes for one hour. We have had 79, 85, 88, and 83 in Sunday school and the 83 was last Sunday in a hard rain. I have met the merchant's young son that made a profession of faith a few months ago, on the street several times and he says his family will not let him come to church. Pray for this young man because I believe he is saved. Bonifacio Ramirez made a profession of faith September 27th and I baptized him on Oct. 11th. This man had attended regularly for seven months and I believe his profession of faith is sincere. He got legally married to be baptized. After baptizing at least one or more the first eight months as pastor here, and not baptizing any last month, and it was a real joy to baptize him this month. There are two more awaiting baptism and will be baptized soon. The wife of this man that I baptized last Sunday and the wife of Eliu Ramirez are members of the church. We pray for the day that we can have open air services in the city as I am sure that we could reach many people.

The family is all well again after another round of sickness, with our two smallest ones.

Yours in Christ, Walter F. Lauerma

Someone Sets Fire To Salem Church Building

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for him. The sermon was, "The Good Shepherd and His Sheep". A fine message and enjoyed by the people who heard it.

Printing Press Repaired

The next three or four days I spent on the repair of the printing press which Brother Leonard Johnson of Ava, Illinois gave me when I came to Brazil the first time. It had been dropped in unloading and had several repairs and adjustments to be made. I brought back with me rollers and equipment and we have the prospects of a printed ministry. I had hoped to print our first edition on the press before going to Codajaz but since there were so many difficulties it will have to wait until I get back.

Calvary Baptist Church

On October 11th the Calvary Baptist Church baptized four persons, Brother John Dias doing the baptizing. This church has a regular preaching service in another part of the city called Saint George.

Salem Church Building Burned

At about 4:30 a.m. Monday, Oct. 12 someone set the roof of the Salem church building in Petropolis afire and the roof, rafters, and parts of the floor and walls were burned. The building is just about repaired and should be ready for use in another week. The church had to borrow about \$200.00 to repair the building so if someone would like to help pay for the repairs I am sure it would be appreciated. Two or three of the churches here have given the Salem church an offering to help them. Brother Saramento is the pastor.

Chapada

On Sunday the 11th I took over the work and the Mission in the Chapada and the Sunday School and the night service was well attended. There were 22 in Sunday school and about 35 at the night service. Today, Sunday the 18th, there were 37 in Sunday school with 31 children in Mrs. Hatcher's class. Last Sunday was the first Sunday that I had ever played my accordion publicly for a song service.

Codajaz

Day after tomorrow the Lord willing I am going to Codajaz and will be there for one week, during which time we plan to organize a Church at Urucuri which is a mission of the Codajaz church.

Missionary Conference

We trust that it will please the Lord greatly to bless the Missionary Conference at the Canfield Avenue Baptist Church. Let me encourage you who are pastors to attend, as well as many others as can. Churches, you will be blessed if your pastor attends, so pay the expenses of your pastor to the conference.

In Him, John A. Hatcher.

**Don't Forget
to send a
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Thanksgiving Offering
for
Baptist Faith
Missions
and come to
Thanksgiving
Conference
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A good crowd inside the Zion Baptist Church building, Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil at the recent Bible Conference and Revival meeting. Miguel Ibernion from 300 miles up the Amazon at Codajaz was the visiting preacher. This is where the Harold Bratchers are members. Brother Hatcher could not get all the crowd in the picture.

Bratchers In Good Health and Studying Hard; Bratcher Preaches in English; Hatcher Translates

By Harold Bratcher

Manaus, Amazonas, Oct. 20, 1959

Dear Bro. Overbey:

I imagine you are having some chilly nights and perhaps days in Detroit by now. We are still having warm days and nights here. During the last month we have spent many hours studying Portuguese. I am beginning to tell that I am making some progress for which I am thankful. At our pastor's request, I preached Sunday night, September 27th at Zion church. I preached in English and Brother Hatcher translated the message into Portuguese. This is the first sermon I've preached in Brazil (and also the first sermon in English Marie has heard in Brazil) but I'm looking forward to the day when I can preach my first and then many others in Portuguese.

We are all enjoying good health for which we give praise to the Lord. Asa Mark has had the mumps since I last wrote for the *Mission Sheets*. They did not hurt him very bad and he is over them now.

This last Sunday we went to Sunday school and services in the morning. We walked back home, ate dinner and rested and then back for an afternoon service beginning at 3:30. They had a business meeting followed by the Lord's Supper. This was one business meeting I remained quiet because we didn't understand enough even to vote. This was the first time we had had the privilege to be at the Lord's table since we had been in Brazil.

We read with interest the list of new churches and individuals who sent in offerings in September. To those churches and individuals who know us we express our thanks to you and of course we are thankful to the others whom we do not know personally as well.

Our first request for prayer now is that the Lord will continue to bless us in our language study and enable us to learn to speak this language correctly for His glory. The Lord's blessings be upon all of you.

Yours in His Service,
The Harold Bratchers.

The Burning Of Buildings

The burning of buildings of Baptists is nothing new. It has been done throughout the years. Baptist Faith Missions has just experienced her first with the burning of the Salem Baptist Church building in Manaus. An article in the *Baptist Bulletin* of June, 1959, official publication of the General Association of Regular Baptists, tells about the burning of the Baptist Mid-Missions school building also in Manaus, Amazonas Brazil. In his letter in this issue Brother Walter Lauerma tells how threats were made by a Catholic priest in Peru to burn the buildings of any who let the Baptists hold meetings in them until no one in the village would let the missionaries hold services in their homes for fear that their homes would be burned down. Yet many Baptists think it alright to vote for a Catholic for President of the United States. Baptists had better wake up. It is past time already.

We sincerely hope that every one who reads this, and every church will send a special offering and send it to help Salem Baptist Church, Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil to rebuild their fire damaged building. If more is sent than needed to repair this burned building it will be used by John Hatcher to help build other needed buildings and a report will be made. Send offerings listed "For burned building".

CORRECTION

The offering listed for Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, Kentucky in the financial report on page four of the September *Mission Sheets* in the amount of \$30.00 should have been \$20.00 and the total offerings in the amount of \$4,172.46 should have been \$4,162.46.



A healthy Sunday School attendance at Faith Baptist Church, Cruzeiro do Sul, Acre Territory, Brazil. This church is about twenty-six hundred miles by river boat from the Zion Baptist Church in Manaus or about an eight hour flight by a flying boat. This gives some idea how much territory your mission work covers.



The above photo introduces you to four new Baptists. John Dias, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Manaus, Brazil baptizing four people. Note the people on the logs in the background that have come to watch. These pictures show you how your mission offerings are being used. Not to build up an estate for someone, but for God's honor and Glory!

Lunsford Writes of Unusual Experiences

By R. B. Lunsford

Dear Bro. Overbey:

I have intended to write and tell you of some of the amusing things which have happened to me in Cruzeiro do Sul.

One day a little girl saw me leave the port in the motor boat, and thought I would be gone for some time, so she went to our house and told Jewel that I had bought two baskets of lemons, and didn't have the money to pay for them. Jewel thought it strange that I would buy lemons when we had some already, and when she asked where they were, the little girl said I had left them at one of the stores in the market. Jewel didn't have Cr \$50.00 in change so the girl left. About an hour later I came back to the port, and she came to me saying that Jewel had bought Cr \$50.00 worth of lemons, and didn't have the change to pay for them. I went to the drug store and bought some kind of medicine we were needing, in order to get change, and gave it to her. When I got home, I asked Jewel why she had bought so many lemons. She said that she hadn't. I thought maybe she had me mixed up with Bro. Royal, but in church that night he said they had not bought lemons either. The next day in the market, I found her and she arranged some way to get the money and give it back to me. The lemons hadn't even been picked yet, she said.

Another day, I was wanting to try out the little motor, on which we had been working. Our canoe was a long way off, so I proceeded to borrow one. The man wanted to sell it to me. I was interested, and he said he only wanted Cr \$2,500.00 for it. He said if I bought it that it wouldn't cost me anything to use it that afternoon to try out the motor. I used it about an hour, and came back to the port, and another man met me at the port wanting to know who had told me that I could use his canoe. I described the man, and told him that he wanted to sell it to me for Cr \$2,500.00. The man yelled out that the other man was a thief, that it was his canoe, and that it wasn't worth over Cr \$2,000.00. I didn't want the canoe because it wasn't too good. Later that afternoon the first man came to my house and asked me if I wanted to buy the canoe. I told him no.

Then he wanted to know how long I had used it. I told him about one hour. Then he said, that will be Cr \$20.00 for the use of it. It was then I told him that it wasn't even his canoe, and that I wasn't about to pay it. I told him the owner wanted only Cr \$2,000.00 for it, when he was asking Cr \$2,500.00 for it. He said, "don't buy it, it isn't worth it, because it is very old," and left. He was the same (honest) man who weighs everybody's meat in the market.

Another time I met a boy I had seen in the neighborhood of Parana dos Mouras, where the Old Patriarch lives. He acted in a big hurry to get to the doctor's office, which was about five minutes away, but he said he had sold my wife a hen for Cr \$100.00 and had left it at the house. We had several hens at the time, and I asked him why she bought it when we already had several. He said, "oh, the children liked it because it was pretty." I said, come and go with me to my house and I will pay you. He said he was in too much of a hurry to get to the doctor's office because he said his father was there and very sick. I said, I will not pay you now, but you come by my house later and I will. He never did come by, because he hadn't sold them a hen at all.

(These three cases are not the general rule of the attitude of the people here).

Yours sincerely, R. B. Lunsford.

LUNSFORD VISITS MANY CHURCHES

By Bruce Lunsford

Salyersville, Ky.

Sept. 29, 1959

I first wish to correct the letter which I wrote last month. In it I failed to mention the Church at Crestline, Ohio, where I visited on the 8th and 9th of Aug. This was a most enjoyable visit, and I am really sorry that I didn't have the letter correctly written. In copying off the places where I had been, I had in the letter that I had visited Salyersville on that date, which made twice for Salyersville, and none for Crestline. I hope that they will forgive me and I'll try to be more careful in the future.

Since last writing to you, I have visited the following places: Gethsamane

Baptist Church, of Taylor, Michigan; First Baptist Church of Alexandria, Ky.; Pleasant Ridge of Lexington, Ky.; Bryan Station Baptist Church of Lexington, Ky.; Ivyton Baptist Church of Ivyton, Ky.; Lickburg Sunday School, Lickburg, Ky.; South Irvin Baptist Church of South Irvine, Ky.; Mount Pleasant Baptist Church of Chesapeake, Ohio, for six services, and the Livingston Baptist Church of Barbourville, W. Va.

Needless to say that I enjoyed every one of these visits, and wish that I could know for sure that I could get to visit them again. I have planned each week until the first of December, and could have it planned, but am

waiting to hear from some friends in Florida to see if December would be a good time for a meeting there. Maybe later would be best, and then I can arrange for some more visits nearer home in that month. I have several invitations which I have not answered but will try to get to every one of them as soon as possible. I'm trying to plan the visits in order to make one long trip reach several churches, instead of having to make several long trips. Even though we are not on the foreign field, we still need your prayers. May the Lord bless everyone of you.

Yours sincerely,
R. B. Lunsford

The Work of Two of Our Brazilian Missionaries

A 98 year old man, a 67 year old woman and a young grandson saved

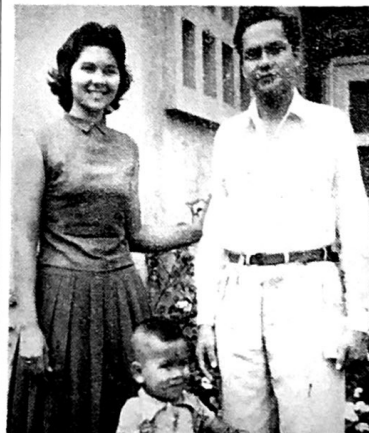
By Bruce Lunsford

In this letter, I want to show you some of the work which Bro. Aguiar and Bro. Newton have been doing. I'm sending pictures with this letter so you can see as well as read about it.

A Grandson Saved

About a year ago, Bro. Newton and Bro. Aguiar were visiting in the Sanatorium here in Manaus, for people with tuberculosis. A young man, who is a next door neighbor of Bro. Aguiar, was there for treatment. He had a mild case and was already cured, but still there

waiting to be released. This young man made a profession of faith. He and his wife were baptized on one of his days in which he could go home. Bro. Aguiar baptized him in the baptistry at the Tabernacle Church. He has been preaching in the Sanatorium, and is one of the most alert young men I have gotten acquainted with. Bro. Paul went with me



Julio Dantes, wife and child, converted in October, 1958 in tuberculosis sanatorium, and baptized. Perhaps a future preacher.



This is the 98 year old grandfather of the young man. The gospel was taken to him by Brothren Newton and Aguiar. Now a Brother in the Lord.

to see him when he was passing through here. I'm pretty sure that he will do everything he can in the work, when he gets out. His name is Julio Custodio Dantes.

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OFFERINGS FOR OCT., 1959

Dublin Baptist Church, Dublin, Ky.	50.00
Antioch Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N. C.	14.87
Madison Street Baptist Church, Rochester, Pa.	9.30
Kirbyton Baptist Church, Bardwell, Ky.	32.98
Harmony Baptist Church, Pine Bluff, Ark.	50.00
Tabernacle Baptist Church, Lewisburg, Ky.	50.00
First Baptist Church, Russell, Ky.	25.13
First Baptist Church, Russell, Ky.	7.50
East Main Baptist Church, Niles, Ill.	35.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	90.13
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Launch)	90.13
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Hickory, Ky.	10.00
Home Baptist Church, Mt. Morris, Mich.	50.83
Home Baptist Church, Mt. Morris, Mich. (L. B. C.)	5.00
Shiloh Baptist Church, San Antonio, Texas	5.00
Chattaroy Baptist Church, Chattaroy, West Va.	50.00
Home Acres Baptist Church, Grand Rapids, Mich.	10.59
Carr Baptist Church, York, Ky.	10.00
Hopewell Baptist Church, Arlington, Ky.	28.16
First Baptist Church, Coal Grove, Ohio	11.19
East Southfield Baptist Church, Royal Oak, Mich.	22.25
New Salem Baptist Church, Dukedom, Tenn.	11.10
Sandy Valley Baptist Church, Webville, Ky.	10.00
Faith Baptist Church, Genesee, Mich.	20.40
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio	60.81
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio (Special Offering)	2.00
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio (Jeep Repair)	40.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn, Mich.	156.61
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn, Mich. (L. B. C.)	10.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn, Mich. (Suits for Native Missionaries)	20.00
Bluff Avenue Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind.	10.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
Fellowship Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	50.00
Fellowship Youth, Lexington, Ky.	11.50
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, Ind.	89.52
Thomas Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	10.00
Scaffold Lick Baptist Church, Lexington, Ind.	73.00
Elk Lick Baptist Church, Levi, Ky.	8.32
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, Miss.	10.00
Repton Baptist Church, Repton, Ky.	5.00
Southside Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky.	42.30
Hyland Heights Baptist Church, Cattlebluffs, Ky.	12.00
First Baptist Church, Siloam, Ky.	34.86
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	100.00
Liberty Baptist Church, Flint, Mich.	23.95
Harbor View Baptist Church, Harbor View, Ohio	31.64
Smyrna Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky.	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	14.57
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio	62.62
Oak Grove Baptist Church, Hazel, Ky.	16.14
First Baptist Church, Crete, Ill.	83.09
Charity Baptist Church, Sunday School, Carlinville, Ill.	45.00
First Baptist Church, Justice, West Va.	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Clay, West Va.	6.40
Living Stone Baptist Church, Barboursville, West Va.	11.83
Calvary Baptist Church, Harvey, Ill.	150.00
Bellview Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky.	60.16
First Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, N. C.	11.50
Olmstead Baptist Church, Olmstead, Ky.	11.44
Olmstead Baptist Church, Olmstead, Ky.	13.65
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Ky.	10.00
Temple Baptist Church, Appalache, Va.	20.00
Ryan Road Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	48.29
East Sligh Avenue Baptist Church, Tampa, Fla.	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Ohio	30.66
Julien Baptist Church, Gracey, Ky.	21.18
Maple Grove Baptist Church, Mt. Clemens, Mich.	10.00
First Baptist Church, White Plains, Ky.	15.00
Mountain Dale Baptist Church, Reese, N. C.	29.00
Corinth Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill.	36.24
First Baptist Church, Iquitos, Peru	50.00
Grant Street Baptist Church, Orlando, Fla.	9.07
Oak Vale Baptist Church, Danes, West Va.	5.00
New Union Baptist Church, Symsonia, Ky.	3.00
People's Baptist Church, Alton, Ill.	51.60
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Hickory, Ky.	9.44
Faith Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	10.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	25.00
Salem Baptist Church, Grayson, Ky.	15.00
Faith Baptist Church, Lawley, Fla.	10.00
Evangel Baptist Church, Shreveport, La.	5.72
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, West Va.	20.00
Zoar Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, Ky.	4.87
Pleasant Plains Baptist Church, Pleasant Plains, Ill.	31.86
Fount Baptist Church, Fount, Ky. (Inter. S. S. Class)	12.31
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	31.97
Bible Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	15.73
Little Obion Baptist Church, Wingo, Ky.	46.19
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Bardwell, Ky.	16.26
Rupert Independent Baptist Church, Rupert, West Va.	5.00
Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	16.77
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.	17.00
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich. (by R. P. H.)	20.00
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich. (Camera)	50.00
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich. (Bldg. Fund)	34.00
Burna Baptist Church, Burna, Ky.	10.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Valley View, Ky.	7.23
Oak Grove Baptist Church, Martin, Tenn.	13.00
Timbered Ridge Baptist Church, Reese, N. C.	66.60
Valley Drive Baptist Church, Bristol, Tenn.	12.63
Battle Baptist Church, Rose Hill, Ky.	6.75
Hopewell Baptist Church, Mayfield, Ky.	20.75
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Launch)	400.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Accordian for Bro. York)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (L. B. C.)	125.00
LaGrange Baptist Church, Titusville, Fla.	10.00
Myrtle Tree Baptist Church, Everman Creek, Ky.	59.03
Missionary Baptist Church, Gallacher, West Va.	42.00
Immanuel Baptist Church, Wyandotte, Mich.	10.00
Temple Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind.	13.23
Gotha Baptist Church, Gotha, Fla.	15.00
New Providence Baptist Church, Murray, Ky.	10.00
Emmaus Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, Ky.	10.29
First Baptist Church, Hampton, Fla.	20.83
Lucasville Baptist Church, Lucasville, Ohio	69.60
Members of Port Norris Baptist Church, Port Norris, N. J.	50.00
J. E. Roberts, Irvine, Ky.	5.00
Mrs. Blanch Bryan, Vanceburg, Ky.	3.00
A Friend, Brooklyn, N. Y.	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burleson, Knoxville, Tenn.	2.00
Miss Leona Wright, Morganfield, Ky.	20.00
Paul Owen, Calvert City, Ky.	12.00
Ed Dubuc, Miami, Fla.	1.00
A Friend, Calvert City, Ky. (For Launch)	17.50
A Friend, Calvert City, Ky. (For Building Fund)	17.50

Work of Two of Our Brazilian Missionaries

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The Grand Parents Saved

This young man has been reared by a woman, who had an elderly mother and father. He told Bro. Aguiar and Bro. Newton about them. They went to visit them, and after several visits, they both made professions of faith. The old man is 98 years old, and his wife is 67 years old. She is bed-hammock-fast, very weak. The old man is an invalid, due to a fall 12 years ago. He hasn't walked since the fall. He is not hard of hearing, nor is she, and Bro. Aguiar and Bro. Newton go to their house regularly and



This woman is the 67 year old grandmother of the young man. She is the wife of the 98 year old man. She has tuberculosis and cannot be baptized.

read to them from the Bible. Neither of these people can be baptized due to sickness, but they are happy in the Lord. God seemed to reach down into the fire and snatch them out, and yet they may live many years yet. The old mans name is: Laurentino Antonio Dantes, and his wives name is Rita. Pray for them, and for the Lord to use these Brethren to go into the highways and byways to find more of the Lord's sheep.

Yours sincerely,
R. B. Lunsford

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NEW CHURCHES AND INDIVIDUALS WHO SENT IN OFFERINGS FOR OCTOBER, 1959

Evangel Baptist Church, Shreveport, La.	\$ 5.72
Miss Leona Wright, Morganfield, Ky.	20.00

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR LAUNCH, OCTOBER, 1959

Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	\$ 90.13
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	50.00
A Friend, Calvert City, Ky.	17.50

Total Received for Launch in October	\$ 157.63
Total Received for Launch to Date	\$12,512.35

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR BUILDING IN OCTOBER, 1959

Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.	\$ 34.00
A Friend, Calvert City, Ky.	17.50

Total Received for Building in October	\$ 51.50
Total Received for Building to Date	\$20,452.23
Estimated Balance Needed to Finish Building	\$ 9,548.77

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR SUITS FOR MISSIONARIES IN OCTOBER, 1959

New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn, Mich.	\$ 20.00
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grindstaff, Elizabethton, Tenn.	6.00

Total Received for Suits in October	\$ 26.00
Total Received for Suits to Date	\$487.17
Balance Needed to Pay for Suits	\$ 62.87

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR JEEP REPAIR IN OCT., 1959

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio	\$ 40.00
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Total Received for Jeep Repair to Date	\$297.37
Estimated Balance Needed to Repair Jeep	\$120.63



The Harold Bratchers in the yard of their home in the "Villa" Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil. Son Asa has a large pineapple in his hands. The Bratchers are hard at the language study hours each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grindstaff, Elizabethton, Tenn. (Suits for Missionaries)	6.00
Elder Ollie Parkey, Ula, Ky.	30.00
Miss Marguerite Hallum, Hammond, La.	50.00

Total Received in Oct. for Launch	\$ 157.63
Total Received in Oct. for Building	51.50
Total Received in Oct. for Suits	26.00
Total Received in Oct. for Jeep Repair	40.00
Total Received in Oct. for Regular Offerings	3,697.44
Total Received in Oct. for all purposes	\$3,972.57

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