

July 2008

Greetings from Seattle!

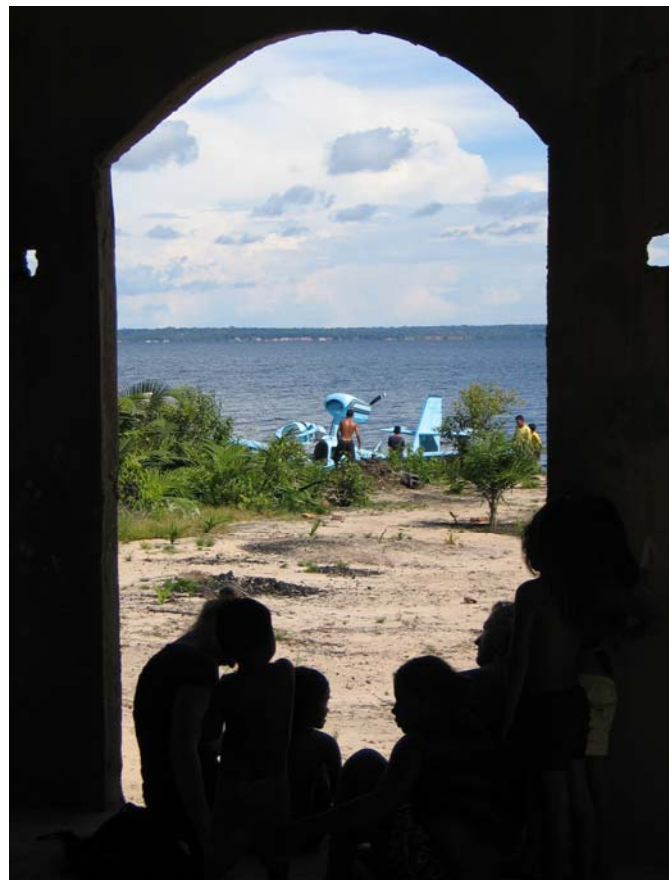
I had our June prayer letter all ready to go. It told about our furlough plans and how we would be leaving Brazil for the States on June 29th. All that was needed was for Tim to read it when he arrived back in Santarém on June 21st from Manaus. He had taken the Lake plane there to be cared for and painted while we were on home service. When Tim arrived he told me about how pressed the team in Manaus was. He had talked to Márcio who is filling in as Director of Operations, as well as flying the 206 and Caravan airplanes and also to Rocindes, the president of Asas. Tim offered to stay and help in Manaus for a time before going on furlough, and they decided that it would be for the best. I agreed and we all made new plans.

Since we already had our tickets in hand, we decided that Caleb and I would go to Seattle to get Caleb ready to go to New Tribes Bible Institute and visit family and friends. He starts classes on August 17th. Amber's husband, Sean Mackie, is graduating from the University of Washington as a Physician Assistant on August 28th, so I will stay for that, too, and then join Tim in Manaus.

Tim is in Manaus getting checked out in the 206 on floats, helping with maintenance and anything else that comes up. He will also be giving Flight Standardization and Field Orientation to Cesar, a newly graduated pilot from the Asas flight training and aircraft maintenance schools.

We are hoping to start our home ministry by mid-November, to be able to spend Thanksgiving with Tim's family just north of Houston, and Christmas with my family in Seattle.

Severino and Ester work in administration for Asas and will be moving to Santarém in October or so. They will be staying at our house while they look for one of their own. Asas is going to put in a full base in Santarém with flight, maintenance, and



The Lake airplane seen through a window of a church under construction on the Amazon

medical/evangelism ministries. Severino and Ester are the ones who will buy land and arrange the building of a runway and hangar. Then they will continue in Santarém with day-to-day administration--setting up medical clinics, helping us make all the missions and local churches in the area aware of Asas' presence in Santarém, and the ways we can help them in their ministries. By the end of 2009 we hope to have a second pilot family in Santarém and a second plane, as well: a Cessna 206 on amphibious floats.

We are looking forward to seeing you. We want to thank you for being partners with us, as shown by the time you spend reading our letters, and through your prayers and gifts that enable and encourage us so much.

God Bless You!

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"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the Gospel from the first day until now..." Philippians 1:3

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