

General Information

Partnership:

International Commission has a "Covenant Agreement" with the International Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention to work together to fulfill Christ's Great Commission.

Application Packet:

An Application Packet may be requested from the Project Coordinator or from the International Commission Office. The Application Packet includes the following:

- Steps of Faith
- New Application Form
- US Passport Instructions
- Testimony Form: a veteran IC participant can either write an updated testimony or advise IC to use their existing one.
- Prayer Partner Commitment Cards.

All forms should be sent to the IC office with a deposit at the time of commitment or as soon as possible thereafter.

The true greatness of any church is not how many it seats but how many it sends!

Testimony

Early in the week we were told there would be a visit where witchcraft was being practiced. I looked up scriptures and wrote them in the front of my Bible. We were in a home where six adults were gathered. One of the ladies said she did not need our God because she had "images" in her life. We immediately began to read the chosen scriptures, and it was apparent the Holy Spirit was in our midst. When the question about being willing to pray for salvation was asked the lady began to weep as did some of the other adults. All six prayed including an eighty-one year old father, eighty year old mother, two daughters and two daughters-in-law. We were told they had never allowed anyone to share Jesus in their home before. There was great rejoicing as these were the parents and family of one of our church members. God is so good!

-Naomi M.

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Brazil

Sao Paulo

July 2-13, 2009



*Equipping Believers
to Conduct
Church to Church
Partnership Evangelism*

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION 

Your Invitation

Dear Friend,

It is a great privilege to invite you to Sao Paulo, Brazil. IC received an invitation from the Baptist Association of Sao Paulo to bring Christians from the United States to share Jesus Christ with the people of this large metropolis.

Greater Sao Paulo has a population of close to 20 million making it one of the largest metropolitan areas in the world. Since the beginning of the 20th century, Sao Paulo has been a major economic center in Latin America. This has attracted many immigrants from Europe, Asia, and South America, as well as migrants from other parts of Brazil. The city has become extremely overpopulated resulting in huge social disparities and a high level of poverty.

This is an area that truly needs the love of Jesus Christ. The local churches are praying for and building relationships with each person so that doors will be open for us to share the gospel.

Jesus said, *“The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”* Matthew 9:36-37. The Baptist churches in Sao Paulo are praying for workers to come. Would you and your church accept the call to go and be a part of this great harvest?

In His Name,
Mike Ketner
Project Coordinator

Itinerary

Thursday, July 2

- Flight from USA to Brazil

Friday, July 3

- Clear Customs
- Tour and special noon meal
- Check into hotel

Saturday, July 4

- Orientation meeting
- Afternoon Opening Rally

Sunday-Saturday, July 5-11

- Sunday morning worship
- Morning and afternoon evangelistic witnessing with host church members/pastor in homes, schools, markets and businesses
- Evening evangelistic preaching services at host churches or key locations

Sunday, July 12

- Morning worship service
- Afternoon Victory Rally
- Fly to USA

Monday, July 13

- Connecting flights to home cities



Costs

Amarillo / Lubbock	\$2740
Dallas / Houston	\$2590
Kansas City	\$2740
Orlando/Miami	\$2390
Oklahoma City / Tulsa	\$2740
San Francisco	\$2690
Your City	Upon Request

Based on August 2008 Fares:

Costs are based on fares & fuel charges according to prices in August 2008. Cost may have to be adjusted for increased fuel charges or other increases not under IC control. After May 22, 2009 these costs no longer apply and new costs will have to be computed on an individual basis.

Cost Includes:

- Round trip airfare
- Accommodations in double occupancy hotel rooms.
- Three meals a day
- All travel between hotels and airports, as well as travel to your project city
- Preparation in the USA and abroad

Gifts are Tax Deductible

International Commission being a 501C3 non-profit organization and this being an evangelistic effort rather than a vacation or tour, all funds paid directly to IC are gifts and are receipted as charitable contributions. All gifts are non-refundable but can be transferred to another participant or future project.