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Dear Brethren,

We finally got moved the last week of February. As an old hard-shell once said, "Glad to have that over with." We've been in move "mode" for about a year now, at first being told we would need to move, then, later, that we could stay on, then, again, in early December being asked for the house. We looked for a suitable, as well as affordable, house, all through December and January. We're now in the "Fomento" community, about 12-15 minutes from Machava. It's good to feel "settled," at least for a few months. We plan to come to the States in a few months, around September.

We're holding our Sunday & Wednesday meetings at Bro. Victor da Silva's house, for a few weeks. We have decided not to try to build our church building before coming to the States. The church has found a semi-finished house to rent, for about \$40-50 dollars a month, almost beside our own church property in Trevo. We will need to spend about \$1,200-1,500 to get it ready to get into, but will be able to discount it all from the rent. It is a good place, and the church can meet in it for a couple of years or more, if need be. We're all anticipating the church getting in and settled, and, also, that we'll only be a few paces away from our own property and future meeting place.

We still don't have our church registration in hand. Please pray about this. It is necessary to our continuing here. It has taken time, but I believe we will soon have it. A new Director of the Department of Religious Affairs was appointed this year, and we are scheduled to meet with him next Tuesday, the 18<sup>th</sup>. In the meantime, Domingos Abrantes sent in another letter to the Department in January, which I just found out about this week, asking them not to grant our registration.

In January Abrantes let me know that he had somehow gotten someone in the States to send him copies of my newsletters from 2007. There are no secrets in them, of course, but he is a master at taking facts and twisting them. If anyone that receives my newsletter should get a request from someone else for copies, etc., please refer them to our church.

Please note our new phone number at the top. My hotmail address is the same. I'll close for now. Thank you for your prayers and support. The Lord bless you.

In Christ,  
Daniel A. Rogers