



# Mercy Air International

Amazon Advance – Mercy Air

MINISTRY REPORT

June 2020

Dear Friends,

In February Barbro and I had some important meetings with our leadership team in the Amazon, both Colombia and Brazil. The Lord opened up the doors that so long had been shut, to be able for God's messengers to take the Good News to the Tribes in Brazil, the ones who are still waiting!

On the reverse side you'll find a letter I wrote 21 years ago! You'll read about the great team the Lord had put together in order to get us established and on "track"! Now, 20 years later the Colombian Indigenous groups are reached by their Indigenous church planters! Thank you JESUS! And thank you precious Friends for your faithfulness in prayer, giving and serving both us and the Bible Translators, who gave these Tribes the Word of God!

We are expanding the Seminary, Um1, where Ticuna Indian pastor Tito, is the Seminary leader. January 2021, 17 Indian young men (all previously received basic training ), will be trained in the method of "Firm Foundations" (evangelizing by telling the Greatest Story Ever Told). Then be sent out two by two to the remaining Tribes in the North Brazilian Amazon.



I will conclude with the words of Walt Fricke: "I look forward to working together toward our mutual goal of ushering in the soon return of our Lord Jesus through the completion of the Great Commission!" You, Walt and the others helped us to enable the Colombian Indigenous groups to know Jesus, now, we're trusting the Lord to direct and supply, according to His will!

Lovingly,

We were together with Fredy and Luisa (and little Salem) praying for the tribal situation in Brazil, when suddenly Fredy got a message telling us the good news about God opening the doors of the Tribes in Brazil!

Donating? P.O. Box 460, Golden, MS 38847 Please make checks payable to "Mercy Air International"  
Additional contacts: Rick Orr (407) 435-2004; Ed Garcia (662) 676-8985

**PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW MAILING ADDRESS:**

Roland & Barbro Silen, 2135 Mayfair Way, Lot 50, Titusville, FL 32796

July 1999



Dear Friends,

As we travel from country to country, from continent to continent, one thing becomes increasingly evident—something big is about to happen. People are more open to the things of the Lord, others are more callous. As for us, we're on the countdown to seeing all the tribes in Colombia being reached by the Gospel. You don't have to be a theologian to figure out what GRAND EVENT is rapidly approaching. Interested? Read Matthew 24:14.

The plan we have is to send out the last 20 church planters in mid-December the year 2000! To accomplish this God has selected a team of dedicated "special forces." I would like to introduce the leadership team in Mercy Air, that together with you, will see the task complete.

Walter Fricke, managing director of GMAC/RFC, Minneapolis, MN. Drs. Samuel, M.D., and Cheryl Grimes, Ph.D., from Boone, NC. Roland Silen, missionary from Sweden. Peter Silen, pilot and business manager, Latin America. George Taylor, businessman from Titusville, FL. Bill Walker, owner of Bill Walker and Associates, St. Simon's Island, GA. I could say a whole lot about these precious people, but I will only say this—they need your prayers as never before. Not because they haven't been successful, but because they are under heavy attack from the enemy of our souls. As we together root out the enemy from his strongholds in the tribes, we need your daily intercession, warfare prayer.

As the relief efforts in Honduras have changed pace into long-range activities, we find ourselves relieved from the duty. We still have an airplane there, but we now concentrate on the intensive courses for church planters in Colombia. Pray for the selecting of candidates, finances, staff training, refurbishing the facility, getting the Magnum plane in to Colombia, getting a twin-engine airplane for the San Andres school, and last but not least, for time to be sufficient for all the activities.

Please note that you can contact us via e-mail. We are working on a more efficient way to communicate the news to you than this newsletter. Please bear with us! We love and appreciate you so much! Thank you for your support to us! I wrote to our board members and workers that the task we have is dangerous, difficult and expensive. I pray that you will feel increasingly excited and blessed as you partake in the final harvest of these nations/tribes. Dr. Grimes said, "It is like the Super Bowl of the Gospel." Walt Fricke said, "I look forward to working together toward our mutual goal of ushering in the soon return of our Lord Jesus through the completion of the Great Commission!" I, Roland, feel humbly grateful to God for letting me be on YOUR TEAM! We're WINNERS!! Don't drop the baton! If you listen you'll hear that great cloud of witnesses cheering you on!

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Roland Silen".

Roland Silen

**Correspondence and support:  
Mercy Air International, Inc.**