



# Phillips' Forum



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## Counseling /Radio Bear Fruit

Chip does a short weekly radio program and he always ends with “If you have a question about your spiritual life you can always contact me.” Recently, a young lady called and we counseled with her about a fear of death after her husband tried to strangle her and then was himself killed in a drug-related shooting. As we got to know her and shared with her Biblical truth, she realized that like many of us, she was rejecting God’s hand in her life in favor of her own plans. This is a cause of many fears as well as many interpersonal conflicts. She submitted to Christ as Lord of her life, started to grow in her faith and her anxiety is resolving.

The state hospital director also asked for Chip’s help for marriage problems and feeling “far from God.” As he learned about the Gospel he said, “I guess I’ve been spiritually dead for a long time” and decided to follow Christ and repent from his selfish actions. He is growing quickly in his faith. A state hospital employee who attends our church said that the director pulled her aside and said, “You’re slacking on the job and I’m learning that as a believer we should be doing our best for Him.”

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## Dental Chair Now in Use

It has taken longer than expected, but we finally were able to get the needed dental supplies and equipment to accompany our new dental chair. As we were nearing the time to start treating ladies in the prenatal program the Lord provided a dentist. She is the wife of the new manager of our city’s electric plant. She did not have a dental job and offered her services as a volunteer to keep up her technical skills. She does not know the Lord. Please pray that she will come to understand the Gospel as she interacts with our staff and observes how they treat patients more lovingly than the normal treatments in the government facilities.

## Merry Christmas And Thank You!

We are so grateful for everyone who has partnered with us in the outreaches related to the Amazon Baptist Hospital. Our prayer is that the Lord grant you a wonderful Christmas with your family and bless you richly in the coming year.

## Praise

- Biblical Counseling is making a difference in many lives.
- Plastering of walls and placing electrical conduits is just about finished in the store-front construction.
- Susanna and Julie Anne have found a good church.

## Prayer

- Local doctors to continue to grow in their faith.
- A city-wide musical outreach is scheduled for December 19-22. Last year several thousand attended and heard the Gospel.
- Jonathan and Natasha Nieto arrive Dec. 14 in Leticia to start an aviation ministry in Colombia near us. Pray for safe travels and a good transition to our field.

### Sending Church

First Baptist Church  
216 Sunset Road  
Willingboro, NJ 08046





Doctors Ester and Felipe are frequent visitors in our home to study the Bible and play games with other couples.



Construction continues on the storefront project. This week they are completing the facing of walls and hanging the bathroom door in the last store. Ceiling, floor and electric are all that's left!



Technology helps monitor ladies in the pre-natal program. In surgery clinic, patients often bring their X-rays to Chip on their cell phone since the state hospital does not have a working X-ray printer.