

# Timor Este



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## Brazilian Missionaries

This month we had a very special meeting. Brother Sebastião Neves was the temporary council during the transition of Brazilian Ambassadors in Timor, for 2 months. At the end of his time, he promoted a meeting with all the Brazilian missionaries. Many couldn't come because they live on some districts that are far away, but we had the presence of most of the missionary organizations and Brazilian churches. We could praise God, and pray together, and, of course, we had that delicious typical Brazilian food =). It had been a long time since the last meeting like this, and now we're going to have it every month - to sow unity, in a country that suffers so much with division among its own people. It was also a prophetic moment, in which we could take possession of the Amassador's Official House, in the name of Jesus, and also prayed for missionaries of other countries.



*Meeting with brazilians - Sowing Unity*

**DON'T FORGET TO PRAY FOR BRAZILIAN MISSIONARIES IN TIMOR!**

## Transformation Alliance

This month once more we had the TA's quarterly meeting. Many groups from other districts came and we could share our projects, plans, frustrations, victories and strategies with each other... Thank God I have strenghtened my relationship with each of the groups. I believe it's a very special partnership that God has put in my life.

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYER THE PEOPLE FROM MALAYSIA AND SINGAPORE!**

## A little here... a little there...

I also have been involved with big little “projects” this month, blessing other ministries, that are partners in this mission field.

I helped with one of the classes of **YWAM's Evening School**. Claudinha taught a class about *Praise and Worship* and I shared a little bit about my life, in the class about *The Conduct of a Levite*. I didn't talk for long, but I think I was able to bless those students. One more seed sown! I also participated in the graduation, giving that “extra hand” - taking photos and helping with technical stuff... there's always opportunities to help!

I also traveled around Timor a little. I went to **Gleno**, in the District of **Ermera**, and **Hato-Builico**, in the District of **Ainaro**, to do some work for TA. I went to take people, food, documents and other stuff over there. In both places I went and came back the same day. The trip to *Ermera* was very fast (4 horas), but the trip to *Ainaro* was a little bigger... a total of 10 hours driving, going through fog, many holes, many curves, ups and downs, but a wonderful view and the awesome presence of the Lord on every moment.

**IT'S AWESOME TO TRAVEL THROUGH TIMOR!**

I was also in **Baucau**, to the Pastor @ Prayer meeting, that has been better every time. This month I lead worship, with the help of some locals there... you can see it in the header's photo ;)



Trip to Hato-Builico - little break to rest...

## Timor's Independence

On the 28<sup>th</sup> there was the *Celebration of Timor's Independence of Portugal*, that happened about 30 years ago. I was at the *Government Palace* taking part on the celebration, taking pictures and, of course, praying for this nation that have become independent twice (of *Portugal* and *Indonesia*), but still suffers from spiritual dependence - the presence of *Animist* practices is still very big, not to mention the huge influence of the *Catholic Church*.



Some timorese at the Independence Celebration

**Prayer Point:** This week the trial of *Major Alfredo* will take place. He was one of the people responsible for last year's crisis and has confronted the Timorese government. He leads the group of petitionaries that is asking for a “solution” for the crisis.

**LET'S ALL PRAY THAT THERE WON'T BE ANY RETALIATION AND THAT THIS CELEBRATION WILL CONTINUE AS A PARTY... NO PROBLEMS, NO VIOLENCE, NO DEATHS... TIMOR NEEDS TO BE MADE FREE!**

Maromak fo bensa! God Bless you!

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