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Lucas grew up the son of fishermen on the island, and gave his life to Jesus when he was 16 years old. His father did not support his faith, so when he turned 18, he was baptized, and knew that God was calling him into missionary ministry to his people. He went to the seminary in Curitiba for 2 years, graduated, and returned to the Canary Islands in 2018.



Michele is the daughter of EMAF missionaries, and having trusted Christ as a child, she also knew that God had called her to serve as a missionary. She served in her local church as a teen; went to college—but the program closed during Covid in 2020. In 2021, God directed her to do a year of missionary work with EMAF on the Canary Islands to help with the “My Little Fish” children’s ministry, and providing for her financially in remarkable ways, using this time to ignite her heart for this

work. She returned at the end of 2022, and soon a relationship with Lucas blossomed. They married in July 2024, and today they serve together in the Torto Community, serving the local church in leading worship, and outreach and discipling with youth, women, men, children’s ministry, and preaching.

CONTACT INFO:

Lucas & Michele labour in a remote part of Brazil, and are Portuguese-speaking; so we do not have a regular line of communication. However, our mission team is in regular contact through WhatsApp, and updates are posted on the missions page of our church website.



**LUCAS & MICHELE'S MINISTRY FOCUS—
OCTOBER 2025**

Lucas & Michele live in Torto, a remote fishing community in the Parnaíba Delta in the Northeast of Brazil. They minister to children, youth and families in Torto and the surrounding communities, with inter-support of other EMAF missionaries in the delta region: after school programs, sports, music, Bible study, youth services, church services, & evening community outreach.



PRAYER...

1. For the **children**, that each one has a personal experience with Jesus. Most who participate in the project have families that are not Christian; because of this, the greatest contact they have with the gospel is in our “My Little Fish” program. We need wisdom to teach so the seed of the gospel bears fruit in their hearts, and what they learn about obedience, honoring parents, respect, empathy, and especially love for God, are eternal values in their hearts.
2. For our **family**; on Sept. 23rd we were able to announce that we are now expecting a baby! Please pray with us for God’s help with the pregnancy.
3. We want to teach children aged 7 to 12 to play acoustic guitar, but we need **instruments** suitable for children, which we don’t have at the moment.
4. For **teenagers** in the community. For the most part, their youth is associated with parties, sexual relationships, and involvement with drugs and alcohol. Boys and girls are becoming involved at an increasingly early age, beginning sexual relationships and even starting families, without the emotional or even financial support to do so. We pray that through the projects we develop, that the word of God will take root in their hearts.