

HMONG INTERNATIONAL

December 2023

MISSION



Fung, Mercy & Kalia



A Good Neighbor

During December, our family continued to do outreach and visit our partner churches in Thailand and Laos. During one of our mission trips, we came across a 12-year-old boy named Yeng in a Hmong village. His father died three years ago, and his mother remarried. The boy was left to live with his uncle and aunt; however, they did not take good care of him. Therefore, Yeng often lives alone in a little house his father built for the family before he died. Yeng also often went hungry and had to steal food to eat.



Kalia with Yeng

When we visited Yeng, he was very sick from an automobile accident. His uncle and aunt did not have the financial means to take him to the hospital. With permission from his aunt, our evangelist and Fung put him in our mission truck and immediately took him to the district hospital, which was about 25 miles away. When they got to the hospital, the doctor said they could not care for Yeng. He needs to go to the provincial hospital, which is about 100 miles away. The cost of the ambulance to take Yeng to the provincial hospital would be around \$100. So, Fung paid for the ambulance and other medical fees. Fung also told the doctor to take care of Yeng, and he will pay all the medical expenses when we return to the area.

It was just an honor and a blessing to be of help to Yeng. He has been suffering from his automobile accident for two years, and no one in the village was willing to help him because he was an orphan. Like the parable of the Good Samaritan in Luke 10:26-37, we thank the Lord for leading us to be good neighbors to a stranger named Yeng. During our visit with Yeng, and just before we took him to the hospital, the villagers were asking who we were. We told them we are Christians and servants of God. They told us they had never seen any strangers stop by and provide help to Yeng or anyone in the village like we did. We told them that it was Jesus' love that compels us to love others. Please keep Yeng in your prayers.

Celebrating Christmas in Southeast Asia



Baptisms:

Working with our Hmong pastors and evangelists, and with your prayers and financial support, in December alone, **2,270** individuals heard the Gospel, **142** individuals came to faith, and **81 people were baptized**. We give thanks to the Lord for His love and mercy for the Hmong in Southeast Asia. Here is the link to a short video: vimeo.com/manage/videos/900130268. Please see the email we sent you this newsletter for the password to access the video.

Prayers Needed:

Please continue to pray for our financial support and the support of the Lord's ministry projects. Here are the different ministries and the budgets we are inviting you to support: Theological Training (\$15,000), Outreach Ministry (\$20,000), Church Buildings (\$20,000), Gospel Motorbikes (\$15,000), Women Ministry (\$20,000), and Youth Ministry (\$20,000). When you send in your tax-deductible support, please earmark it to the ministry you are supporting. **Thank you!**

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