



# The Richard Guay Family Missionaries to Thailand

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Dear Friends,

As we begin the new year, we have so much to be thankful for and so much to look forward to this year. The Lord has taken such good care of us and blessed our church in Thailand.

Richard and Matthew just got back from a two week trip to Thailand. Although the trip back was mainly to meet a requirement for our visas, they were able to accomplish much more. We were very encouraged to find Light Baptist Church doing great. The church services were good, and more adults than normal attended. The preachers who have been filling in for us said that the church members have been bringing visitors almost each week. The church members are looking forward to our return, but are learning to take more responsibility for their church during our furlough.



Richard taught Church History II to the Bible college students for four days. The class went great!

We have been praying for one lady to come to our church for years, and she has been coming off and on for the last few months and came twice while Richard was there. Her father, husband, and daughter come, but she has been reluctant to come. She says she's a Christian, so we aren't sure why she has been unwilling to come with her family. Please pray that she will continue to come.



Another lady that we have been praying for came to church two weeks ago and asked lots of questions about salvation! Please pray for her.

We have been praying for Pong, our deaf member, to have someone to talk to while we are away. Her family doesn't know sign language, so we are usually the only people she has to sign with. We hated leaving her, but God has answered our prayers and given her a deaf friend. Please pray that Pong will be able to witness to her friend.

God has given us a very kind landlord. While we have been away, he has done many things to improve our church and home. He has many more plans for improvements. He even has discussed building a nicer church building in the future. Although he is Buddhist, he loves our family and wants to help in our ministry. He has asked many questions about salvation. Please pray for him, his wife, and son to be saved.

We look forward to returning to Thailand this May. We are eager to get back to our work there. Please pray that we will be able to purchase our tickets soon and be able to replace our refrigerator and washing machine that died just as we left for furlough.

We have had a very busy schedule each month since we began furlough. The rest of our furlough looks just as busy! We praise the Lord for the busy schedule. We have enjoyed visiting our supporting churches and we are thankful that we've been able to present our ministry to many new churches. Four new churches have taken us on for support!

Richard is doing great. His health has never been better! Please keep praying for Kristi. She saw the doctor last week and he had to adjust the thyroid medicine again. He is concerned that the hyperthyroidism may have returned.

Thank you for all the Christmas cards and gifts. We are so grateful for each of you. It is such a blessing to have people all over the world praying for our family and the Thai people. The need is so great, so please keep praying for Thailand!



Yours For Thailand,

*Richard and Kristi Guay*  
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Romans 10:14

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