







Ko I Duan School Christmas

The Guay Family - Your missionaries in Thailand

Dear Friends, January 11, 2019

We hope you had a wonderful Christmas. We want to thank each of you who sent cards, messages, and Christmas love offerings. Also, thank you for all the prayers, encouragement, and financial support that enabled us to minister to the people in Thailand during 2018. It was a great year. And we look forward to seeing what God will do here in 2019!



One of the biggest encouragements this past year was watching the spiritual growth in some of the students who attend our church service at their school. These kids are mostly hill tribe kids from farming villages that don't have schools. They are sent to live in a government boarding school from young ages in order to get a better education and sometimes to remove them from dangers of human trafficking. We

have seen quite a few kids saved over the past six years, but this year has been a little different. There have been a couple of kids who have hearts to minister to others. There example has helped their friends to begin coming. Though it is still a small group, they have such a sweet spirit about them. In November three of the teen girls and one 11 year old boy were saved. As we witnessed to these students, one of their friends stayed right beside them making sure they understood. This young lady lost her mom recently, and though filled with grief, she had so much joy in seeing her friends saved. The boy

that got saved has his own grief to deal with. His dad died when he was younger, he doesn't know where his mom is, and he doesn't seem to have any relatives that want him. The first time he came to a church service, he asked prayer that he could have joy, and now he knows the joy of knowing Jesus!

As always, this Christmas season opened doors of opportunity to share the Gospel with many people. We had special services in three



schools, at the army base for the prisoners in the reform program who Richard has been



teaching, and at church. We were able to share the true meaning of Christmas, hand out a book about Christmas, a Gospel tract, and a Genesis/John/Romans. Also we had a Christmas play. We were so impressed with how hard our church members and our children worked to make it successful. We had many people come to church for the first time. Pray that the seeds sown will bear fruit. We also were blessed to have Pastor Dustin Robbins from Alloway Baptist

Church in Tennessee video in to preach for our Christmas service. That was really special for us and our members.

Please pray for us to have wisdom and zeal in serving God this year! God bless you!

Yours for Thailand,

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