Dec. 2024 - Feb. 2025 Prayer Letter

Dear Supporters & Praying friends,

I am excited to share so many good reports with you as we turn the page to a new year here in 2025. God has been so gracious to us, and sought to bless us in 2024. I do wish to share a few of the things that the Lord has been doing.

Back at the church plant in Mindanao, one of the men in the church named Nathan has really given his life to the Lord, and is reaping the blessings from it. He grew up as a pastor's kid, and was saved as a teen, but strayed from the Lord as he became a young adult. God eventually got ahold of his heart, and he and family fervently prayed that God would bring a Bible preaching, independent Baptist church to their small town. God answered that prayer over two years ago, when we sent out a mission team to that town, led by my Dad and Mom. That church is now running about 60-70 every Sunday morning, and had about 30



baptisms last year. Nathan is now the song leader of that church and his whole family is actively involved in soulwinning and in ministering to their small town through that very church that they prayed to God for. It is amazing not only to see what God's grace does in salvation, but also what His grace does in our sanctification!



One of the most exciting things as a missionary is to see young men that you trained, surrender to full-time ministry, get discipled, and marry well. Seeing them establish a deep walk with the Lord is wonderful, but probably the highlight of all that training is seeing the same men get ordained into the gospel ministry. This Jan. 19, we will be ordaining 5 of our men, Lordwilling. It is exciting to see how God is blessing, and how there is still a fervor for the ministry and the things of God. I have seen young men praying, and begging God to use them in the ministry. What a privilege it is to be ordaining a few of them soon. My wife and I will be returning to Cebu City

for short trip to ordain some men, have our world missions conference, and get some things in order as there are a few things that only the pastor can do.

Many years ago, a 15-year old young man came to our church. He shared to me how his father had recently died, and that his father, a back-slidden Baptist man, while on his death bed, expressed to him, not follow in his footsteps, but to follow the Lord. 9 years ago Kleint surrendered to the ministry and worked as our deaf director, deaf Bible college dean, and assistant to the pastor at the Mindanao church. A couple years ago this young man from a seaside-slum, surrendered his life to the mission field of Taiwan where he will be seeking to reach both deaf and hearing souls with the gospel. Kleint

will be sent out to start his deputation this coming January 26. <u>Please</u>, <u>pray for him as he gathers</u> <u>prayer and financial supporters</u> as he makes his way to reach the Taiwanese people with the gospel. Only God can take a poor boy from a seaside-slum, wash him in the blood of Christ, and prepare him to reach a mission field that is in desperate need of Jesus Christ.

<u>Please</u>, continue to pray for my wife and I as we continue on to the last half of our furlough. By the grace of God, we are already half-way towards our goal of new supporting churches! God has been so good to provide for us along the way, and to protect us as we travel as well. We have driven about 30,000 miles in only 6 months of furlough by the grace of God. <u>Please</u>, continue to pray for God's provision, and protection as we travel all over the States, declaring the wonderful works of God on our mission field. Our schedule is filling up, but there are still open slots for missions conferences, and furlough reporting. Pray for my wife to have favorable time for oathtaking here in the States, <u>we are praying that they give us a good schedule for May or June</u>.

Your missionaries, In front our Frank & Japhia Denisi















Enjoying God's blessing on our furlough