



# the BOYLSTONS

MISSIONARIES TO THE ISLAND OF POHNPEI

Jesus taught in a parable in Luke 15 that it is reasonable for a man to leave his ninety-nine sheep to go search for one sheep that is lost. When he finds that lost sheep, he "calletth together his friends and neighbours, saying unto them, Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost." (Luke 15:6) Jesus, in verse seven of the same chapter, goes on to state, "I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance." Jesus further states, "Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth." (Luke 15:6) To think of the celebration in heaven over every single person that is saved is a joyous thought. To see the joy on Christian's faces over their loved ones being saved is also a wonderful thing. This was vividly demonstrated a few weeks ago when we received a call on Sunday morning from a man in our church. His son had professed faith in the Lord asking Him to be his Savior that Saturday night. Overjoyed, he did not want to wait to tell us when we got to church that morning, but instead walked a half mile to a phone and called to tell us the good news right then.

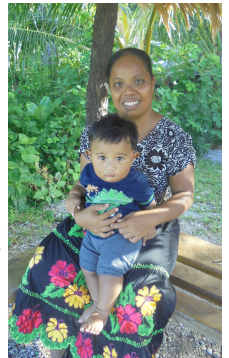
Not only did we see the joy brought by one becoming a child of God, but we also were able to see the peace brought by becoming a child of God. Last year a lady in the hospital, that had been in poor health for quite awhile, made a profession of faith after talking to our pastor. A couple of weeks ago this dear lady left this life behind. Her niece said before her aunt's death, her aunt told her that she previously had been afraid to die. But after receiving Christ as her Savior, she was no longer scared because she was now ready to meet the Lord and she knew she would go to Heaven.

Please pray for the upcoming Christmas cantata. We are always thankful for this outreach opportunity as many will come out for special events like a cantata. As they hear a clear presentation of the gospel, pray that God will work in hearts and that people will respond. Kaleb has a very big part with many lines to learn. Pray that he and the rest of the youth that are involved will be diligent and focused as they prepare and present the play and songs.

Please continue to pray for wisdom and direction concerning my health. I have had to make multiple trips to Guam for treatments and appointments. Currently, I have been approved by the VA to see a neurosurgeon for a consultation whenever we have the funds to go back. Please also pray for the salvation of my VA representative, a very helpful Pohnpeian man named Alwin Rafael that works at the Vet Center in Guam.

## *Praise and Prayer*

- \* Pray that the supplies that we prepare and send to the Peelers and Ezekias' in Nukuoro will get there safely. One large box was stolen out of the last shipment.
- \* November is Ambassador Baptist Church's Missions Month. Please pray that people will be challenged and encouraged to give and to be more involved in missions.
- \* Praise the Lord for the progress being made on the outdoor shelter that we use for children's Bible club, special services, and when there is no electricity.
- \* Continue praying for the couple in our church that are in the process of adopting a little boy. Praise the Lord there has recently been some progress.



## *Family*

- \* Thank you for the cards and messages for Kierra's birthday. Our first teenage girl!
- \* We are thankful that Kyle is doing well in school and work at Ambassador Baptist College. We are thankful that he will be able to spend the holidays with family there in the States, but we are going to miss him immensely during our first holidays without him.
- \* Khloe and Kierra have been able to start taking piano lessons through Skype. A young lady graciously agreed to adapt to the obstacles of time zone differences and our unreliable internet and power and give of her own time after work.

## *Request*

Since we live in town, we usually interact with people on a daily basis that know and understand English. In addition to the Pohnpeian tracts that we give out from our church, we also like to carry English tracts for those that understand English and for the many people from other countries that visit and live here. We are looking for good quality Christmas themed tracts that are KJV and also include repentance. We would greatly appreciate if someone would be willing to mail us around fifty of these. We would be willing to reimburse for purchase and postage.