

the Brown Family

missionaries to CAMBODIA



September 5, 2014

Dear Praying Friends,

This past month, I had my first opportunity to preach in the Khmer language. It was definitely a great challenge. While I am very encouraged to have been able to do this, I realized I still have a long way to go in communicating clearly with the Khmer people. Please pray that we will be able to make the most of our remaining months in language school.



Last month, we also held a vacation Bible school. I helped teach Bible memory verses. Many young people attended, both new visitors and those who faithfully attend the Bible club every Sunday. We were very encouraged by several children who memorized much Scripture. God has promised that His Word will not return void.

Another promise we have from God's Word is that He will hear and answer our prayers. We have been asking prayer for some time for our neighbors, many of whom are brothers. One of these brothers is our landlord. For the past two weeks in a row, he has been coming to the Sunday services at the church. His name is Noeun,

and he is about our age, with two young children. He has agreed to study to Bible with Wang (a young man from the church) and myself this Saturday. Pray with us that he will continue in his interest, and that the Lord will help him and his family to understand and accept the Gospel.

The cost of trusting in Christ and turning from Buddhism can be high for Cambodians, and it is something they are often considering as they deal with the conviction of the Holy Spirit. They must come to the point that they realize nothing is worth exchanging for their souls. Sineth, the young man we asked prayer for last month, still claims he is busy, but we are staying in touch with him and praying that God will continue to work in his heart.

Later this month, we will be taking a trip up to a potential future ministry location. We would appreciate your prayers for a safe and productive trip, as we consider the next steps the Lord has for us. Also, please keep the health of Nikki and our unborn baby in your prayers.

Yours in Christ,

Matt and Nikki Brown

Romans 15:20-21

Prayer Requests

- Health and Safety
- Language Learning
- Relationships and witness with neighbors
- Salvation - Thet's family, Chantha, Sineth
- Ministry trip September 20-24

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