

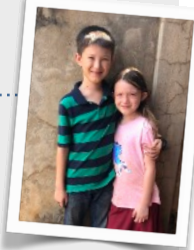
THE Brown Family

serving in CAMBODIA



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Nikki's Notes



As a mother, my heart was bursting with love and thankfulness this last month for my children and their stand for Christ. The older two were invited on an outing with some friends. During that outing they were taken to the nearby temple and told to put their hands together and bow down to a Buddhist monk. Our neighbors told us that both children refused to bow even under strong pressure. I am so thankful the Lord gave them the boldness they needed for such a time! As Matt said, "Not many children your age have faced this sort of temptation, but we're thankful for how you responded." Thank you for praying for our children.

Prayer Requests

- Spiritual growth of Christians
- Salvation for Heng, Pia, Net
- Evangelism opportunities
- "Light of Life" radio program

Faithful Friends, Family, and Supporters,

This past month was incredibly busy for us. We thank the Lord for the strength He gave as well as many other blessings. Khmer New Year, the biggest holiday of the year here in Cambodia, fell in the middle of April this year. Celebrations for this holiday include not just family gatherings and parties, but religious rituals as well. After participating in one of these rituals honoring dead ancestors, Meng Hong told me he wanted to take a break from studying about Jesus, since he felt like he couldn't turn away from the religion of his ancestors. However, right about the same time, Nat told me that he now believes in Jesus! He has now come to church services a few times and begun to connect with others there. We praise the Lord for his faith, and ask that you pray for his continued growth in faith as well as for the salvation of his wife and children.

Khmer New Year also gave us an opportunity to connect with some of our neighbors in a very meaningful way. From going on various excursions to cooking together, we spent a lot of time with these folks and the Lord opened up several great opportunities to share the truth of the Gospel with them. Nikki especially connected with a lady around her age named Srey Leak. Be in prayer for Srey Leak and her in-laws, all of whom have now clearly heard the gospel. We see these people almost daily and continue to look for chances to further share the truth with them.



Khmer New Year Fun

Please keep praying for the growth of the church in understanding and faith, as well as for the outreach ministries. Pray specifically for Heng, Pia, and Net, who have all expressed interest in Christ. We need the Lord's wisdom and power as we follow up with these folks.

For His Name's Sake, The Brown Family

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