

THE MILGRIMS

December 31, 2002

Dear Co-Laborers in Christ,

Greetings from warm, sunny Pohnpei!

**Psalm 107:20 He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.**

We are back on Pohnpei and Praising God for all of His provision in getting us back to the field. We are still in the process of getting adjusted and settled in to our home. Also, getting use to the heat is something else. It was just getting cold when we flew out of Atlanta, but here I'm sweating up about three sets of clothes a day.

The work is exciting as we see God dealing in the lives of the people here. We are working in the village of Wone where there is great opportunity to work among the people. I have a young national who is interpreting for me and preaching also. I preach Wednesday nights, Sunday mornings and we take turns preaching on Sunday nights. I also use him to head up our youth night on Fridays. We started out with an attendance in our services of around 40 and have grown to the 70's. We are running around 80 for our youth nights, for all this we Praise God for the increase and how He has been blessing the ministry here. We also want to thank the Lord for our Christmas program. All the children did a wonderful job and we had over 100 in attendance.

We praise God for a young man and an elderly woman who have been saved in our services. Please pray for the young man because he comes from a Catholic home and will face much persecution for his decision. Continue to pray for us to have wisdom in ministering here.

Pray for Aaron and Andrew as we will be separated this Christmas. This has to be the hardest part of being on the field. I know God will watch over them and direct their lives. Also, pray for Nathaniel as he adjusts here without his brothers. It has been difficult for him, but he seems to be doing better. He was very sick a few days ago with an amoeba he got from eating some bad sashimi (raw fish which he loves). Praise the Lord he was able to get to the doctor where he was able to get an antibiotic. He lost 10lbs but is doing much better.

We want to wish everyone a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year. I pray that our focus this year among all the lights, tinsel and gift giving will be Jesus Christ. People around the world will open gifts on Christmas morning of various kinds, but most of them are empty inside spiritually. They are missing the most precious gift the world has ever known in Jesus Christ. They will spend varied amounts of money for the gifts that they will give and receive but the gift I speak of is free. This makes it available to everyone this Christmas if they will only receive it.

Thank you so much for all you prayers this year and for your financial giving. God working through each of you is why we are able to be here laboring in the field!

Serving Him In Micronesia,

*Aaron, Patty, Nathaniel + Cella*  
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*Thank you so much  
for your kindness toward  
our family.*

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