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Dear Faithful Friends,

Things are going well here on Pohnpei. We have received the crates that we shipped before leaving the United States. Everything arrived safely. Praise the Lord!! The customs and duty ended up being a little more than we had anticipated, so we are saving for the final leg of shipping costs to get it down to Nukuoro.

We have an urgent prayer request. We have spoken to some of our friends that came up from Nukuoro on the January ship. Two storms have hit down there that have eroded one section of our land. We knew before we left that we would need to build a sea wall at that place but did not think it would be this soon. We have also spoken to Pastor Ray, and he says we have lost around ten feet of land. Since the water is getting very near the house, we have decided to postpone building the second house and put what money we have on the sea wall. Please pray about this. We will need around \$5,000.00 to complete the wall, and we don't have that much at this time. So far, we have received a small offering from an individual to help with this. Also, pray that we will be able to hire the right men to do the job. Coral brain rock will need to be gathered and brought in, and then we must buy the cement and rebar. After the wall is completed, we will fill in behind it. This will be a huge amount of work.

While we are on Pohnpei, we are helping with other building projects. Ambassador Baptist Church had their Spring Revival a few weeks ago, and we were able to help by installing 18 new lights in their building. I am also assisting with teaching Sunday School for the men and sometimes for the teen boys at Calvary Christian School. Melinda is teaching the English-speaking ladies Sunday School class. I was invited to preach at two other churches recently, so that was a blessing. Also, a fellow missionary began a Bible Study in Sokehs, which is a primarily Nukuoroan area. We feel that while we are on Pohnpei we should attend this on Wednesday nights. We hope to renew friendship with some of the people we already know, as well as meet some new people. Pray that this outreach will see many coming to the Lord. Besides all this, I have been helping another pastor with renovations on his home. It is a blessing to be working, teaching, and preaching again. We are busy!

We don't expect the ship to go down again until the end of the school year. Please pray that all things here will go well, and we will be ready with all the supplies. We covet your prayers as we seek to take the gospel to the people of Nukuoro.

Prayer Requests:

The Sokehs outreach

Funds for the sea wall

Health and strength for us

In His Service,
Jack & Melinda