



# THE SALYER FAMILY

## SERVING IN THE PHILIPPINES

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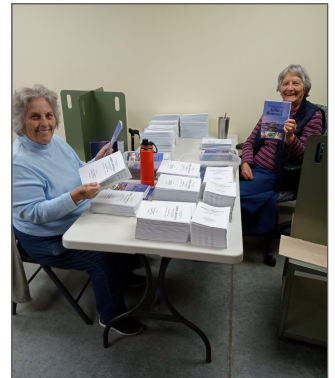
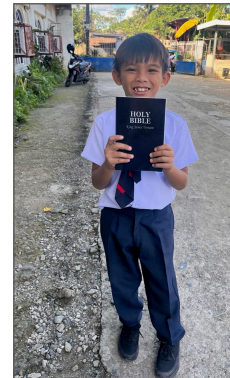
Dear Prayer Partners,

*Isaiah 28:10-11 says, "For precept must be upon precept, precept upon precept; line upon line, here a little, and there a little: (11) For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to this people."*

Greetings from the Salyer family! Our advanced Missionary training course began on August 17 at the Baptist Bible Translators Institute in Bowie, Texas. Heather and I, along with four other families and one young man, have been attending classes every weekday for the past two months. We are being taught Applied Articulatory Phonetics, which is the science of the study of human speech sounds. We just finished our Cultural Anthropology for Missionaries class. We learned how to observe a culture, try to understand how a people group thinks and lives, and how to communicate the Gospel message clearly through the lens of their culture. We started the Phonemics class, which continues till Thanksgiving. We are so thankful and blessed to be here at BBTI, and we believe the training that we are receiving is truly invaluable.



We praise the Lord that the 35 Balik-Bayan boxes of Bibles and Gospel tracts that God enabled us to send this summer and are now arriving in the Philippines. We are excited to receive pictures of happy recipients receiving new Bibles from national pastors and missionary friends. We want to say "Thank You" to Plain Path Publishers in Columbus, NC, for their hard work printing and collating over 2,000 John and Romans for future shipments to the Philippines. We "Praise the Lord" and say "Thank You" to New Heights Baptist Church of Reidsville, NC, and Calvary Baptist Church of Marlow, OK, for joining us in prayer and financial support.



Jameson and Micah have enjoyed a steady school schedule along with 15 other children here at BBTI this year. We all have enjoyed Friday night fellowships with Volleyball and board games. We are truly experiencing a wonderful and different culture here in northern Texas, with beautiful horses on the property, armadillos, wild boars, coyotes, road runners (seen for the first time!), and many scorpions. Heather says, "Thankfully, the scorpions are stuck on glue boards in our house!" We try to keep our feet covered during the hot weather because they come indoors looking for a water source!



We want to again say "Thank You!" for your faithful prayers and monthly support. We covet your prayers as we are being stretched in our class learning and as we prepare to leave for the Philippines in 2025, Lord willing.

In our Lord's service,  
Mike, Heather, Jameson, and Micah Salyer

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