

October, 2007 Newsletter
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We are so happy to announce to you that we will be returning to South Asia in January! We already have our tickets to leave Jan. 23. This will be a 3 month trip and we will be returning to the States April 25. During this time we will be able to renew our relationships, do some teaching in the Bible schools, and begin laying the foundations for our church plant.

Our Next Goal is to be able to return to South Asia again in June. The only thing stopping us from making this plan right now is that our support is still not where it needs to be. Please pray with us that the financial needs will be met so that we can return and continue our ministry. The needs in South Asia are very pressing! In order for us to be cleared to return in June, 2008 after our 3 month trip in Jan-April 2008, we need to have all of our immediate setup costs in hand and at least 75% of our budgeted support coming in on a monthly basis.

In order to reach this goal we are praying that many of you will be able to make substantial year end gifts in order to see the setup funds reached so that our ministry may flourish in South Asia. We know that many people are able to give year end gifts that will significantly reduce their taxes. We would like to ask you to begin praying that some of your year end giving would be able to go to the needs of our ministry. We are sending this now so that you will have ample time to pray, think, and prepare for this. We have included a separate sheet that tells the specifics of these needs. We are praying that God will raise up individuals or groups of individuals who will be able to pay for each of these set-up costs. The provision of these set-up costs, along with the appropriate amount of monthly support, will provide a sure foundation for the ministry.

We have included a page detailing these needs. As you see, there are immediate set-up needs and secondary set-up costs. In order to return in June, the immediate set-up needs **MUST** be met. Also, the sooner they are met, the sooner we can buy tickets. This helps us to get good prices. We were able to save almost \$800 on a pair of tickets for this next trip by buying them early. If we can not buy them early we are not at all sure that we will be able to stay within the budget. This would mean having to raise even more funds, a task that is already big enough 😊

Will you pray that God will guide you regarding what you should give? Thank you so much! After all, investing in God's work is the only way that we can take any of our riches to Heaven with us. May the Lord Jesus grant you favor as you seek His Face.

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Will you pray for our Friend Angam and his ministry? We have included a sheet showing his recent beating by Hindu radicals. Thanks so much for your prayers.

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