

Dear Friends,

Thanksgiving 2008

As we approach the Thanksgiving season, I would like to express my thanks to each and every one of you. Those of you who receive my letters and pray faithfully for me and for the Lord's work here have had a major part in seeing the Sougb church grow. Those who have given support regularly have helped spread God's Word and the message of salvation through Christ throughout Papua as we watched the Sougb missionaries reach out to other tribes.

My co-worker, Dan Lunow, is currently here in Papua staying in Anggi to do the final check on the church leaders' lessons book. Although retired, he has been diligently translating a book in the Sougb language for church leaders to use in their message preparation. PRAY that his time here goes well as he gets this book ready for printing.

Recently I had the privilege of meeting with most of the ten Sougb missionary families when they came to town to see Dan. Their reports were exciting and encouraging, although they were still grieving the loss of one of the missionaries. Alpius went home to be with the Lord last Fall. I first met Alpius as a young man when he was a student at the Sougb language Bible School in Nenei where I lived my first term. Since that time he, along with his wife, have faithfully served the Lord, ministering in various villages, conducting short term Bible schools, teaching Sunday School for the children, supporting women's ministries, and having literacy classes. His life was a testimony to others. He was always willing to move on to another village and work wherever God called him to minister.

A few months ago the National Church held a conference for Sunday School teachers. Several hundred teachers were in attendance, many coming from tribes living in the interior. Besides being a learning time, it was a fun time. Among the tribal folks, their tendency is to make Sunday School a mini-sermon for the children. This conference encouraged them to make Sunday School a fun time as well. We could hear them laughing as hundreds of men and women played games and learned new songs with motions. PRAY that these Sunday School teachers will be newly inspired. They have a crucial role in molding the lives of the children as they teach them about Jesus.

Many of you have asked about my health. For about six weeks, I have been having trouble with my left eye. I don't know if something is in it or if I have scratched my cornea, but it feels irritated all the time. Without an eye doctor here in Papua, I will need to make a trip to either Jakarta or Singapore to get it checked. Please PRAY that a solution can be found soon so that I can return to my ministry here.

*Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name;
make known among the nations what He has done. Psalm 105:1*

Giving thanks to God,

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