

Ephesians 5:31

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Dear Friends,

Hello from the other side of the world! We hope this letter finds you content and encouraged in the Lord's love for you!

THEY'RE HERE!

In mid-February we sadly waved good-bye to six of our team-mates that had completed their term and were returning to America. It was awfully quiet and lonely around here for a month or so, and then... on March 15th we received a fresh batch of missionaries! We praise God for the three children and five adults He has brought to add new dimensions to our team! We look forward to working together as a family to bring honor to our Father!

Easter Harvest

During the week before Easter Sunday, Scott showed the six-hour "Jesus of Nazareth" in four segments. At the end of each evening, he gave a brief gospel presentation and an invitation for those who wanted to sincerely commit themselves to Christ. On Easter Sunday, Scott spoke about the suffering and resurrection of Jesus. Within these four days over forty people committed themselves to the risen Savior! We serve a powerful God!

"Seek and Ye Shall Find...."

Our "Seekers Weekend" is designed to answer the questions of those who are earnestly searching for Truth, and to exemplify the difference that Jesus makes in our lives. During the weekend of January 20-22, three people put their trust in Christ! One of these new brothers, Jon, meets regularly with Scott for a time of English lessons, Bible study, and discussion. It is great to watch Jón grow, and to see his enthusiastic involvement in our ministries here!

A O B O C

It's almost time for English classes to begin again! As I will now be the coordinator for the English program, I would appreciate your prayers. As always, we desire our English lessons to be a tool that will serve the refugees and draw them to our other activities.

Can you imagine leading a Vacation Bible School class once a week for a whole year? Well, that's what we do in our Kids Clubs, and it's actually fun! I'm more excited about our current group of kids than any other we've worked with so far. They are enthusiastic about everything, and their little "sponge-brains" soak up the Good News week after week!

REAL People

Sometimes we find it very difficult to communicate what is happening over here. We can cover so many things in a general way so that you can get an over-all picture of what goes on in the ministry here, but our minds think in specifics. For example: last Sunday our team gathered around Jack and Candy to pray fervently for them and their difficult situation. (Jack and Candy are the Chinese couple whom we've mentioned in past letters).


After pursuing every immigration possibility and being turned down repeatedly, they were about to receive their last chance to appeal to Canada. Please try to imagine yourself in this situation: You have not seen your only child for over three-and-a-half years, and no country in the world will grant you asylum. Your only option is to return to your communist homeland and, at best, spend several years in prison. You had dreamed for years of a reunited family living in freedom.

As I watched Jack and Candy sobbing and clinging to the missionary children during our prayer time, my heart broke. They are still waiting for the final answer from Canada. We just want to remind you that the refugees you minister to through your prayers and finances are real people with real heartaches and needs. Please pray for Jack and Candy and the many others in similar situations. We praise Jesus that Jack and Candy know and trust a sovereign and loving God!

Wiederschen...

Thank you for letting God use you! We feel so privileged to be an extension of our brothers and sisters at home. Please know that you are thought of often, and let us know how we can be specifically praying for you. We love you!

In the Vine,

Scott, Vicki, & 

Praise the Lord now for:

- * baptism of six new believers this month!
- * uncomplicated pregnancy thus far
- * continual fruit of the ministry

Please be praying for:

- * our finances
- * continued safe pregnancy
- * protection and growth for new Believers

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