



# THE WILLIAMS FAMILY

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TO THE PEOPLE OF MYANMAR

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**December 9, 2021** – The Christmas season provides some great opportunities to share the good news of Jesus Christ with a lost world. We especially rejoice in these open doors living in a Buddhist community with little understanding of the true meaning of Christmas. Here in Thailand, there is a general acceptance and curiosity about the holiday, and it's always a blessing to share more details about the coming of Christ to all who will listen.

**Christmas Outreach:** We will be hosting a Christmas party for our English students on the 20<sup>th</sup> and have several family groups to visit throughout the month. Please be in prayer for the Lord to prepare hearts to receive the Gospel message. It's also been a special blessing to have regular times of teaching at Grace Foundation. Many of the students there are eager to learn and talk about spiritual matters.

**Birthdays:** Our youngest daughter, Rachel, will turn 4 years old on the 12<sup>th</sup>. She is a joyful, precocious child; small of body, but big in communication. We praise God for her and marvel at how quickly time has passed since the day she was born. Speaking of births, Baby Brother will be arriving in the first part of January, and we are preparing for his entrance into this world. Anne and baby are doing well and we are thankful for your prayers!



**Church Consistency:** We're thankful for consistency in assembly and preaching over the last month, with a new family visiting for a couple of services. Please continue to pray that the Lord would add to our numbers and strengthen each member and family. We've enjoyed some precious times of fellowship lately and rejoice in God's goodness toward our small assembly. Our hearts are burdened for Khun Hom's husband Sai Seng, and we ask your continued prayers for his salvation.

**Publishing and Distribution:** I've already had some good conversations and gleaned a couple of heart questions to include in our new salvation testimony tracts in the Myanmar language. Thanks for your prayers for this project! Bibles and Scripture portions continue to be distributed throughout Myanmar, and the piles on this side of the border are getting low. We anticipate and pray for a resupply of Bibles in the New Year, and are so grateful for those that have sacrificed to print and ship God's Word around the world. Our family tract distribution continues with the kids and I traveling by bike to nearby neighborhoods.



**Ending 2021:** As 2021 draws to a close, we are asking the Lord to fill us with the knowledge of His will for the year ahead. It is rumored that the Myanmar border may open around the beginning of the New Year and we look forward to that day. At the same time, there are many logistical challenges with travel due to on-going Covid-

19 restrictions, vaccinations and testing. We pray for wisdom as we press forward with outreach to people groups from Myanmar.



Thank you for your continued love and care for our family! We are especially grateful for extra communication and gifts given during this season. Your prayers are making a difference and we pray that God will return your investment an hundredfold. May your Christmas celebrations be filled with the wonder of God's love.

Rejoicing in Christ Jesus,

*Nat, Anne, Paul, Ellie, Rachel (and baby) Williams*