The Varney Family to the Philippines

Holding fast the Faithful Word

Ends of the Earth Mission

Dear Friends, Oct. 01, 2024

REGION

Greetings in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. In our last letter, I told you about Palawan's western coastal waters being trespassed by Chinese military ships. The Philippines has accepted military equipment from several friendly nations, including the U.S. and Germany, as well as helps and assurances should hostilities escalate. Nobody here wants to see war break out, obviously; much less with a repressive Communist super power nation. And so we continue to trust the Lord with our lives, our family, and our mission. Further, we continue to thank the Lord for our present freedoms in the Philippines.

OPPORTUNITY

One freedom that we presently have is the opportunity to distribute Bibles in a certain public school. We do have a Bible believing teacher inside of a particular school, who is working with us to accomplish this ministry. At present we need 150 King James Bibles. We are asking you to pray about this opportunity to put a Bible into the hands of 150 students, aged 12-17 years. Into each Bible will be placed a clear presentation of the gospel in English and Tagalog. As you know, college days are prime time for a young person to fix his / her belief system for life. Our goal is to reach them with the gospel now in their tender teenage years. Suitable Bibles are available to us for purchase at $12 each. I already have in place a reliable shipping partner in the state of Virginia who ships directly to the Philippines. If you have any questions, contact me directly at the email address in the CONTACT US box at the bottom of this page.

CHURCH

Since our last letter, our church has marked its 21st anniversary. In all these years, the church has possessed the land rights, but never owned the property title. We have been working through the legalities, and are finally nearing the end of the long process to obtain the title to our land. Please pray that it will be finalized soon.

We continue to invest ourselves with our teachers and preachers, and rejoice in their expanding influence in all evangelistic and teaching opportunities.

HOME

Our "little DJ" has quickly grown into a robust 15 year old who loves to sing, read his Bible, and write. Please pray for his adoption process which is currently stalled due to some difficult requirements. We also ask your continued prayers for our newly-weds John and Hannah, as well as three other newly-wed couples in the church. Tess and I remain committed to our mission, as do our children. Thank you for your sacrifices of support and prayers on our behalf.

Sincerely,
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