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Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

As we reflect on 2024, our hearts overflow with gratitude for your faithful partnership in our ministry here in Thailand. This year has been filled with significant transitions, challenges, and countless evidences of God's faithfulness.

January began with bittersweet goodbyes as we concluded our time in the States, where we had been blessed with "Adventure," our temporary home-on-wheels, generously provided by our in-laws. During this time, we also experienced the loss of my grandmother, though we praise God for how my mother stood firm in her Christian faith during the Buddhist funeral ceremonies.

February marked our return to Thailand, where we were immediately embraced by the familiar warmth – both from the 90°F heat and from our Thai community! Our children demonstrated remarkable resilience during the transition, and we quickly began the process of resettling in our beloved Thailand.

The spring months brought both challenges and victories. After viewing 16 different houses, God provided our family with the perfect home in April. We weathered some health challenges, including a trying time when both my wife and I fell ill with a stomach virus. During this difficult period, our children showed incredible maturity and care for our family.

One of the year's major highlights came in **August** when God provided a building for Khao Dee Baptist Church (KDBC) in Korat. The transformation of this space into a house of worship has been amazing to witness. Our first official service in September was particularly encouraging, with eight guests attending our English service, including two unbelievers.

Throughout **the fall**, we've seen steady growth in our ministry. A particularly memorable moment was in October when we hosted 60 people for a joint fellowship with Surin Baptist Church, with 27 members traveling three hours by train to join us. We've also been encouraged by individual stories of God's work, like the high school senior in Lamphun who found Christ through an internet search and has since led two friends to the Lord.

November and December have brought their own blessings, including a memorable Thanksgiving celebration where God miraculously provided three turkeys through a generous store owner. We've also witnessed His provision, such as the recent provision of funds for my mother Pian's roof repairs.

Looking ahead to 2025, we ask for your continued prayers for:

- The growth and impact of Khao Dee Baptist Church
- Our ongoing outreach efforts in Korat
- New believers
- Wisdom in discipling and teaching
- Our children's continued adaptation to life in Thailand
- The salvation of more Thai people who are seeking truth

Your partnership in prayer and support has made all of this possible. Every victory, every new believer, every step forward in our ministry bears the fingerprints of your faithful support and prayers.

In Christ's Service,

From our family to yours, we wish you a blessed Christmas and a joy-filled New Year. May God continue to use us all for His glory in the coming year.



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