



The Smiths - Serving in Cambodia

January 31, 2018

Dear Ministry Partners,

It is truly a blessing to be able to write you once again and share some important prayer requests. As we come to the end of the first month of 2018, we are once again reminded of how quickly time passes and that if we plan to do anything for Christ and for the lost, then we must do it without delay.

This year we have decided on a two-word "theme" for our church – *Much More*. *Much More*, because I believe there is much more that our church can do to influence our community for Christ. And *Much More*, because God's supply and His power to accomplish that work is much more than most of us realize. Pray for us this year as we seek to make a greater impact on our area with the gospel, and bring forth much more fruit to the glory of God!

Often we have asked that you help pray for Sara's sisters to marry Christians. Well, we are much closer to having an answer of prayer! God is always good, and He answers prayer! **Suong, the second oldest of Sara's sisters, and Marcellos, a U.S. citizen, are looking forward to getting married next year.** The two met while we were away on furlough. We are very happy for Suong! Marcellos is here in Phnom Penh now. **Please pray especially for us this Saturday as we will be having a Cambodian style engagement ceremony for them.** We desire to honor Christ in this, and we know that there will be quite a few unsaved guests.

Also, we would appreciate your prayers for a **young lady named Sophea**. Sophea came to church for a while a couple of years ago, then just stopped. She was in church again last Sunday with her baby girl. **Pray that she keeps coming and that her husband will come with her. Neither are saved.**

Thank you for your faithfulness in praying for us and supporting this ministry to the people of Cambodia. And we especially wish to express our thanks for all the Christmas gifts sent last month. May God bless each of you for your help and for being so kind and generous!

Love in Christ,

Ron & Sara Smith

Prayer Requests

To trust in Christ:

- Bo-tee & her father
- Sara's father
- Srey Tuit's mother
- Tho's family

To grow in Christ:

- Srey Tuit
- Tee
- Tho
- Loke
- Saran
- Jan Tha

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Srey Tuit and her mother



Jan Tha (on far right) comes every Sunday



Picture from Thursday prayer meeting