

Newsletter Report of Ministry in Cambodia.
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Report Working Ministry in Phnom Penh Cambodia

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Hello our brothers and Sisters from Phnom Penh Cambodia! How are you today? I hope you & your family are doing fine. For myself & Family, We are doing very well. I pray that you can remember us in your prayer. And thru your prayer, we can save a lot of lives in Jesus. Thank you so much for all your supporting for our Ministry in Cambodia & Please continue to pray for our ministry what we are doing in our country as well. I am very appreciated for all your Help & Support. May the Lord Jesus bless you all, our brothers and sisters, for what you are guys doing for the Lord's ministry...Amen!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ! For the part one of newsletter, We're taking about the ministry what we're doing in Phnom Penh. The ministry we serve God in Phnom Penh has three areas. Please help take a looking below all the activities that I am going to report to you (Brothers and Sisters)... I hope you guys enjoy it...

Ministry in Cambodia

For the Ministry in Cambodia, I have been working here with the Lord ministry about almost 10 years now. So after I graduated from Thailand, I came back to serve the Lord here in my country. For the ministry that I have been working is called "**Well of Life Projects**". So I'm not the "**Non-Government Organization**" Called **NGO**, I just using the name "Well of Life Projects". This name didn't register in Government yet, I just use this name to be called for the Lord ministry for what we doing for God ministry only. Thanks.

To serve the Lord almost 10 years in Phnom Penh Cambodia. I have learned many things. First thing, I learned the word (Trust and Believed in Him). For serving God here I have a big TRUST, I trust in God's provision because I'm not working for anything else. I am working only for ministry of the Lord. I didn't have salary for Organization paying for me for what I have been working here, So I have only few friends who trusting and believing in me for what I am doing for serving our Lord in my Country. They are helping me (gave supports to me for monthly) for myself to live in Phnom Penh for serving God ministry in my Country. But however, for living a life in Phnom Penh is very expensive, it costs a lot of money Because Phnom Penh is Capital City in Cambodia. Everything is expensive here. Anyways, for 9 years almost 10 years I trusted and believed in Lord, I believed that if He is using me for His Kingdom He will provide what I need for. Thank you Jesus, He is good God, He always answers my prayer and provides what I need for my living life here and His ministry in Cambodia. So this is what I learned about the words (Trusted and Believed in Him). Thanks.

For the second thing for what I learned is (Waiting for God's time) for 9 years, I have been working with three different areas in Phnom Penh City called (**Slum area**). I have been working in that three areas for 4-5 days per week. So because I'm not the NGO I have no name to be registered legally in Government, I have to be careful how I represent myself, I had contacted to Church Pastors or Church Leaders, Explaining to them about who I am and what I want. So I just want to help and working with the church Pastors or church Leaders only sharing Good news about Jesus Christ, And after having someone believed in Christ in those areas, I contacted Pastors and Leaders to pray and take that person to their church nearby. After I explained that, the church Pastors and Leaders they allowed me to work with them. The reason I was doing this because I didn't want to have problems with

them later on, better I talked with them first. So far I have started working without being worried anything. For sharing God's ministry in Slum Areas, I have strategy in five steps to success this. Thanks.

For first step is, I visited families in those area to be friend to them. Show what I have to those people that, I want to be friend with them and called them friends. **For second step**, Try to build more relationship by visiting them. Opened my heart and listen carefully to what they said and they will also listen what I said in the same time. **For third step**, Tell them who we are in Jesus. Let the people that they are our friends have experience with our God's prayer, I believed for what we are doing about 9 years in Slum area with those people, they all have problems. Let them have experience with God's help thru our prayer... The power of prayer from the Lord will help them. More and more to our prayers with them... I wait for God's time... when the Holy Spirit move in their life, they will become a believer in the Lord. That's what I have experience in this area. **For fourth step**, after I helped someone to believe in Jesus I contacted church Pastors or Leaders that I contacted from the beginning then I let them come to meet with the new believer or took that person to those Church nearby. We were all happy to bring the lost souls back to God's Home. **For fifth step**, Visiting and follow up news believer... they are my friends, I can visit them all the time. Build more relationship and guide them and continue to pray for them. Thank you.

For these five steps that I used, sometimes is working very fast, or sometimes is working very slow... But what I have to understand is waiting for God's time... I have to understand about God's time for those people... So I mean that I have to continue to pray more for those people whom I have visited them. Thru my experience is, sometimes I used human wisdom to make things to be done faster but I failed. If I listen and waiting for God's time... everything is going smoothly... I am still using these five steps for the ministry in Phnom Penh Cambodia. So that's what I want to share with you about my experience to you, my dear Brothers and Sisters. Thanks.

I would like to show you more about Ministry what I am doing in Cambodia for the last 9 years. Please help take a look at the information below....

1. Ministry at the Old Garbage Dum:

This old garbage dump is in Phnom Penh City, this area is called (Stung Meanchey). This area has families living in the place around 250-350 families. The people are working every day to pick up trash for sale, this is their daily work. For the new garbage dump, there are people living in that area are about 300 families, for people who are living their life there is extremely hard life. So they work about 10-12 hours per days, they can pick up trash for sale only 25,000 – 30,000 Riels it means 5\$ - 7\$ per days only. They don't have enough money to cover for their family expenses because these poor people usually have a lot of children in each family.

I know this area by missionary team from Hong Kong. I worked with missionary team from Hong Kong worked in Cambodia, so I worked with them in 2005-2008. My friends from Hong Kong recommended me to share Good News for people in this slum area. God put this area in my heart...so later on after I came back from Thailand 2010, I came to serve the Lord in this Slum area. As I told you from the beginning, I have been using five steps for taking care of people in this slum area... about 9 years that I have been serving God here, I saw a lot of changes in this area. People understand more about God's work and day by day they became a believer in the Lord. So after people believed in the Lord, people there are living life is better than before...I saw a lot of miracle happened in new believer, God changed people's life to be better. So thru the man wisdom this things can't be happening, Only God can change person's heart... Thank you Jesus for His blessings to the poor people for having better life in His hands...Amen.

a). Building relationship between us and families by Visiting People in Stung Meanchey slum Area:







b). Build the Water filter system # 1 for Poor people in Slum Community:

Here is our Website of Water filter #1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZpCY6Z9mxM>





C. Activities, Sharing Good News and Helping poor people at Water filter # 1:





2. Ministry at the New Garbage Dump:

This area we called new garbage dump, the government move from the old garbage dump in Phnom Penh city to outside of city from 2009 until now. The people working every day to pick up trash for sale, this is their daily work. For the new garbage dump, there are people living in this area about 300 families, for people living life there is extremely hard life. So they are working about 10-14 hours per days, they can pick up trash for sale only (25,000 – 30,000 Riel) it mean (5\$ - 7\$) per days only. They don't have enough money for family expenses because these poor people usually have a lot of children in each family. So no one can help them with this situation, they have to live like this, a lot of families told me this, Some days they don't have enough money to buy food to feed the whole family. The parents made food for kids only, for the parents themselves they sleep with empty stomach. They hope tomorrow they can have more money to buy more food so they can eat too.

For the new garbage dump, we started working with these people from 2016- until now. I have been also using five steps sharing Good News to the families in Community too. We try to help them all what we can, We want to see these people have enough food to feed they own family and also they can send children to school as well But thru our human wisdom we can't make that things happening. Only the power of God can change this things become good. Please help us to pray for these people who are living at the new garbage dump as well too. Thru the power of the Lord Jesus, these families will have hope in their own life again by Jesus name...Amen!

a). Visiting and Building relationship with people at the New Garbage Dump:







b). Activities, Sharing Good News and Helping people at the New garbage dump:









3. Ministry at Ang Dong Slum Community, Water filter # 2:

The Ang Dong Slum Community is located outside of Phnom Penh city about 25-30 kilometers. This community have families who are living there about 2,500-3,000 families, this community have 4 villages, They call Zone A,B,C,D. The people who are living there are very poor because in the past these people did not live in that area, they all lived inside the City, Or we called (Slum in City). In 2002-2003, the rich people who have power and money confiscated their land in the city, after they took their land in the city they gave some lands (4m x 6m) Back to each family who own the land in the City, they took them very far away from Phnom Penh. As a result, those families needed to settle down at the new place without any work, any market, and even utilities that's why they were so poor and their life were hopeless. So that is the story of the people who are now living in Ang Dong Slum Community.

In 2015, I started working with the Community. I know this people have a lot of problems and they all are poor, I know a lot of people who didn't know about Jesus yet But just a small amount of families know Jesus. So I was using five steps of sharing Good News about Jesus to this Community. Everything was going very well there a lot of families became Christians and believed in Jesus and God helped them. In this community, there are a lot of children, they didn't go to school because their families have no money to send them to school.

In 2016, The "**Non-Government Organization**" called NGO came to this area working with the children and providing education to children in this community. And we have also been cooperating with the NGO organization to encourage families for sending their own children to school as well Because the NGO know that we try to helping families and change the people's life, that's the reason we're cooperating and working together as team and they know my working is doing God's work... they believed, all together we can change this community to have better life But what I believed, All together in God's way we can change this community have life to be changed in God's kingdom...Amen..!

a). Building relationship between us and families by Visiting People in Ang Dong slum Area:







b). Build the Water filter system # 2, at Ang Dong Slum Community:

Website Water filter #2: https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=13&v=eFlWS80aE-U





c). Activities, Share Good News and Helping people at Ang Dong Community:

1/. Sharing Story Jesus to Children & Gave Children food:











2/. Sharing Good News & Helping Poor Families:







**** Prayer Request:**

Hello brothers and Sisters in Christ. We have prayer request for newsletter for this part II. Thanks.

For the prayer is, I would like you to pray for our Water filter system #2 at Ang Dong Slum Community. This area we have built the water filter over 2 years now, we gave the clean water free for the poor people in this community. For our funds for supporting this project only 2 years. Now our fund is running out but we still continue to run this water filter system free for this community. This community are poor if we stop running cleaning drinking water, this community will have no cleaning drinking water again. For this water filter #2, is providing drinking water to this community around 25,000-30,000 people per day. We believe in God providing to this project again, So from every month from now on we need funds about **\$300** per month (*\$100 for the water place rental fee and \$200 for the Water supply fee charged from government*). So we will continue to help this area for Two more years, it means for 2 years we needs money around (**\$7,200**). Please help us for prayer for our needs situation for this water filter at Ang Dong slum community...

I hope Brothers and Sisters continue to help and pray for this project water system # 2 as well. To help the poor people at Ang Dong Community continue to have clean drinking water system again. Thank You.

May the Lord Jesus bless our brothers and sisters and family...Amen!

Here is my Family Picture
(*James&Malen my wife, Bella my daughter and father & mother in-law*)



Thank you so much for your support to our family and Ministry what we're doing in Cambodia!

Best Regards,
Blessings,
Puthree James Sann
Love in Christ.