

THE FILES FAMILY MISSIONARIES TO THAILAND

Dear friends, family, and supporting churches,

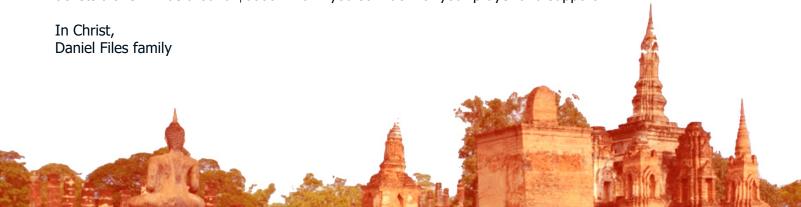
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Greetings from Thailand! In March we hosted a couple who came to Thailand for their survey trip. They stayed in our home for about a week and we were able to show them around some and try to answer some of their questions the best we could. The Cone family was a big help in assisting them as well. Please pray for the Jordan Nickell family as they are on deputation. He surrendered to come to Thailand after we visited his church while we were on deputation. It was a blessing to see them here and to see God moving in people's hearts to come to this needy country.

This month we were able to attend the first service of a brand new church that is opening up in Bangkok. That was exciting to be a part of that and reassured us of goals and dreams that we have of starting new churches in this country. We also helped another missionary in a town about an hour and half away paint a new building. This is his second church plant. We are excited to see what God will do in this city with this new church plant!

We have a young man in our church that has been bringing several visitors from his work with him the last couple of months. One particular young lady named Im has been coming every week even when he doesn't come. Please pray for her salvation.

We have applied for our missionary visa. I am being told there is no reason that it shouldn't get approved. We just have to wait for it to go through all of the different channels. Our education visa expires at the end of June. Please pray that our new visa will get approved before the end of June. In the past you could just go to a neighboring country and change your visa but now they have recently changed the rule and we must come back to our home country to change the visa. This is an unexpected trip and a big unexpected expense. We will fly home just long enough for the paperwork to get approved and pick up our new visas at the Thai Consulate in America, and then fly right back. Once we obtain this visa it will make it much easier for us to stay in Thailand and work as a missionary. If the Lord lays on your heart to help with the travel expenses and cost of changing the visa, then it would be a great help and blessing. Just the plane tickets alone will be around \$6000. Thank you so much for your prayer and support.



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