Our Dear Co-Workers in the Gospel,

Well we are back in the Philippines again after spending just over a month in Australia where we attended Jubab and Freya's wedding. What joy bubbles from our hearts to see our son married and to welcome Freya into our family. I can't help but wonder what God has prepared for them.



A few things are going on in our lives right now that we would value prayer for.



⇒ Debbie is working with Cjun and Aysa again, proof reading the Higaonon New Testament in

preparation for printing – they will work through until Saturday noon this week. This is taking longer than we expected and it could take another 3 weeks yet to see this completed. We will probably just be able to work on it one week per month due to other ministry demands that we have. Hoping it will be ready to publish in May. Please pray for this.

⇒ While Deb, Cjun and Aysa are working on the Higaonon NT, I am preparing for a Men's event that is taking place later this month in Lapoc. I heard this morning that there will be upwards of 300 men who will gather for the 3 days from March 28-30. I am so excited about this time and I am trusting the Lord to really be able to sow into the lives of these precious men. I will be the speaker at this event and will speak 6 times – Lord Willing \bigcirc .

→ Please pray for me as I prepare for this event and pray for the men who will attend.

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⇒ Another prayer point.



→ We are getting ready to send out another missionary family to live and work in the Lantud area. Their names are Rudy and Precy Dagsaan and they have a little boy, Luke. It is a mixed population area of mostly Higaonon people along with some Cebuano and also a good number of Muslim people. So the work will be cross cultural. Rudi and Precy have lived on the Higaonon/Muslim border for some years so are well prepared for this group of people that they will be going to reach.

→ We have been working in the Lantud area for about 10 years now, and there have been a lot of ups and downs, mainly downs 😕 - until Udi (our son-inlaw) and other evangelists on his team, started working there some 12 +months ago. And from the time Udi's team began working there, the work has looked up and a lot of people have been saved and become very keen for the gospel.

→ Udi and his team have been leaving to work there each Thursday at 3AM and not getting home until

midnight the following Saturday night. This has been very taxing on their families and is not sustainable in the long term.

→ So what we need now is to move a family in who can continue this work and disciple the existing believers, reach more people for Christ and then train disciples to reach out and plant more churches in their surrounding areas.

→ Wow! What a challenge for Rudi and Precy. Please pray for them as they prepare to move out. They are good to go and excited! Pray that God will use them to disciple this Lantud church to see them become a "sending church" to reach more people.

→ Currently we are looking for land in Lantud, in a central location where we can build a house on for them to live. Maybe this week we will find land that we can buy.

Well that is about it for now from Deb and I. Thank you to each one of you who have prayed for us and also sent support to enable us to function. How much God uses us, and you, and our Higaonon and Talaandig brothers and sisters here ---- to be a team --- to witnesses for Jesus in these needy areas here in the Philippines --- reaching the lost for Him and seeing all the glory come to Him.

Much Love, Paul and Deb