

Transforming Leaders in Asia

Dear Friend,

It always gives us great joy to share our news and prayer concerns with you for we know that you care about us. We consider ourselves privileged people as we continue to enjoy the goodness and kindness of God as well as his faithful people like you. Thank you for your sacrificial love and encouragement.

Family News

Spring semester is almost over. Dr. Lama will be done with his course requirement and next semester he'll be preparing for the comprehensive exam, which is pretty challenging. He'll surely appreciate your prayers. Asangla also will be taking comprehensive exam and audit some classes. Sonam will be graduating from 8th grade on June 3, 2004. After graduation she will be in Deerfield High School. Neema and Joshua will continue their schooling at Bannockburn school. Our children are doing excellent in their studies. We thank you for praying for them.

SUMMER MISSION TRIP TO INDIA



Dr. Lama is planning a summer mission trip to India (**June 19-July 12**). Since Asangla and kids have not been home for last four years, we are planning to go as a family. Children are looking forward to meeting their grand parents (Asangla's parents) and some of their cousins.

During this trip we will organize two training conferences where Dr. Lama will impart skills to young leaders on how to teach and preach the Word of God and Asangla will teach the basic skills on pastoral counseling. During this training and on other occasions we will be meeting some of the church leaders to plan our future ministry projects. We will greatly appreciate your partnership. As the Lord leads, you may also participate in this mission venture in the following ways:

- By coming and help us in the training programs at Gauhati and Itanagar (let us know latest by May 25th).
- By praying for the ministry of the Holy Spirit through those who are going on this trip.
- By praying for the TLA ministry, its Board of Directors, and their families as they all seek to be a blessing to the Churches in northeast India.
- By praying for Church leaders from Arunachal, Assam and other parts of northeast India.
- By praying for the financial need.

In closing, let us encourage ourselves with the words from Jude: ***“But you, dear friends, build yourselves up in your most holy faith and pray in the Holy Spirit. Keep yourselves in God's love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life.”*** (vv.20-21). May the great message of Easter rejuvenate you with power and passion to serve Him.

Blessings in Jesus.
**Dr. Lama, Asangla,
Sonam, Neema, and Joshua**