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## **Transforming Leaders in Asia**

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Dear friends in Christ

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Through this letter we share with you with great joy what God has been doing in our lives and how your powerful prayers have touched the very heart of our Lord to manifest His rich blessings in our lives here in Mundelein, Illinois.

We are glad to inform you that A.K. has begun PH.D in the Old Testament at Trinity International School. He has already completed summer courses on Theological German and now he is preparing for the Fall. We are grateful to God for the Scholarships grants from JSM and the First Baptist Church of Birmingham toward this; however, we still need more support toward our living expenses. Thank you for praying for him and his studies. Please continue to seek God's special enabling as the academic requirements are overwhelming.

Our children also got admitted in Hawthorn schools: Sonam in Jr. High; Neema in Middle School; and Joshua in Elementary North. Their classes have begun from August 23 and they all seem to be pleased with their new teachers. Please continue to pray for our children as they adjust to the new schools.

Since Asangla could not find a job, looking to God in faith for all our needs, we decided that she should pursue MA in Counseling & Psychology at Trinity. This degree will enable her to be a licensed practitioner. We are glad to inform you that she has been accepted into the program beginning this Fall. She does not have any scholarship; however, being a spouse of a student she will get 50% discount on her tuition. Please pray that the Lord will meet all our needs and enable Asangla to fulfill her heart's desire.

In the month of July A.K. lost his oldest brother in India. He was a Buddhist. AK could not go for his funeral. His brother's grieving wife and two children do not know the Lord and thus desperately need our prayers.

As we equip ourselves for the benefit of our future ministry in India we continue to seek your prayers for us. We deeply appreciate and value your love and prayers for our family. We are grateful to God for He has met many of our financial and other needs again and again through His faithful people. May the good Lord of Heavens open the doors of his treasure to reward you for your faithfulness to Him. Do let us know sometime how we can pray for you too.

Sincerely yours in Christ,