

# Thailand Missions The Burdette Family

Sent out by Lighthouse Baptist Church, Walkersville Md.



NEWS LETTER

But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed. James 1:25

JULY/AUGUST

## God is Amazing

Everything is going well with the transition at the church. We have had fairly good attendance and some visitors as well. We invite people to church and sometimes someone we have never met comes instead. It is great when a visitor shows up out of the blue that we have never made contact with. It is amazing the way God works. We must be faithful to do His will.

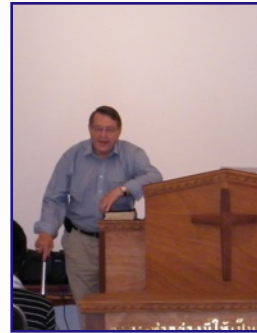
He is always faithful to His promises.



Many of our visitors are children, which is great. Friends inviting friends is a good sign that the people are interested, but more so that they are not ashamed of Christ and they believe. We have had several people step up to teach which has worked well and is Very encouraging.

Tuesday nights have been a great time of worship, learning and fun as the youth group gets together. The youth really look forward to this night and we have had many first time visitors come on tuesday night as well.

Please pray that Udon Thani Baptist church will be obedient to Gods call as He leads them in reaching out to the surrounding areas with the gospel of Christ.



## Gods Word In Issan

A few weeks ago I received a phone call from Bro. Ron Myers asking if I would like to receive some books of John and Romans in the Issan language. So we made plans to meet for church services on that coming Sunday. When I picked Ron up I asked some questions and found out that he took part in the Thai Bible translation that we now use. I asked him if he would speak to the people about the translation work and he excepted . He did a great job and was able to talk to the people in their everyday language of Issan which was impressive for them to hear a foreigner speak Isaan that well. Bro. Ron was a missionary in Thailand for over 30 years. The beginning of the book teaches about creation and how God can be seen in everything from the smallest thing to the farthest reaches of the universe. This is a great way to introduce God to Thai people because they do not know who God is or how this world was made. I asked the church last week how they liked the book in Issan and they responded in a positive way. I just received a shipment of 100 books in the Issan Language this week. Thanks, Bro. Ron.

Prayer request

- ◆ Udon Thani Baptist Church outreach
- ◆ Khon Kaen Baptist Church outreach
- ◆ Please pray for Fones salvation

Special Thanks

Thanks First Baptist Littlestown PA. for choosing to designate your VBS offering to Thailand Missions

Special Needs

Visas \$1100.00

It has been a privilege to work here in Thailand, and I am so thankful for each church that has helped us to do the work here. Though we have been here for over 4 years already, I believe that now is the time I have been preparing for. Everyday has been a part of the training that I have needed to reach the Thai people. Language and culture are a big part of the training but equally important are the contacts that we make. This is true in every nation in the world. We can not build without a foundation and what we build will not be stable if that foundation is not strong. I can't say it is easy and I've got a good ways to go, but I can say that a stronger vision has been given to me for this country. I'm excited about the future. Thanks again for your support of Thailand Missions. God bless.

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Burdette July	Finacial Report	General
American Baptist Assoc, Texarkana, Tx		\$200.00
Brentwood MBC Crockett Ca.		\$100.00
Calvary MBC Silsbee Tx.		\$100.00
Cedar Springs BC Russell Springs KY		\$90.00
Central BC, Bedford TX		\$75.00
Colonial BC		\$150.00
Fairhaven BC-Mesquite, TX		\$200.00
Faith BC North Little Rock AR		\$150.00
Faith MBC Des Arc AR		\$384.00
Faith MBC Concord CA		\$151.88
FBC Of Inwood WV		\$100.00
First BC of Littlestown Pa		\$104.00
Greater Heights Baptist Fellowship		\$240.00
Landmark MBC Hesperia CA		\$262.00
Landmark MBC Stockton Ca		\$283.00
Lighthouse BC Pollock Pines Ca		\$100.00
Maplewood BC-Martinsburg, WV		\$190.98
New Home West BC, Wetumpka, AL		\$100.00
North Little Rock MBC		\$50.00
Oak Grove MBC Benton AR		\$300.00
Oaklawn BC Hot Springs AR		\$200.00
Sixty-Fifth St BC Little Rock AK		\$120.00
Skyline MBC, Madison AL		\$125.00
Sublett Rd BC-Arlington, TX		\$50.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$3,825.86</b>
Faith MBC Concord CA(Tracey)		\$50.00

Burdette	Finacial Report	General
Bayside BC Santa Cruz Ca.		\$110.00
Brentwood MBC Crockett Ca.		\$100.00
Brush Creek MBC Leola AR		\$50.00
Calvary MBC Silsbee Tx.		\$100.00
Cedar Springs BC Russell Springs KY		\$80.00
Central BC, Bedford TX		\$75.00
ED Taylor New Market MD		\$200.00
Fairhaven BC-Mesquite, TX		\$200.00
Faith BC North Little Rock AR		\$200.00
Faith MBC Concord CA		\$153.91
FBC Of Inwood WV		\$100.00
Greater Heights Baptist Fellowship		\$240.00
Landmark MBC Hesperia CA		\$66.00
Liberty Baptist Church Jennings La.		\$140.00
Lighthouse MBC Pollock Pines Ca		\$100.00
Maplewood BC-Martinsburg, WV		\$221.70
New Home West BC, Wetumpka, AL		\$200.00
Sixty-Fifth St BC Little Rock AK		\$120.00
Skyline MBC, Madison AL		\$125.00
Sublett Rd BC-Arlington, TX		\$50.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$2,631.61</b>
Faith BC of Littlestown PA VBS offering		\$563.20
Faith MBC Concord CA(Tracey)		\$50.00