

GROW Newsletter

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A Word from the President

It is "Faa time" again! Please take time to read this update. You will be encouraged to read about the progress of the children in the G.R.O.W. home. You will also find about Faa's upcoming trip to the U.S. We're all excited about that. If you want a chance to have come to your church, please e-mail me at itrindade@grow-worldwide.com. Warning: her calendar is filling up quickly already. Faa is a "faabulous" speaker with a compelling story. You will NOT want to miss her. She is also willing to come to parties and small group gatherings. There are a lot of items from Thailand that she can make available to sell in those parties. Purses, ladies, "faabulous" purses!!! Many of you should have received a letter recently from G.R.O.W. This letter contained a very important piece of paper - your support renewal card. Please make sure you fill it out and send it back to us ASAP. Thank you! Also, pray for Jeana Harley (a G.R.O.W. board member) and her family as they embark on a trip to SE Asia, which will culminate with a visit and ministry to our children in the G.R.O.W. home at the end of July.

For the least of these,

Pastor Ivanildo C. Trindade
G.R.O.W. President

May-June 2011

Hello Friends,

Greetings from Chiang Mai Thailand!

The months of May-June are very SUPER - EXCITED for all of my children, as they get ready to go back to school. What a joy to see our new girls with their beautiful faces, waiting to start school, with their smiles as bright as the Thailand sun.



Thank You!



New girls

First of all, I would like to say big thank you very much for your prayers for my new children. In the first week it is so much excitement and fun for all my children but they also need to be watched closely as there is so many new things they need to learn, especially the new little girl. I lost count of the times we cried together because of the abuse that she suffered in the past. When I tried to teach her to pray for healing from our Lord could never do that and it was always a difficult time.

All my children pray for her as well. I was so moved by all my children helping each other and sharing the love of God together. After two weeks my little girl was able to pray and ask God to help her, healing her body and heart. She has a big problem staying focused but we, her G.R.O.W. are all helping her and with her all the way. Now she is better each day. She is healthier and loves to pray, sing, and she dreams of becoming a well known singer of Christian music, not a bad dream for a child who suffered as much as she did already.

My older new girl, what I have to say I mean she so HAPPY with the new uniforms. I took all the children to buy the new uniforms in the company. All the children are holding their own uniforms with happy face ☺. My older girl, Ami, she hug the uniforms and had big smile. I can still see her face today. I can feel and touch about her heart how much she in love and ready for school because she never got uniforms this is first time in G.R.O.W. home she got brand new!! I would love to thank you thank you and thank you very much for your support to the children so they can have good education for the future.

Health of the Children

This time in Thailand there is a lot of rain. In Chiang Mai, where we live, is raining everyday and I love it so much. My children got sick 5 kids in the same time, and I am praying to God I do not sick I cannot sleep no matter what!

When my children got sick with fever I was hurt and I am asking God why I couldn't take all the sick my children have? I have to keep some

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of my children home, no school for a few days and took them to hospital. Now all my children are healthy.



Ami's Documents for School

I don't remember how many times I have to ran for Ami's documents between Chiang Mai and the village she comes from. The process in her mountain village is so opposite to the one in Chiang Mai. But at the last minute God intervened and it is all good. The roads to get to Ami's village are so hard and her old school no staff working there. One of stories the director of school told me on my last conversation on the phone is "School have computer but do not have printer and cannot copy have to go to the city to print out." Can you please wait for a week? I have been waiting and we got the document in Chiang Rai city I took all the kids with me on my last trip and we all so happy for Ami and she was happy with much tear as well as all the other children.

Property of G.R.O.W. Thailand

I have been praying and looking the property of G.R.O.W. Thailand the right place for the children can be kid and live like home. I believe I have located a couple of potential sites for the future location of G.R.O.W. in Thailand. In order to raise support and prayers for this big project, I will be in the U.S. from the middle of August through October 22, 2011. Please contact Pastor Ivanildo if you would like for me to come visit

your church or church group.

Another purpose of my time in the U.S. is to raise funds for our new home in Cambodia. If you received the latest financial statements/letters from G.R.O.W., you should have read about our plans to start a home for children at risk in Cambodia. Please pray about your involvement and if you would like to contribute to this, please mark your contribution "Cambodia."

For the sake of the Children,

Faa.