



DJD CAMBODIA MINISTRIES, INC.

MISSION STATEMENT: PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR MINISTRIES AND PROJECTS IN CAMBODIA TO IMPROVE THE SPIRITUAL, EDUCATIONAL, ECONOMIC, AND PHYSICAL CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE OF CAMBODIA

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2013 - THREE UPCOMING MISSION TRIPS

JANUARY

Bryans and Brenda Fitzhugh made a trip to Cambodia January 10-28, 2013. The purpose of the trip was to lead training conferences and meet with DJD operations managers for updates on DJD projects. There were two training conferences in Battambang and one in Siem Reap. The first conference in Battambang was attended by 27 pastors and church leaders. The training was based on the SBC January Bible Study – The Greatest Week in History- the story from the book of Luke of Jesus last week on earth. They were encouraged to plan worship services that would teach their congregations about Jesus last week and leading up to a Easter Sunday celebration. The second training in Battambang was a women's conference that was attended by 30 women. The training was based on the Greatest Commandment. The sessions were on loving God with all your heart through worship; loving God with all your soul through prayer; loving God with all your mind through study and loving others as you love yourself through serving them. The training in Siem Reap was attended by 40 pastors, women and youth. The training was *Making Radical Disciples* which was written by Dr. Dan Lancaster, a missionary in Thailand.

The DJD Operations Managers continue to do a great job of managing our projects.

- Sineath translates materials that we use in our trainings. He also manages our Cambodian bank account and provides monthly reports to the DJD directors. Sineath also is the accountant for Cambodian Children's Camps.
- Ravy manages the Battambang training center where our training conferences are held. The center also provides housing for students who have come in from the countryside to attend high school or a university. She also sells cosmetic products.
- Chek manages our farm, equipment and rice warehouse. Check also pastors the churches at Phnom Sampouv and Kampouv.
- Bunthoeun manages our water well projects. He also provided transportation for Bryans and Brenda during their January trip. He pastors a church in Phnom Penh and leads a group of churches in Cambodian Churches Association (CCA).
- Our sewing operation is supervised by Pastor Sokorn. His daughter is the manager and trainer for the operation. He is the pastor of Bror Keab church and president of the Battambang Association.

CAMBODIAN CULTURAL CENTER IN SIEM REAP

Because Bryans and Brenda were delayed a couple of days in departing Cambodia because of full flights, we learned more about Cambodian culture by visiting the Cambodian Cultural Center in Siem Reap. There were different programs that showed the groups that had ruled in Cambodia.



APRIL / MAY

On April 20, Rindo Nong and his wife will leave for Cambodia to begin making church visits with DJD Operations Manager Bunthoeun. On April 25, John Forsythe will join them for a one and one half day pastor conference in a town in southwestern Cambodia on the Gulf of Thailand. The conference teaching will be on The Call to Follow Christ. The day after the conference they will travel to Battambang for meetings with the DJD Operations Managers, Sunday worship church visits and a two and one half day pastor, church leader, women and youth conference. The conference teaching will be on the book of Philippians. Upon leaving Battambang, for the next four days, the team will visit villages in 5 provinces in northwest and north central Cambodia. In the villages, they will distribute rice and present the gospel. They will also teach and encourage the church members to follow up with the villagers who have received rice and heard the gospel. On Monday and Tuesday of the team's second week in country they will lead a one and one half day pastor training conference on The Call to Follow Christ. Following the conference, the team will travel through two more provinces, visiting villages, distributing rice, sharing the gospel, teaching and encouraging church members to follow up with those who have received rice and heard the gospel. Following a day of shopping in Phnom Penh, they will leave for the US, arriving back on Saturday, May 11.

Bunthoeun (lower right) and local pastor (upper left) distribute rice and present the gospel.



Thanks to the support of two of DJD partner churches, First Baptist of Hydro, Oklahoma, and Agape Baptist of Fort Worth, and our generous individual donors the team and conferences expenses for the April/May mission trip are covered. DJD is still in need of funds to pay for the rice that will be distributed. The team anticipates distributing 10 tons of rice at a cost of \$500 per ton. There are 20 sacks of rice in a ton. A sack is split among three families, providing food for 60 families. A ton of rice will feed the average family for two months. If you would like to donate for rice, please mail your check to DJD Cambodia Ministries PO Box 100362 Fort Worth, Texas 76185, or make your donation using Pay Pal by going to our website djdcambodiaministries.org.

JULY

In July, Mike McQuitty will be leading a team of college students. They will lead English camps for a week in Battambang province. They will also lead conversational English activities with youth and university students. Mike asks his students to raise their own support for their airline ticket and other expenses. If you would like to support a college student for this trip, please send your designated gift to DJD.

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER

On September 19, Bryans and Brenda Fitzhugh will be leading a team which will include members from our partner church, University Baptist Fort Worth. The team will be leading training conferences for pastors, church leaders and women in Battambang and several other locations. The team will also lead English camps for children and conversational English activities for youth and university students. The team will also have the privilege of distributing school uniforms and supplies in several villages. DJD has negotiated a \$5 cost for the uniforms. The cost for supplies is \$7. The cost to support a student is \$12 and may be done by sending a designated gift to DJD.



DONATIONS

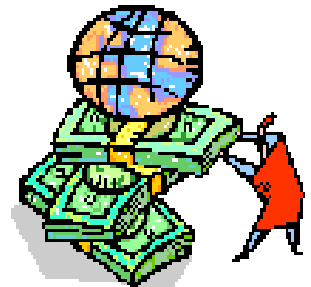
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- by making a Pay Pal donation:

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- by using Ambit Energy as your electric provider:
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Donations may be made either undesignated or designated. The projects currently in need of support are:

- Rice for distribution by April/May mission team.
- Support for college students on July mission team
- School uniforms and supplies for village children.

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PROJECT UPDATES:

TRAINING CENTER PAVILION

The pavilion at the training center had become too small for the number of pastors and leaders who were coming for training. Also, the thatch roof was in need of repair, drainage at the center needed to be improved, as did the road into the center. Thanks to generous donations at the end of the year these improvements were made in January. The new pavilion is about 4 times the size of the old one. It is a metal structure which will give it a long life. The road and drainage improvements have also been made.



Left: the pavilion that has been replaced. Right: new pavilion

WATER WELLS

DJD Operations Manager Bunthoeun is arranging to have water wells dug in two villages. The villagers know that the village church has these wells dug with funds provided by DJD. The wells are a tangible expression of God's love and provision for the village.

SEWING OPERATION

The DJD sewing operation that trains ladies to sew so they can do piece meal work for clothing manufacturers from Thailand has been so successful, DJD is expanding it. DJD purchased five more regular sewing machines and one specialty stitching machine. Two ladies have been trained to sew and are making Cambodian hats. The other machines will begin working as soon as the ladies are trained.



RICE DISTRIBUTION

At Christmas time, rice was distributed by two village churches. When the rice was distributed, the Christmas story of Jesus birth was told. This story and the gift of rice demonstrated God's love for the people.

BIBLE DISTRIBUTION

Thanks to a generous designated gift more Bibles and song books were given to the pastors for use in their churches. DJD was also able to give every lady who came to the women's conference in January a Bible, if they did not have one. DJD has funds remaining to meet future Bible and song book needs.