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SAWI LEFT HOLDING THE EMPTY RICE BAG?



Do you remember our missionary Sawi, who was baptized during our trip a couple of years ago? His daughter was also baptized and she was blind. I believe I sent pictures of her holding on to his shirttail following him back up the trail to the village.

Sawi was working with another one of our missionaries, Alex. We call him Dr. Alex because he does a lot of medical work in the villages where he works. Sawi was bringing home rice to his family and the villagers saw him walking through the village with rice on his shoulders and they would all come to his hut to ask him for a bowl of rice. Pretty soon his bag would be empty and he wouldn't have any rice to feed his family. He was feeding the village instead.

He tried bringing rice in during the night so they wouldn't see him, but they would come and ask for rice anyway. He finally gave up and told Alex he had to move. So about one year ago Sawi moved from Occidental Mindoro to Oriental Mindoro. He

actually ended up moving to the backside of Mt. Halcon on the Eastern side. A group of Canadians (*they came when we were there 2 years ago*) just went to the Philippines to hold crusades. There are 18 of them and they divided up into 6 groups. One of the groups with Pastor Brian Hawes and Pastor Jorge Panghulan went to a village in Oriental Mindoro by the Calapan Resort and lo and

behold, **Sawi was in the village!!! He has 48 people ready for baptism!!!** He has also trained two other of the villagers to help him with preparing people for baptism, so Pastor Jorge was happy to add 3 missionaries to our PMM list again. We are so happy to have Sawi back in our PMM family.

Alex left on Monday with two Mangyan helpers for another trip to Mt. Halcon. They arrived on Wednesday. There are several villages up there who have requested Alex to come to their village and bring the gospel to them. They are also asking for churches to be built. We have since found out (*you can read about the trip that a group (not related to us) took to Mt. Halcon during the time we were experiencing a typhoon when we were at Ulasan at:*

www.geocities.com/Yosemite/Trails/7933/halcon.htm

That the ridge that is very narrow and very steep on both sides near the top of Mt. Halcon is called Knife's Edge. Pictures can be seen at:

http://www.pbase.com/amoc/halcon_pictures

One of the pictures is of the Knife's Edge- You can double click on the pictures to enlarge them. We have two new missionaries going to Lubang Island, which is the first island where we had evangelistic meetings. I have attached a picture of the couple, Nel Dave Enriquez and his wife.



Nel Dave is 23 years old and a graduate of AUP Naga View College. His wife is 19 years old, has finished high school and is four months pregnant.

I've also attached a picture of Lunito, another one of our new Mangyan missionaries. He already started his missionary work in Bayabasan. It is located in the mountain that will take 6 hours walk to reach. Lunito is in the middle, our new (previously a missionary) supervisor for all the missionaries, Jun, and on the right is Dr. Alex.



We have another new missionary Jun and his wife who are working in the Anduyanan, Ulasan area.

There are also two more missionaries that Pastor Jorge told Jack about. I don't know their names but I do know they are going to a village close to Ulasan, called Hinugasan. I believe they are a brother and sister team.

We have been earnestly praying that the Lord would send missionaries willing to go into the mountains and we now have 13 missionaries!!!! I say PRAISE THE LORD!!!!!!

I've attached a picture of another missionary who is going to Anduyanan, but I don't have a name for him. Jorge didn't give us this mans name yet.



We are very disappointed that we can't go to the Philippines for graduation of five of our students from AUP and one from Lipa Academy.

Jack needs a new passport and we have been waiting for his new job to have the money to renew it. He still doesn't have his new job and we just found out that the least amount of time to renew a passport here in our area is 3 – 4 weeks, and we

need to leave a week from Monday. We certainly do wish it had been in the Lord's plan for us to go, but He knows best and we will have to wish



papers and encyclopedias to the Philippines. I mailed 9 mailbags last week and have 5 more ready to go. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

Chad is really enjoying his new job. Chad and family are enjoying "camping" in a motorhome that was given to them. Matt has purchased a 24-foot boat and will start living on it in April. This will save him a lot of rent money!! Cherri and Keith are hoping to move to a farm soon. They will be "farm sitting" for a family who own the property but don't want squatters taking over. This will give Keith a chance to fulfill his dream of farming. Wes turns 7 years old today.

I believe that is all the news from here. Just had to share about all our missionaries. We are so pleased with the answer to our prayers. There are about 1500 villages on Mindoro Island alone that are unreached. So we still need more missionaries. We have confidence the Lord will provide the means as He has provided the missionaries.

Love and prayers, Jan & Jack