

Ibu Ie In opened her house, not only to us, but to our students, too. Our plan, from the beginning, was to find a small hall, and invite all our students to a meeting with us. Well, that's exactly what Ibu Ie In had, for her house was also a hairdressing school. She immediately agreed



TIM & RACHELE WITH PASTOR PECO, IBU IE IN AND THE AREA HEAD.

to our using it, and even had one of her assistants personally take all of the invitations to our students. On top of this, who should be visiting her house when we arrived, but the area head. He enthusiastically greeted us, and promised to give our meeting the necessary official approval.

The southern most part of Sumatra is a beautiful coastal area in sight of Krakoutou island where Krakoutou volcano exploded at the end of last century. It is populated by not only Sumatranese people, but also people from many areas of Java who moved there with government encouragement. Statistically it is an Islamic area, but there are many Catholics, Protestants and Buddhists, and the spiritual atmosphere is very open and free. We were always greeted

God answers desperate prayer!

Financial situation straightened out! -Children sing on TV! -Thousands of souls being reached in schools!

From Marc & Lydia, Philippines

Dear Dad & Maria & Family,

GBY! We really love you and pray for you always, especially for your safety and health! WLY!

We just wanted to write and share some of the victories & battles, and also of the great & mighty things the Lord has done for us.

Well, about 2 months ago our Home was in a real bind financially and going farther in the hole every day. Our main supporters could no longer help us, and we were doing everything possible that we could think of to climb out of the hole, but nothing was working very well.

Lydia had been out FFing 3 to 5 nights a week, but she really wasn't meeting any real "kings" and was getting worn-out in the process. But as you said in the Letter **KIDS**, Dad, there are 3 reasons your needs aren't being met: 1)-you're disobedient, 2)-you're wasteful, or 3)-you're not desperate. Ours was number 3! GBY!

So we had desperate prayer & cried out and asked the Lord to give us a real king to free us so we could do **His Work**! And PG, Jesus never failed! About a week later Lydia met J., a very wealthy Chinese businessman.

She met him as she was walking out of a hotel where another fish had just given her the brush off, and she was almost in tears. J. offered her and another sister that was with her a ride. So they accepted, and he took them to lunch.

She shared about our financial situation with him -- that we needed our rent the next day. He said, "Sure, I'll help you. How much?" She told him, and he said he'd have it the next day. So the next day she saw him again and he helped with the rent plus more! GBY! She sees him every week now and he always helps generously! TLL! And what an answer to specific, desperate prayer!

At this time also the Lord gave Lydia two other fish from outside the country, who have been helping via the mail and turned out to be real kings! One got saved already! TTYJ! -PTL! ... -GBY!

The children have really been an asset lately and become more of an asset every day! The 4 older children (Daniel-13, Timothy-12, Deborah-10 & Shalam-9) have been singing the past 2 months on 12 different TV variety shows, and the exposure has really helped our busking, witnessing, provisioning & everything. TTYJ!



Daniel (13), Deborah (10), Timothy (12) & Shalam (9) sing "Open Up The Window Of Your Life" in Tagalogue on this popular TV Variety Show.

enthusiastically, and witnessing in the main street was a thrilling experience as the moment we took out literature people literally ran from shops, buses and street corners to get it! The kids loved giving it out.

On our second night in Sumatra we held our meeting, and in spite of torrential rain 17 of our 30 students in the area turned up! After up to 10 mths of corresponding with them it was wonderful to finally get to meet them. Through our correspondence many of them had received Jesus, and even begun witnessing and distributing our literature, so it was wonderful to now be able to sing for them, talk to them, and give them a real sample of the Spirit. Our kids performed a programme of songs and skits, Rachele and I presented some of the students with certificates, and then the whole meeting ended with everyone holding hands in a circle and praying together. A truly happy time was had by all!

OUR 20 MTH. OLD SON GREETED SOME OF OUR GUESTS AT THE STUDENTS' MEETING. HIS NAME IS CHRISTIAAN.

Timothy & Rachele.
in Indonesia.
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here has translated several of the songs from the **MWH** tapes for the kids to sing. The songs we've done so far are: "Open Up the Window of Your Life", "Everybody Can Be Happy", "Rockin' Robin", "Psalm 19" and "It's a Miracle". -GBY! -Tagalogue!

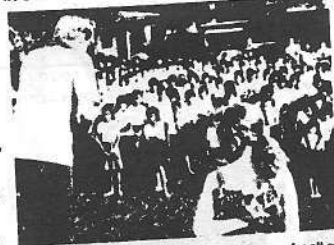
I (Marc) would really like to stress here that TV in the Third World countries seems to be wide open and hungry for talent, especially children. So if you have children who can sing and do even a little choreography, go down to your local station and give it a try. You'll be shocked at how much it will improve all the other areas of your Home. Plus, it's such a great way to witness & deliver God's message to the masses and still have that personal touch! PTL!

One of the areas that really picked up was our **restaurant singing**. It has become a whole ministry in itself. Before the TV shows we could only sing at the "not so nice" places. But since the TV exposure many new doors have been opened, where we can really reach the important and influential people of the country. Many people we meet at the restaurants I know would never have received the lit or witness any other way. TTYJ! We even met our printing contact this way!

I would also like to say here -- if you plan to do TV appearances or sing in really nice restaurants -- your appearance has got to be good, as "man looketh on the outward appearance" (I Sam. 16:7) We've found the sharper & nicer we looked, the easier & better everything else went.

but when people see that you have really worked at it and you're really trying to reach them, they have more respect and are much more attentive and receptive to what you have to say!

One of the members of our Home, Timothy Helps, met the supervisor of our local school district and arranged for the children to sing and perform skits at one of her elementary schools every week. This turned out to be a fantastic opportunity for winning souls and reaching the youth of our area. Over 3,000 souls have been saved, and there are still more schools to sing at.



Timothy Helps & 4 children perform skits & songs for all our local elementary schools. Here Timothy Helps leads them all in a Salvation prayer.

Plus, the superintendent wants them to try the high schools next! PTL! Just think -- all the small children we see in our city have Jesus in their hearts!

Well, these are just a few of the miracles the Lord has done for us recently, and we really want to thank you -- Dad and Maria -- for your faithfulness to keep pouring out the vision that gives us the faith to keep going. We really love & pray for you always.

Love in Jesus & David, Marc & Lydia.
PTL! GBY! -Help'm, Fam!