

# Mission Vietnam

“Compassion leads to conversion.” – Dave Roever



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## Vietnamese congregations patiently wait for American Sister churches to join hands with them...

Of all the exciting developments in our ministry in Vietnam, perhaps none are quite as exciting as the door that has been opened for new churches to be built and for congregations to expand their ministries to their communities.

Many Vietnamese Christians have told us that they have prayed for more than thirty years for the government to allow them to rebuild or build their churches. The time has finally come. Their prayers have been answered—in part. The permission has been given, but it is proving to be challenging due to the poverty that is so prevalent in much of Vietnam.

With the economic circumstances facing the United States some may wonder why we would ask for help for people in another country. To begin with, we do so because it takes so little to do so much in Vietnam. For example, for the cost of taking one's family to an American restaurant, just once, you and I could provide for an orphaned child's needs for an entire month!

Secondly, no church or individual will ever give to reach the world for Christ without being rewarded by the Lord. And it is just that blessing from the hand of God that has made America the greatest nation on the face of the earth. But with greatness comes responsibility.

Years ago someone said something that still holds true. “Somehow if we are to be a great nation, we must be concerned about the least of these, our brothers...we must be concerned about the poverty-stricken because our destinies are tied together. And somehow in the final analysis, as long as there is poverty in the world, nobody can be totally rich. We are all caught in an

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## Contact Us

Are you interested in finding out more about REAP and Mission Vietnam?

Would you like to take a group from your church or a veteran's group to Vietnam?

Make your plans to join us on our next Journey in October 2009 or call to plan a trip just for your group by contacting our President and Executive Director, Dr. Wayne Wright by email: [reapvn@gmail.com](mailto:reapvn@gmail.com) or call to speak with him about Mission Vietnam at 208-734-2823.

Also, visit our website for more ministry and travel information.

REAP International would like to thank each one of you who have supported this ministry. Every financial gift you give brings hope to the lives of the people of Vietnam.

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inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny. And what affects one directly affects all indirectly. For some strange reason, I can never be what I ought to be until you are what you ought to be. And you can never be what you ought to be until I am what I ought to be. John Donne caught it years ago and placed it in graphic terms, “No man is an island entire of itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main.” And he goes on toward the end to say, “Any man’s death diminishes me because I am involved in mankind.” As Christian people we know, through the heart of God, we are inescapably connected to all other people. *Each month we continue to ask for your support because we believe that, like us, you do not want anyone to die without knowing Jesus Christ. It is our calling to reach the world for Jesus Christ!*

**How can you be involved individually?**

- Ask your pastor to consider making your church a Sister Church to a Vietnamese church. *Contact us to find out how.*
- Contribute to the Sister Church fund as an individual.
- Sponsor a child at the Khe Sanh Orphanage.
- Send a monthly gift for orphanage expenses
- Purchase bicycles for local Christian church pastors or workers to assist them in spreading the Gospel
- Ask your Sunday School group to raise funds to help a blind child have sight restored.

If you ever wanted to make a difference in this world, or in someone’s life, or for the Kingdom of God, this is it! This is your time! By faith we have sent you the enclosed envelope believing that you will sow good seed into this good ground. ***If everyone on our mailing list would simply send \$10 it would result in thousands of dollars being raised each month for the many worthy and ongoing projects in Vietnam.*** Our pledge to you is that 100% of your gift will be sent to the project of your choice. ***Act now and may God bless you!***



**In country Directors,**

**Drs. Anh and Ngoc**

Dr. Anh explains the need for assisting local churches in Vietnam by pointing to the rapidly increasing numbers of believers and the relatively few Christian churches in many areas. “Many believers have to travel from very remote areas to attend a central church. Consequently, many of the house church pastors and believers feel isolated and alone. ***This is an instance where the people of the American church can instantly see the fruit of their labors and together we can share our love for Christ in His work.***”

## Other churches are waiting for an American “Sister Church”

**As a young pastor I once had an older pastor advise me to never forget to give to missions. As he said, “Your church will never miss the money because God will bless your church financially for giving to the work on the mission field.” After many years in the pastorate I can tell you that he was right. In fact, many times, when a church becomes mission-minded, it will foster new growth and excitement about the great commission. The opportunities in Vietnam are limitless! Why not partner with us in this great endeavor?**

**Please contact Dr. Wayne Wright for more information on these projects or for information on making the trip to Vietnam with us in October 2009.**



Land for sale in the Can Gio District where another local church wants to build to accommodate hundreds of new converts.