

Mission Vietnam

“Compassion leads to conversion.” – Dave Roever



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Where are you God?

Few things can be as disheartening as being overlooked by someone you hope or expect will notice you. To speak and not be heard, to hurt and not be cared for, to labor and not find rest—this can break a person's spirit.

Perhaps this is why the words of Exodus 3:7 had such an effect on one Vietnamese woman. Read with me, “And the LORD said, I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry by reason of their taskmasters; for I know their sorrows...” KJV. These words spoken by God to Moses about the Israelites in Egyptian bondage were the topic of my devotion one morning in Vietnam. In an abbreviated form this is the essence of this passage: God says, “I have seen, I have heard, I know.” Powerful words for someone who felt forgotten.

This simple message had a powerful effect on the woman sitting before me. She had just returned to Vietnam with us for the first time since the fall of Saigon at the end of the Vietnam War. As she would later tell us, for years the Vietnamese people who lost their country have sung a song that says in essence, “Where are you God? Can you not see? Can you not hear?”

Riding down the roads of Vietnam with memories washing over her, sadness, and questions from the past of “why” filling her mind, it was like the finger of God tapped her on the shoulder and a voice whispered, “I have seen, I have heard, I know.” But He had more to say.

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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:

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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.

Our pledge continues to be that 100% of your donation will immediately go “on the ground” to the project you choose.

When it comes to great needs in the world people often ask, “Why doesn’t God do something about that?” “Doesn’t God see?” “Doesn’t God know?” “Doesn’t God care?” You may have even asked some of these same questions about situations or great needs you have also observed. Well? What does God have to say for Himself?

In verse 8 God also goes on to say that he had come to help His people—and He had—but in verse 10 He says to Moses, “I am sending you.”

Get the message? God works, helps, and loves through us! Before anyone asks, He does not want to “wave His hand” or “speak these things into existence.” He wants those “made in His image” to be His hands, His eyes, and His voice. The Apostle Paul says that we are Christ’s “ambassadors...as though God were making his appeal through us.” (2 Cor. 5:20) That is where this newsletter comes in—if I may be so bold—God is making His appeal through us and He wants to do His work through you!

The day will come when soul-winning crusades will be held in great arenas and televised around the country, maybe even the world, but for now we are building the foundation for the Gospel to flourish. We are busy showing the people of Vietnam that God has seen, that He has heard, that He knows their needs, and that He has come to their country to help. Clearly, we are convinced that He has sent us to the nation of Vietnam because of the prayers of the Vietnamese Christian people.

Perhaps today is the day that you will accept the call and join with us in our mission. The question is not, “Does God see, hear, or know?” The question is, “Will we go for Him?” There is a way. Are you ready?

Is God sending you?

You may be wondering how you can be involved in Mission Vietnam.

Allow me to mention a few:

- Join us on the Journey in October
- Plan a trip to Vietnam for your youth
- Buy a pastor or Christian worker a bicycle (\$100)
- Provide a sight-giving eye surgery (\$75 per eye)
- Sponsor an orphan (less than \$2 per day)
- Partner with a Sister Church (any amount)
- Involve your church in a Mission Vietnam project

For more information on any of these projects or for information on making future trips to Vietnam with us please contact Dr. Wayne Wright

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New Additions to the Khe Sanh Orphanage -

HO VAN VU - Born Oct. 20, 2001 - 1st grade

In 2003, after Vu's mother had her 4th child she began having serious problems with bleeding. She became weaker in the days following, but accepted Jesus during that time and God healed her. After recovering her husband, in a drunken rage, beat her and forced her to denounce Christ. This destroyed the family. She went to stay with her older brother, but he is a handicap person with only one hand. The family faces many difficulties. Her family is known to love Jesus very much and they asked for help from the church to make it possible for Vu to go to school.

Our orphanage continues to grow with needy children. Your continued support is essential!