



Hughes News



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The phone rang, it was Gaan, one of our team leaders. “Mrs. Sai is going to bring someone to church today to give a testimony. He has been raised from the dead!” Needless to say we were pretty excited to get to church that morning!

Turns out, Mrs. Sai brought her uncle, Mr. Duang, and they both enthusiastically explained the story.

As he was working in the fields he began to feel strange. It is not uncommon for Thai people to massage each other in an effort to feel better. While Sai was massaging his shoulders, his eyes rolled back and he wasn’t responsive. Sai began to pray immediately and also called her husband and his wife over to attend. His wife was crying and Sai felt she couldn’t allow this to happen. She remembered the teachings of Jesus where he commanded his disciples to heal the sick, raise the dead and cast out demons. She began quoting that scripture and crying out to God. In just a little while, Duang began breathing again and opened his eyes. He was alive!

We all rejoiced at this testimony and prayed for him. Then we prayed for other people and after a while, Duang blurted out,

“I have always wanted to know God, I have always wanted to come to church and enter into the way of Jesus but I didn’t know how. I can see you all have something I want. I am ready to be baptized right now!”

All of the believers gathered around while Mr. Duang received baptism and committed his life to God. He has been praying for others to be healed and has faith to believe God can do the same for them as He has done for him.



Mrs. Sai Shares Testimony



Mr. Duang receives Baptism



Team Rejoices after Completed Studies

As we prepare to return to the States for a furlough time to see family and supporters, we are happy to report that we finished the Bible Survey Studies. Each team member received a certificate. They have been so dedicated and faithful to study the Word with us each week. Please pray for the team as we are entrusting the ministry with them and trust God will lead and guide them. We are thankful for the internet making it possible for us to teach and encourage from afar. Our furlough plans are to fly into San Francisco airport on August third, receive our vaccine upon arrival and then travel to see family after self quarantining for a few days. If you would like for us to visit with you or your church please let us know. You can get in touch with us through email.

Thank you for joining hands with us. As always, we are so grateful for your support, prayers and love. We love you!

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