



## Publishing / Translation Center

~ Chiang Mai, Thailand

As you know, the Gaudet family and team moved to the northern city of Chiang Mai, from the city of Bangkok. The move has proven over and over to be one of the most strategic decisions for us since we moved to Thailand. The pool of available language helpers makes it an ideal place to interact with them on a daily basis.

As an example of a recent week we met with translators and language helpers in the following languages: Burmese, Rawang, Kachin, Karen, Shan, Urdu, and Punjabi, (last two from Pakistan!) During this same week, work progressed on small and large projects on our graphics computers in Japanese, Russian, Karen, Falam Chin, Burmese, Urdu, Tok Pidgin, Thai, Romanian, and Catalan.

## Container Shipment:

The huge project of re-typesetting the Burmese Bible was completed and sent to the USA to be printed. 20,000 are in production now. As of this writing, a container is on the way here. It contains over 40,000# of Bibles, New Testaments, Gospels and Tracts mostly in Burmese.

**First Bible International** partnered with the ministries listed in the next column to produce the materials in this container. Each one of these ministries have supporters who contributed, some large and some small amounts to see these materials printed and shipped. The shipping documents list over \$80,000 in contents! This was all paid by these ministries and their supporters.

Once the container arrives in Thailand we are responsible for the customs, clearance and delivery charges as well as cost of transshipping into strategic locations where the materials can be distributed. We have enough on hand to clear the container from customs but not enough to then move the materials where they need to be. Please pray that as soon as the container arrives we will have the \$5,000 needed for this purpose.

**First Bible International** partnered with these ministries in producing and shipping the container for Burma - July 15, 2010

- ◊ Abington Road Baptist Church, Lenoir NC
- ◊ Ambassador Baptist Church, Hudson NC
- ◊ Antioch Baptist Church, Harlem GA
- ◊ Beacon of Truth Baptist Ministries, Florence SC
- ◊ BEAMS Bibles, Gulfport MS
- ◊ Bearing Precious Seed, Milford Ohio
- ◊ Bible Baptist Church, MacArthur WV
- ◊ Chick Publications, Ontario CA
- ◊ Chilhowie Baptist Church, Chilhowie VA
- ◊ Gunnings Baptist Church, Blountville TN
- ◊ Nimitz Missionary Baptist Church, Nimitz WV
- ◊ Many who gave offerings through these ministries!

MANY THANKS TO EACH ONE FOR MAKING IT POSSIBLE!



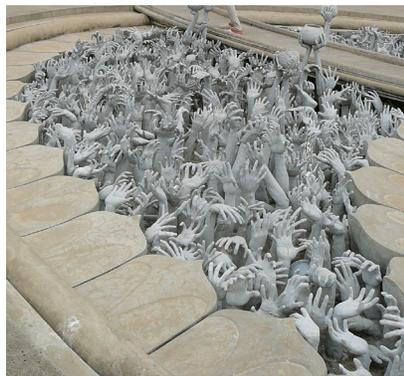
Jeffrey & Sarah Evans



April Wilson

## New Coworkers:

We are looking forward to Jeffrey and Sarah Evans arriving from Temple, Texas in late August. They plan to stay a year, serving alongside us. April Wilson, who has already served with us for over one year will return in early September. Each one of these have something great to add to our team. Please pray for them!



Buddhist Depiction of Hell

July 2010

## Accident:

Those of you who read our e-mailed updates know that in May I had an accident, tripping and falling into a plate glass door. Glass of that sort is not safety glass here. The broken glass cut my arm severely, requiring 2 surgeries to repair the damage. The injury caused me to bleed profusely, as I was taking blood thinners. A follow-up surgery was required to repair nerve damage.

This left me mostly out of commission due to pain for the next 4-5 weeks. I am still not back to 100% and it is not yet known if the numbness in my fingers will go away. Every time I think of it, I once again am grateful for God's protection. It could have been much worse.

## E-Mail Updates:

We want to invite you to subscribe to our e-mailed updates. Over the years as this work has grown, we have seen the value of having nearly instantaneous communication with our prayer partners and supporters. We are only able to get on average 3-4 of these printed newsletters out via postal mail each year. However, we send e-mail updates as many times as is demanded by the situation, sometimes 4 or more in a month but it is never frivolous.

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