

# BANGLADESH

Dear Brethren,

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With all the care and concerns here in Cambodia I'm also aware of the trials of the people of Bangladesh. It's no surprise to have yearly flooding in Bangladesh and it's inevitable. What the Bengalis are experiencing now is said to be the worst flooding in decades. Some say it's the worst in one hundred years in the region of Sylhet. Hundreds of thousands have been displaced. We used to have bad flooding here in Cambodia twenty years ago but the very 'self-conscious' Chinese government decided to put a few dams up north and now the river water levels are low, and some say they are too low. Throughout the year in Bangladesh, many suffer when there is no rain and then suffer when there is too much.

The family picture I have here is of Anjon, his wife Lila, younger son Nikel, son Sadok and daughter Sima. They are with brother Robin who evangelizes in the hill tracts area. This is one of the faithful families we have in the Chittagong region and fortunately, they are at a much higher elevation and not affected by the present monsoon rains.



I was able to travel the four-hour train ride south and visit my old friend Pastor Serng (picture). It seems like the whole community is getting larger around him. His once rural area is now scattered with buildings. He has really been a shining light in that area and has unwavering faithfulness. I was able to get him some filters with the hope to be able to send more if they are needed. Serng, as well as Pastor Siung out at Coconut Mountain, have been a great encouragement not only to me but to those around them. God has blessed them both over the years. Please pray for the families in the "Siem Reap" area of Cambodia that they would continue to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. I would also appreciate your prayers concerning getting a 'long term visa' for Bangladesh. Things seem more administratively difficult since the pandemic but I'm very optimistic and may even visit the Bangladesh Embassy in Thailand if necessary. I am very excited that I recently received word that a church in Dhaka would sponsor us. This in itself is an answer to prayer.

Much thanks for all your prayers, financial support, and encouragement aimed at this ministry. Let me end this letter with some words of encouragement from the great apostle Paul; **"If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God."** Amen.

In His Grace,  
Bro. Tim Moriarty  
Col.1:20

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