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GOD'S TRIOPARTNERS FOR MISSION

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GOD'S **TRIO** PARTNERS



Greetings from Mang, Ciin and the family wishing you the most prosperous New Year in 2013!

Our recent trip was very busy juggling between holding the annual month-long Pastor's Training and finally renovating our GTP Headquarters!

Firstly, I'd like to share that we met with all our missionaries from the 21 stations that we are currently supporting sharing to us the wonderful things that the Lord has been doing in their own mission stations. In every station they have seen the power of God manifested in healing the sick, casting out demons resulting in saving and bringing souls into the Kingdom!

We were blessed to have 5 impactful and anointed speakers during the November training.

CELL CHURCH

The training started with "cell church". We were privileged to have Ps Daljit, Associate Pastor of Citylife Church in Melbourne (far right image) instructing the cell church system for three days. Ps Daljit was able to teach the Cell church system so simple, clear and easy to understand that the missionaries were so excited to apply it to their mission stations. Every night for the rest three weeks, the missionaries practiced cell meetings at our Centre where they stayed together during the training. We have heard from some missionaries that they have started cell meetings and were excited to see the system work very well. Ps Daljit also visited and preached at one of our mission stations in Yangon and also preached a very inspiring sermon at Full Gospel Assembly on Sunday.

DISCIPLESHIP

Rina, our support coordinator for GTP from Citylife was teaching for another three days on Lifetrax 1, the Discipleship course used by Citylife church. Rina's teaching was so anointed that she made every lesson a rhema for the missionaries. They used the lessons as discussion topics at the cell meetings. Rina also taught how to hear the voice of God at our intercessors meeting.

CHURCH PLANTING

We were also blessed to have Ps Sherman Driver from U.S. who was teaching for four days on "God's plan for Church Planting" – supra cultural and timeless principles used in the Early church by the Apostle Paul who had been the greatest church planter of all time. Sherman was able to lead the missionaries to dig out the principles from the book of Acts and the Epistles and use them for their own churches to turn their towns/villages upside down as the Apostles did in the Early church.

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

We also thank Ps Ian and Carol Buttersby who were the leading Pastors of Dingley Anglican church when revival broke out among the Anglican churches in Melbourne. Ian was teaching for three days on Spiritual Warfare which is most needed for the missionaries to capture the towns and villages for His Kingdom. Ian and Carol, led by Ciin also visited our mission stations in Lashio and Kyaukme in Northern Shan State.

PRAYER & FASTING

A three day fasting and prayer was conducted as part of our one month training. The trainees were given an ample opportunity to spend time alone with God on their own without a schedule or program. All of them experienced hearing the voice of God, seeing visions, receiving new revelations for their ministries, prayers answered within the three days, sicknesses and deceases healed.





Our building, top floor.



Before:

RENO

GTP HEADQUARTERS RENOVATION

Renovations have been long awaited and by God's grace and timing we were thrilled to get it started! My wife & I, along with our middle daughter Julie, came back home just in time for Christmas '12 after spending three months in Myanmar. Julie & I are now back again in Myanmar to finish building renovations before our Conference begins in March.

We were privileged to have Julie who contributed her expertise in Architecture and Interior Design to draw the blueprint/plan for the renovation of the whole building, taking three months leave without pay from her work. She came to manage the entire project and work with the local suppliers and trades to see that this building of God's received the best outcome.

The construction was paused during Christmas to be continued in the new year for another four weeks to complete the whole renovation/construction. We will have four large upper rooms, two on the East wing and two on the west wing of the building. At the ground level we have an reception/lobby at the entry, an all-access prayer room, three classrooms, a computer room, and Director's office, staff room, dining room, kitchen, toilets, and an Auditorium at the centre with hallways all around it.

80% of the work had been done by Christmas time and we were able to celebrate Christmas with over forty of the workers, providing them a Christmas meal and presents. We were thrilled to show our workers the Christmas spirit. We also invited our neighbours in our building block. Julie and three well-known national singers ministering with gospel songs and a speaker delivering the Christmas message to an audience of over seventy Buddhists.

The building is the Lord's. Please pray that He is always in control and in charge of whatever is happening in the building and that the property will be used according to His plan and purposes only.

We will be going back in February to conduct a training with the missionary couples and church leaders from the mission stations that we are currently supporting. A team led by Ps Malcolm, Grace Fellowship International, Gold coast, will be there to minister to the church leaders.



Auditorium Walls



VATIONS

The renovations were made possible only through generous individual donations. May God bless each of you! If you would like to donate towards the completion of the building or any other sponsorship programs in GTP, please contact us on (03) 9703 2714 or admin@gtpmission.org

New Classrooms



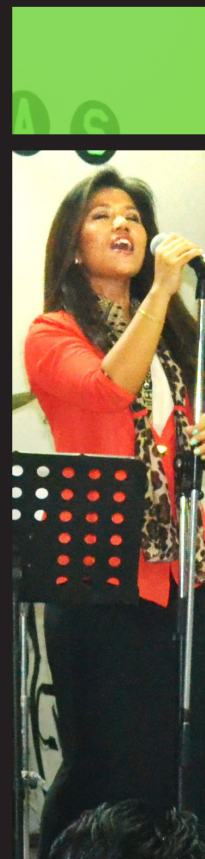
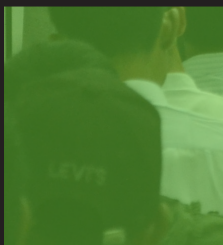
Upstairs Offices



Upper Level



Christmas Dinner





FUTURE PLAN FOR 2013

TOWNSHIP MISSION STATION SUPPORT

Township Adoption for Mission: We have 20 pastors who have been selected from last year's trainings to be our township missionaries to open one mission station each in 20 townships. They have attended our cell church training and each pastor is to start a cell church in his/her town in order to reach out to the whole town and all the villages within the township with the cell church system. By supporting a township mission station we are supporting the vision and movement to reach out to the whole township. The support is \$250 /month to support one township mission station while \$ 25/month is required for supervision of one station if the sponsor can afford to add on top of the support for the mission station. Our commitment to support a township mission station is 5 years. Thank God Citylife has approved to adopt 6 townships.

MISSION AWARENESS SEMINAR

Church leaders from various churches will be invited to attend three day mission awareness seminars in ten different locations where churches are most crowded, from February to May 2013. About 50 to 100 church leaders are expected to attend the seminar in each location for 3 days each. An

average of A\$20/head will be required for transport, lodging and food for the church leaders. Approximately. A\$ 1000 per location or A\$ 10,000 for ten locations will be required each year.

TOWNSHIP MISSIONARY TRAINING

From 60 to 100 church leaders will be selected from the seminars to attend a one-month township missionary training in August. A\$ 100 will be required for each candidate to attend the one month training. We will need about A\$ 10,000 to train 100 township missionary candidates each year. Approximately 40 township missionaries and 4 mission station supervisors will be selected from the trainees, if qualified, each year.

MISSIONARIES RETREAT

A team of ministers from Grace Fellowship International in the Gold Coast, led by Ps Malcolm will be conducting GTP missionaries Retreat for 4 days from March 12 to 15, '2013. About 100 missionary couples and church leaders are expected to attend. They will also visit and minister to other mission stations and churches in Yangon area.



LBB (LIFE BRIDGE BUILDERS)

Children Education support: A\$ 25 / month is required for supporting a child who is deprived of education due to his/her parent's poverty. The support is given to the parents through our missionary who is responsible to make sure that the support is rightly used for the child's education and closely supervise to see that the child is studying hard to do well in school. This support benefit not only the child but also the parents and the community by raising the standard of the people., and more importantly open the door for the missionary to reach out to the community with the gospel.

INTERCESSION

Township Interceding churches: Existing churches in Myanmar are invited to participate in interceding for all the townships in Myanmar. Each existing church will be committed to pray for a township in Myanmar. A list of all the suburbs and villages with their names and number of houses or population in a township will be given to the church that is committed to intercede for that township. The interceding church will also be provided with a list of existing churches and their locations in the township.

CONCLUSION

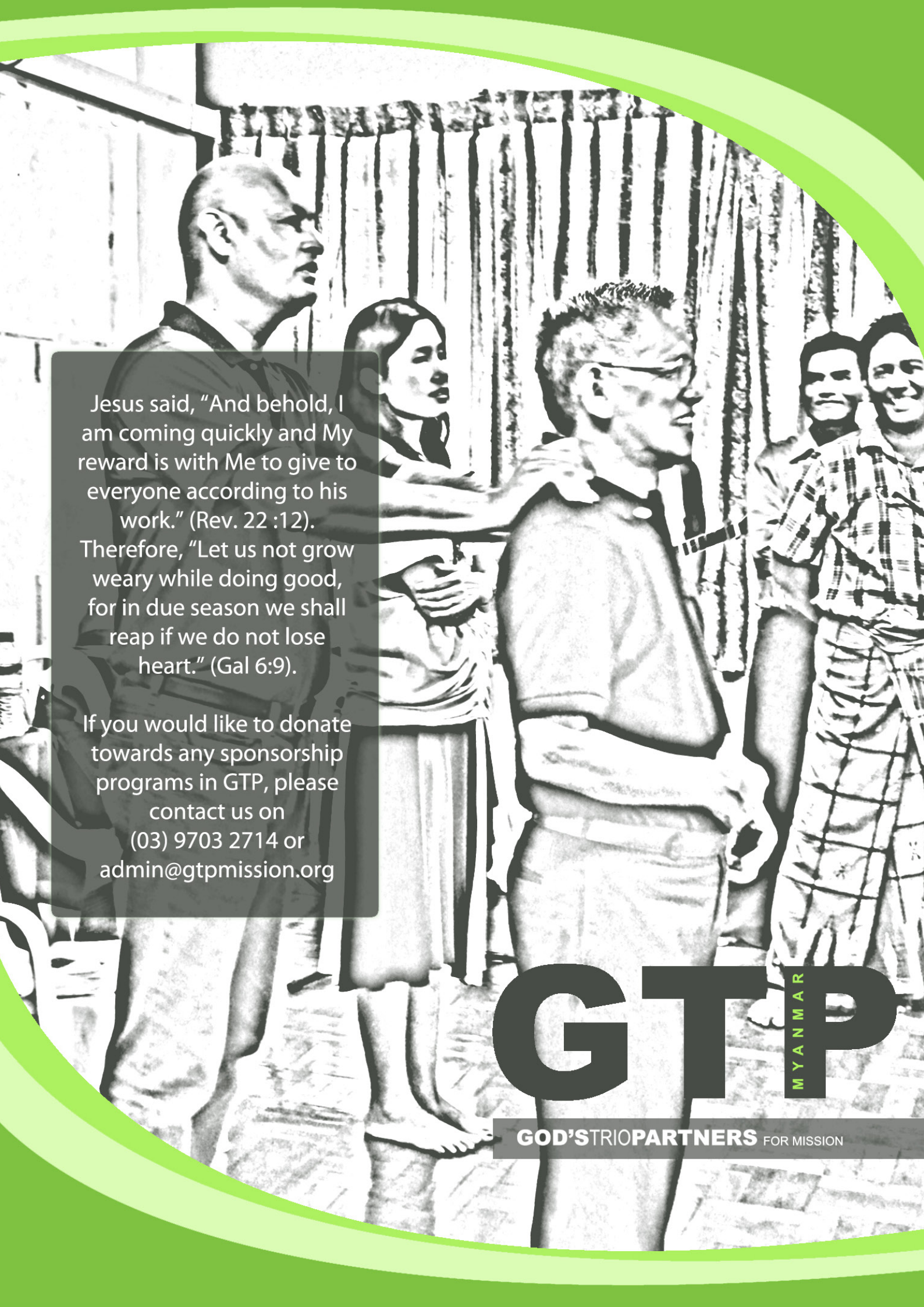
The harvest is plentiful but the labourers are very few. Therefore let us pray for the above projects so that God will send His partners (field missionaries, financial sponsors and intercessors) to do the harvest in Myanmar.

Jesus said, "And behold, I am coming quickly and My reward is with Me to give to everyone according to his work." (Rev. 22 :12). Therefore, "Let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." (Gal 6:9).

May God, by His Grace, bless you, your family and your ministry exceedingly abundantly above all that you ask and think of in the Year 2013 and forevermore.

Mang, Ciin and the family!





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