The Hennigs Missions in Kanchanaburi Province Thailand

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Dear friends and prayer partners,

Thank you for your interest, your prayers and your gifts. It has been so hot during the day on almost every day in recent weeks, that it is even exhausting for our Thai employees. The outside temperatures sometimes reached over 40 degrees. Christine has the heat particularly hard to bear, but Reiner can also do much less than usual in these temperatures. A few days ago, when a large downpour suddenly fell during the day as a harbinger of the coming rainy season, the temperatures were much more bearable. Those were two nice cooler days. Today it was 38 degrees again.

At first, our lives went on.

Writing, translating and sending out our last newsletter took some time. Christine continued to collect donations for the poor in Bangladesh, Pakistan and India. Reiner translated important parts of our website https://hennig-lumsum-online.de into Swedish and Dutch. Every two weeks, a congregation of friends came to our Sunday service.

CTTM

The big goal of our organization CTTM is at the moment the Vision 50, which says that the staff should do everything to that within the next 2 years, when CTTM will be 50 years old, to increase the number of CTTM churches from 31 to 50 by planting new churches. In December, we asked the director of our organization if there was a clear directive from Jesus or a clear leading from the Holy Spirit for this vision. We received the answer, that there had been no such clear leading from God. Instead, the director had decided on this goal because EFT, the Thai umbrella organization under which CTTM also stands, had the vision to believe for 10,000 new EFT churches and 10,000 pastors, among other things. We then had a strong warning from the Holy Spirit about Vision 50. As early as December, Christine warned the director emphatically about the implementation of Vision 50 in an email. We warned the director several times in emails and urgently asked for a personal meeting, which unfortunately never took place. Finally, we saw a very clear leading from God to leave CTTM. We communicated this intention to the director of CTTM on April 1, 2024. When there was no conversation about it afterwards, we informed CTTM of our resignation on April 16. We then received an email from the director in which he wrote, among other things: "I also trust you that you have heard from God to leave CTTM . . If this is so, I can do no other than bless you ..."

This marks the start of a new phase for us. As before, Reiner has been associated Misssonary with the Finnish Free Foreign Mission until December 21, 2024. Christine had always received her visa as his wife. We declared our readiness to God for any path that He wants to take with us.

Christine's health

For about 6 weeks, Christine's health problems had been getting worse. Christine was coping less well with the heat than in previous years and she had pain in her rectum and digestion, which was getting worse and worse. She became weaker and weaker. So we finally decided, after prayer in faith had not brought any noticeable healing, that Christine would go for a thorough check-up at the private hospital in our town that looks after her health. She had an extensive examination on May 1 and a colonoscopy on May 3, during which tissue samples of growths in the intestine were taken and sent to pathology.

Today, May 10, we received the results of the pathology examination. There is a malignant tumor (adenoma) in the rectum, which reduces the clear width of the intestine from 5 cm to 1 cm. There is a benign growth in the lower part of the colon, in which adenoma cells were also found.

If this tumor continues to grow, there will be an intestinal obstruction which, if left untreated, is fatal. Christine is currently only allowed to eat liquid food without vegetable fibers because otherwise an intestinal obstruction can quickly occur.

In the worst case scenario, Christine may only have a few days or weeks left to live here on earth. It could be that that she can live even longer with a suitable operation, or that God miraculously removes the growths without leaving any residue.

What options do we have?

Option 1: A major operation The means removing the lower colon and inserting an artificial anus in the middle section of the colon. Christine's mother also had this for many years. This would be the safest method.

Option 2: Two minor operations means 1. inserting an artificial anus (Anus Praeter) and, as soon as the necessary money has been received, 2. removing the lower colon.

Option 3: The major operation is performed by a professional colleague of the doctor currently treating her in another private clinic. But Christine has no confidence in this.

Option 4: No operation, Christine goes home to Jesus in the near future.

Option 5: God heals Christine in HIS supernatural way.

Cost issue:

Option 1: 150,000 to 200,000 THB (3,815 to 5,085 Euro) **Option 2:** 85,000 THB (2.160 Euro) for the 1st part.

For the 2nd part about another 3,000 Euro.

Option 3: still unknown, but in any case cheaper than option 1.

No one can say how far the tumor has already spread in the body. Under no circumstances will we agree to chemotherapy or radiation therapy.

How are we doing with these prospects?

Important parts of the result, especially the possibility of going home soon, had been clear to us since the colonoscopy. So today was just a confirmation. Before our marriage began, we were willing to give our spouse to God at any time if God so desired. We both have a living hope that it is beautiful and better than anything we can achieve here on earth to go home to Jesus and have a wonderful fellowship with HIM that will not end for eternity. That is why we do not fear our physical death. In addition, over the course of the last few years we have stood before God more and more with empty hands and have been gifted by HIM precisely in this respect. In the course of our lives, we have learned more and more to let go of all earthly things and relationships and live mostly very well with it and experience great freedom.

We wish you God's protection and blessing.

We greet you warmly from Lum Sum

Yours in Christ Jesus

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Christine supports needy people in India, Pakistan and Bangladesh, all of whose leaders we know personally. 100% of the donations that Christine receives for these projects reach the recipients, as we cover the transfer fees and administration costs ourselves. If you have any further questions, please contact Christine by e-mail at hennigcm23@gmail.com.

Due to her illness, Christine is able to work much less than before. The non-earmarked donations have decreased significantly, so that Christine is barely able to fulfill the commitments she has made so far. She has therefore informed the donors that she can no longer answer any additional donation requests.

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