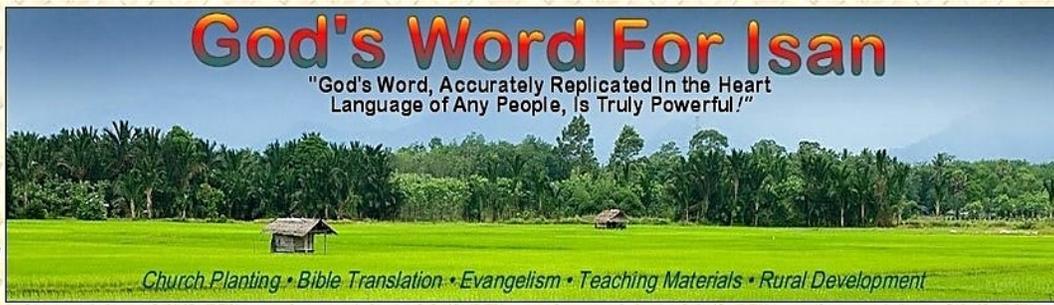


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Going Into All the World  
With the Gospel  
of Jesus Christ



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*A Faith-based Ministry Sustained Through the Prayers and Partnership of God's People*

**Every New Day That Dawns in Thailand...**

*Is Greeted by Centuries-Old Religious Traditions*

By Ron Myers

Dear Friends in Christ,

If you were to visit Thailand on any day of the week, you would see and hear many things; new and different things, things strange to your own way of life. One thing you might observe if you rose early enough would be the silent footsteps of saffron-robed barefoot Buddhist priests as they leave their respective temple grounds and wend their way along their morning routes; stopping at intervals along the way to allow waiting parishioners give each one foods, flowers, or others gifts, placed in their alms bowls. No words or glances are exchanged, nor thanks given. Each is doing his duty, making merit by giving alms, and making merit by receiving the alms given. As the line continues on, each alms-giver puts his or her shoes back on – respectfully removed in the presence of the priests – and returns home to begin the new day. Each following dawn is witness to the same event.



**Buddhism Examined in the Light of the Gospel**

*(Thai Buddhist Teachings and World View from a Christian Perspective, and Visa-versa)*



**SALVATION IS:**  
Striving to Attain  
Release From  
Reincarnation  
Through Works

<b>BUDDHISM'S FOUNDATIONS</b>	<b>CHRISTIANITY'S FOUNDATIONS</b>
The Nepalese Prince who, when enlightened, became <i>The Lord Buddha</i>	The Stone Whom the Builders Rejected Became the Chief Cornerstone
<b>BUDDHA &amp; BUDDHISM SAYS</b>	<b>JESUS &amp; THE BIBLE SAYS</b>
<i>Don't follow after me, seek the path of truth for yourselves."</i>	<i>"I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me."</i>
<i>"No one deserves more love than yourself."</i>	<i>"Love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, soul, and mind"</i>
<i>"Self is one's own refuge, and source of strength and deliverance."</i>	<i>"Keep my soul [oh Lord], and deliver me... for I put my trust in thee."</i>
<i>"If there Was A Creator, He Should Be Called Ignorant for Creating Such A Mess."</i>	<i>"The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handywork."</i>
<b>Buddhism can be explained in these words: "Practice Right Thinking."</b>	<b>Christianity can be summed up in three words: "He is Risen!"</b>
<i>"Do Good and You'll Receive Good, Do Evil and You'll Receive Evil."</i>	<i>"Believe on The Lord Jesus Christ and You'll Be Saved"</i>



**SALVATION IS:**  
Eternal Life  
Through Faith  
In The Lord  
Jesus Christ

**Breaking News:** Please remember to Pray for Baaw Ter's estranged spouse, Joo, a committed Buddhist who walked out when Baaw Ter and son DJ were saved. We sense God's renewed working in her heart and life as He has prompted us to continue praying for her Salvation. Baaw Ter met with her for dinner at a restaurant where he said she is becoming more aimable. The following day, she came over and had lunch together at their home. And, they're going to be getting together twice a month with their son DJ as a family. May Joo sense God's great Love for her and respond.

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God's Word for Isan