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## **Returning To Our Work in Northeast Thailand (Part II)**

"For a great and effectual door has opened to me"

By Ron Myers

Greetings in Jesus' Matchless Name,

I concur with the Apostle Paul's statement to the Corinthian believers, "For a great and effectual door has opened to me, and there are many adversaries" (1 Corinthians 16:9). In my February newsletter, I mentioned it's been over two years since I've been in Thailand due to Covid-19 restrictions – we've never had it. The prospects of returning to Thailand to continue our ministry any time soon looked grim.

Things have changed. A great and effectual door has opened to me. I now have my April 12 flight itinerary inhand and will be back in Thailand on April 13 after a *short* twenty-hour flight on Japan Airlines. The first leg of my flight is an eleven and a half hour flight from San Diego to Tokyo's Narita International Airport, with an hour and a half stopover to change planes. Then, seven more hours to Bangkok Thailand's huge Suwana-Pume International airport. I'll land there close to midnight, one day after leaving San Diego. From there, I'll take a taxi to Bangkok Christian Guest House, checking in around two AM on April 14. On the morning of April 16, I'll take a domestic flight to our ministry headquarters located 480 miles northeast of Bangkok in Isan's Nakhon Phanom Province. It's situated on the shores of the Mekong River, which forms the border between Thailand and Communist Laos.



Baaw Ter and unsaved wife, Joo

There, I'll continue to labor alongside Baaw Ter—my faithful Isan coworker anxious for my return—as well as with other fellow Isan and Thai believers as we evangelize, mentor, and teach God's Word. **Pray that the Lord will open new doors**. My desire is to see more souls saved and baptized as we preach the Gospel to the unreached masses in Thailand's vast Northeastern Isan region. I also hope to regain ground lost in the two-years-plus delay, caused by the Covid-19 global pandemic. This prevented my return to Thailand. I took the photo below in 2019 during my last trip there. Baaw Ter is busy taking *gopro* videos as Joo participates in worshipful homage. **Buddha was called the enlightened one but Jesus is the Light of the World (John 8:12)! Pray for Baaw Ter's dear Buddhist wife, Joo. Pray that God will open her spiritual eyes, and that she will receive Christ and be saved!** 

Some of the millions that visit Taat Phanom, Thailand's 190 ft Sacred Buddhist Temple Spire, on yearly merit-seeking pilgrimages. Located in Nakhon Phanom Province.

