



MISSION INDONESIA

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Lusi and I want to thank all of you who have given so generously for the cancer treatment for Lusi. The gifts that you have given truly shows that the love of God abides in you. Our faith in the Lord has been confirmed by His body the church and we are thankful for the hope and faith that abides within all of us.

We have now finished a little of over half of the treatments and thankfully Lusi hasn't experienced severe reactions to the radiation and chemotherapy. However she is entering a difficult period this coming week. She will enter the hospital on Sunday for three days to be prepared for internal radiation treatments. The procedure is called BRACHY and they insert a plastic tube along with plastic brackets to guide the internal radiation treatment. They will treat her internally twice this week and repeat the treatment the following week. This will protect her other organs from being affected by the radiation treatment while zeroing in on the tumor. Please pray that she stays strong in spirit while enduring this difficult procedure. Our understanding of Romans 8:28 and 2Cor. 1:3-5 is far greater as we struggle with understanding why this has happened to her. The greater the test, the greater the faith and comprehension of God's ways and purposes for our lives in Christ. We can only say Praise the Lord!

BATAM BIBLE COLLEGE

January 30th marks the beginning of a new session for Batam Bible College. I would like to introduce you to the Class of 2012. There are eighteen students in all with an average age of 27 years old. We have ten entering the first term class and eight students returning to complete their second term. Three students were not present for the picture.

Recently we were able to purchase over five hundred books for our library thanks to the generous contributions of two families this last year. The books came from a private library of professor of Religion in Jakarta.



We would like to introduce Brother Immanuel Berutu. He was baptized December 10, 2008. He graduated from Batam Bible College in July of 2010 with a Bachelor of Religion degree from Sunset International Bible Institute. Then Immanuel followed that up by acquiring a S1 degree which is the Indonesian Bachelor degree that is recognized by the government here.

He is 23 years old but has shown wisdom that far exceeds the physical years. He graduated with honors as one of our best students and serves the church in Batam. We are blessed to add him to our teaching staff as he and others like him will be the key to the future growth and development of Batam Bible

Your servant in Christ

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