

# One Very Special Day ...

Isaiah 52:7

那報佳音、傳平安、報好信、傳救恩的、對錫安說、你的神作王了。這人的腳登山何等佳美



Craig with lots of precious cargo ...

Isaiah 52:7

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth!

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## Beautiful Feet Ministries

We apologize for not getting our newsletter out sooner but we have been swamped. The week after we had our retreat, we came back to HK and hit the ground running. It seems we have not stopped yet. One fine day last month we had teams here from the Bible League, (12 people) and another team of folks with a US group (20 people), and a group that came to visit us for one day only with Paul Cowell. There were 22 of them. It was the biggest day in LCI history. But God is Gracious, and he empowered us to deal with it. Paul's group were on there way to Thailand to minister to missionaries there. There were doctors and nurses, and just people that love the Lord that were going along to serve the missionaries in Thailand. They were a tremendous blessing to us because they wanted to take time out of there busy and hectic schedule and carry Bible across the Chinese borders with us. So we prayed about it, and God made it happen. We briefed them the night before, so they would know what to expect, but the logistics of leading 22 people (Plus 4 of us long termers) across the Chinese border is mind boggling. We arranged them in groups of 6 and lined them up on level three of our apartment complex (outside), as they would not all fit in one of our apartments all at the same time! We decided to storm the border and leave our complex in groups of 6 at a time, and just walk through like we owned the place. We prayed fervently, and then left in teams 15 minutes apart. We marched upstairs to pick up our precious cargo, and then hopped the train for China. As soon as one

team was on the train we started another one off. I have never been in the military but I imagine that's what it must be like. Clockwork. We all carried Sunday school material for children, and we each took one bag apiece. It all seemed kind of like a blur as the border was particularly busy that day. We asked God to make us invisible. That no one would have any issue's or difficulties at the border and you know what. Every single man, women, and child got through with their precious cargo. Not one got stopped, not one got questioned. The total material that got through was enough for 3 years of Sunday school curriculum for 16 individual kids in China. As Gods Word Says;

James 5:16

**The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth MUCH.**

It never happens that that many people get through all at once. NEVER. But they did and God is GOOD. Well we dropped off out precious



Our 22 precious brothers and sisters ...

cargo, and celebrated with a wonderful Chinese lunch. We got to know some of our brothers and sisters, and that was a precious afternoon.

After all was said and done we brought them back to Hong Kong, put them on a train and sent them packing off to start there mission in Thailand. We hope someday that we are able to meet up with them and give them a big hearty hug. I know when we get to see Jesus that He will say, "Well done good and faithful servants"

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I look forward to that day. Please pray for these folks as they continue on in the ministry that God has called them to. Please pray for there safety, continued success, and please pray that they come back to visit us soon. Remember Christians never have to say good-bye, just See Ya Later !

## A Day At The Beach ...

At our retreat on chung chau, one of the islands of Hong Kong we had the privilege to be part of a baptism ceremony of our brother in the Lord Daniel Mays. Daniel grew up in "Churchianity", but never really knew Jesus personally. In fact he never knew that he really could know Jesus personally. I am not sure



how this revelation came about, but we know one cannot come to the Father without being drawn. Turns out he gave his life to Jesus 2 years ago and has never been baptized. Well here was the ocean, and he asked our worship leader, and retreat leader to participate. So Daniel went down into the water with his old man, and came out new. We know that the act of baptism does not save us but it is an outward sign of the inward change. What a blessing it was to be part of it.

We want to take the time to thank all of you that have sent us packages of healthy food that we cannot get here, like the walnuts, the popcorn, the dried berries. They have been instrumental in bringing my triglycerides, and cholesterol back into shape. We cannot thank you enough; Thanks to Bryant and Shirley Brown, Nancy Hose, The Davis Family, and the folks at CBC for the DVD's and CD's. They are precious to us, and we look forward in anticipation to receiving them.

### *Ephesians 4:16*

*From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.*



*A Growing LCI ...*

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## Praise Him ...

For wives that pray ...

For wives that praise ...

For every single copy of HIS Word that gets into HIS kids hands in China ...

That our diets are working (My Cholesterol is perfect, and so are my triglycerides, and my blood pressure is under control) Pray they stay that way.

For the new laborers He is sending us ...

## Prayer Requests ...

Pray that God would grant us HK Work Visa's, the forms have been submitted now, and we need prayer to make sure we get them.

Pray that God would hold the doors open to China for Bibles, until the last one is in.

Pray that God would give us the funds for our new office. It seems we may be getting pushed out of the area that we are working now. (WE NEED OFFICE SOON) or we may be out of business. (PRAY PRAY PRAY)

Pray for the customs and immigrations officials that are confiscating our Bibles, that they would read them, and that God would open their eyes.

Pray for wisdom for us as LCI has asked Deborah and I to take over more responsibilities in LCI

Pray for Unity and love among the brethren that are here working. Things are going well but there is always that spiritual battle that we face every day.

Especially, pray for our Chinese brothers and sisters who are suffering for their faith in Jesus Christ. Who are willing to give up their lives in order for our brethren to have God's Word.