

## New Additions To CEO's Family

On May 1, 2010, eight new children came to live in CCO. I don't know whether I should cry or I should rejoice for them. At times I rejoice because they are given the chance to receive eternal life thru Jesus Christ our Lord & Saviour. I cry because prior to their coming, they had no where to turn to, no love to receive, no hope to cling on and etc. Amongst the eight of them, four are orphans, four have been abandoned by their parents. One is confirmed HIV positive and one 12 year-old has never been to school. Please keep us in prayer. In Him, Ricky Tan



If anyone would like to sponsor a child or would like to know more about the sponsorship programme, please email to me at, cctricky@loxinfo.co.th.















#### Contact Us

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To view Ministry of Care Corner Orphanage please click, <a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=csqO0bBws0Y">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=csqO0bBws0Y</a>



## Spring Break Vacation with a Spiritual Purpose....

"In Thailand God taught me about true service to others..."

- "God taught me to pray in Thailand..."
- "God used me to impact the lives of others"
- "God showed me who I really am.... my weaknesses and my strengths"





In March large numbers of

U.S. college students flocked to beaches for drinking and wild parties during the annual Spring Break Vacation. Countless lives are damaged. Many are scarred in ways that are sadly lifechanging.

At the same time - on the other side of the world - a unique group of students were banded together into a special team with a special mission – in the mountains of Northern Thailand...

Care Corner Orphanage is in San Pa Tong, Chiang Mai, Thailand, not far from city. Over the past 15 years this wonderful place has been home to hundreds of Thai orphans. Founders and directors Ricky and Lay Hwa Tan spend their days loving these children and together with them learning to seek after an intimate, life-changing relationship with the living God.





The team of college students

from McKinney Bible Church in Texas all knew God had called them to go there.... NOT to vacation, but to engage in service that makes a difference in the lives of Thai orphans. In the midst of that service they experienced God in ways that would make a life changing impact in their lives forever.

#### The Bible says:

"Pure and undefiled religion before God the Father is this: to care for orphans and widows in their misfortune and to keep oneself unstained by the world." (Js. 1:27)



#### So what does that look like?

#### It is grounded in SERVICE. Service that is:

Unconditional
Sacrificial
Life to life involvement
Brings people closer to God

# This is real love.... The love Jesus Christ taught and modeled with His life....

### So they.....

lived together
ate together
played together
worked together
sweat together
learned together
laughed together
cried together
sought God together
talked about life plans and dreams
talked about failures
talked about successes
studied God's Word together
prayed for each other's needs



They worked with the children at Care Corner.

And they visited door to door in a San Pa Tong neighborhood.

They spent time learning about culture and religion at temples and in town.

And they spent days in a remote mountain village teaching and praying for people.

They river rafted and rode elephants.

#### And they learned:

- God can use you to show His love to an orphaned child.
- God can use you to teach and equip a child with His life-changing principles for life.
- God meets you and changes you permanently in the midst of these kinds of activities.
- Pray about everything because God answers prayer.



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