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Consider the Great Things God has Done

As my year anniversary of being in the Philippines has come and gone, I have been pondering and meditating on 1 Samuel 12:24: "Only fear the LORD, and serve him in truth with all your heart: for consider how great things he hath done for you." This past year has been hard, but precious. God taught me a valuable lesson with each challenge. Every step brought me closer to my Lord and Savior. Each trial reminded me that my God is GREAT!

When I first arrived in the Philippines, I was afraid to even go out of my house alone. I have become more confident in my God to keep me safe and to give me wisdom and discernment in each situation. Since my last prayer letter, I have ministered in many different places in the Philippines. All along God's hand guided me. Consider with me the great things God has done.

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PAMPANGA

I ministered in Pampanga, a province in Central Luzon. God showed me several needs and possible ministry opportunities that I had not even considered. While here, I had the privilege to teach a kid's outreach, share my testimony and ministry vision, and fellowship with other BIO missionary partners in the ministry.



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LAGUNA



Majayjay is a municipality in the province of Laguna. The following week I had the privilege to give my testimony and a short challenge at a ladies' retreat in Majayjay. The Lord helped me to speak slowly and clearly for most to understand. It was a blessing to be part of this retreat and fellowship with other ladies.

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MANILA

I was able to attend the Spiritual Leadership Asia Conference in Manila. I drove to this metropolis of almost 15 million alone. It was such a blessing to sit under so many different preachers and teachers like Dr. Don Sisk, Paul Chappell and Rick Martin. I also enjoyed connecting with other American missionaries and Filipino leaders. The Lord used this time to fill my cup. I left this conference encouraged in the Lord.

ISLA VERDE

The Lord gave me an opportunity to accompany Pastor Joseph and Ma'am Ay Vee Panelo to Isla Verde. Isla Verde is a small island off the coast my province, Batangas. They visit here every Thursday, Friday and Saturday. They minister to people through Bible studies



Thank you for your prayers and support!



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and children’s outreaches. I was invited to be a part of their team to use my nursing skills. I gave out vitamins and other over the counter medication to people that needed it. I also dressed wounds and provided antibiotic ointment and instructions so that the wounds would not become infected. I am looking forward to returning there again on another medical trip.

QUEZON

I celebrated my year anniversary on March 23 by accompanying six other people from Heaven Bible Baptist Church to General Nakar, Quezon. The purpose of this trip was to deliver relief goods to the indigenous tribes. The last time I was there was in 2019 on my survey trip. This is where God began to plant my heart in the Philippines. Ministering here on my one-year anniversary was a special gift from the Lord. Memories from 2019 flooded my soul, and I was overwhelmed by all the great things that my God has done this last year—the last four years for that matter. None of this would have been possible without your faithful prayers and support. Thank you partnering with me to give hope to the hopeless here in the Philippines.

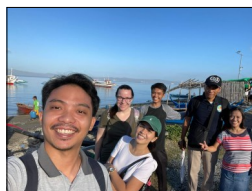
GRACELAND

The last opportunity the Lord opened for me was being part of Heavenly Bible Baptist Church’s first youth camp at Graceland in Batangas—the church’s property. I served as a facilitator and as the camp nurse. Camp began with 125 teenagers from many different churches and areas. Several surrendered their lives to Christ and others committed to enroll in Bible school. I helped facilitate the games and judged of some competitions. I also picked up campers in my vehicle and ran errands, but my most important roll ended up being camp nurse. The Lord allowed me to use my nursing skills throughout the entire week. I thank the Lord that there were no major incidents. Headaches, dizziness, rope burns (thanks tug of war), sprains, an asthma attack, and a 2.5 cm laceration to an eyebrow which ended with a trip to the ER for stitches filled my week. I am thankful that the Lord helped me to remain calm and remember my training. I praise God for the great things that He has done!



Please continue to pray for me as I continue serving the Lord here in the Philippines:

- Pray for more open doors to serve and experience the culture here.
- Pray for my language studies and for more opportunities to use what I know!
- Pray for God to continue to work in my mind to stay focused on Him alone and serve Him in truth with all my heart.
- Pray that the Lord will continue to use me and guide me and make me more like Him.



“Looking for that blessed hope...” Titus 2:13