



Dear family and friends

Your life is not your own. It is a gift from God. All our works and ministries are blessings to us. We are blessed that we can serve Him. Ministry is not ours, it is His.

I have spent most of the time in the month of February in Nepal. The reason I can do that is because of your support and prayers for us. Thank you for obeying the Lord and partnering with us. We have invested most of our lives in Nepal and India, so the gospel of light will shine and darkness will flee. We believe that the whole nation will come to the saving knowledge of Jesus our Lord. It is worth our effort!

BIBLE COLLEGE NEWS

Jonathan, our former Bible College student and present pastor in his local church, came and spoke with me in February. He told me how blessed he had been in his spiritual journey through the teaching at the Bible College. Jonathan came to Christ from Hindu background and had no Biblical knowledge. As Christians in the West, we forget how we have been formed from children through the Christian culture in the country and in the church. Most of our believers, pastors and leaders are first generation Christians, raised in a very strict Hindu nation. The Bible College has been the best way to disciple, train, and raise up future leaders in the land where people do not even know the name Jesus. The fruits that we are seeing from the Bible College, might take years to produce, but we are beginning to see a harvest through our students and it is amazing!

Because of new laws in Nepal we saw the need to change the structures of the classes. We now have morning classes, part time, so people can go to work after they are finished. They are meeting in our downtown church and our plan is to offer classes in the mornings and evenings. We are still looking in to different possibilities, but this seems like the best solution right now.



In August, we will start a three month intensive training targeted for emerging leaders and church planters. This will be residential school for them and we are really excited to see what God is going to do.

There is such a battle over the Bible College and I know it is because it is one of the main keys to reach this nation.



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Speaking at Downtown Church

CHURCH PLANTINGS

Meeting our pastors and leadership team is always a priority while I am in Kathmandu. We have a wonderful team and our vision is to see one church in every village, every language group being established.

One of the meetings was between Bum and me where we sat and planned a strategy together for a new church plant in the far western area. This is the most unreached area in Nepal. This summer

I will be going to visit his village and we are working on training national missionaries to send to support Bum in his area. This gets me so excited!

THE KHADKAS

Family is your first calling! Sometimes, we learn this the hard way. I am learning not to forget family. God spoke to me that I am a leader to my own family before I am leader to a church or ministry, so I am working on this. The months of January and February I have traveled a lot, but in the month of March, I will be with my wife and kids more, while I take care of administrative things from Nepal. Rebecca and Samuel are doing well and Sarah turned 4 years on 5th March. We celebrated her birthday with her favorite food spaghetti.

PRAISE REPORT

We have been asking God to send us volunteers in Nepal and in the US. We are in need of more people that can help us with the administrative part of CFA and that can be hands and feet of Jesus to the people down in Nepal. Right now we have our first long term volunteer, Rebecca Graham, staying at Mahima children home for six months. We are so excited to have her with us and she has already been a great help for us and the children there.

If you would be interested in volunteering for CFA in any capacity, we would love to talk with you. Send us a note sudip@compassionforasia.com or annelise@compassionforasia.com. We are in need of short and long term missionaries with different skills and administrative support in the USA that will take some of the load off of us personally.

*Sudip, Anne Lise, Rebecca,
Samuel, og Sarah Khadka*



Spending Some Time with Pastor Bum and His Friend



Happy Birthday Sarah!

Prayer Request

1. Please pray about partnering or sponsoring native missionaries like Bum or Jonathan. It cost \$100 dollar a month. Would you adopt him for the next three years and pray, support and a make a commitment to reach unreached people groups. If you want to support other national missionaries please email us at sudip@compassionforasia.com

As the structure of the Bible College is changing, please also pray for the instructors and administration of the College as well as the safety from the threats around them.

2. Pray for our personal provision. We are in need of our own house when we go back to Nepal. This has been a great need for many years. We also need to increase our support with \$2000 per month. Also, please pray for our children. There have been many changes in their daily lives these last few years, but God is faithful.