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Dear Pastor, beloved friends and to all soldiers of Christ!

Greetings from the island of Mindanao, Philippines and in the Mighty Precious Name of our Saviour Jesus Christ!

Our mission revival team just came down from the mountains of Kapatagan Davao del Sur, the foothills of Mt Apo, the tallest mountain volcano in the islands of Philippines, held a revival night with a team of twenty one (21) soldiers of Christ to a more than two hundred (200) crowd of natives in that mountain who walked for more than two hours (2) traversing the steep side of Mt Apo, came out from the forest jungle where they lived, not frightened to the wild animals and the notorious king cobra who already claimed numerous lives this year alone.

Apparently, our schedule for this month should be at Misamis Occidental and Zamboanga del Norte in the borders of Muslim region, however, our young people who reside in Kapatagan Davao del Sur reached out to us through our missionary pastor asking for desperate help as their community is going through severe demon possession almost every day to different individuals, like a wild fire in the community, that the whole tribe is extremely terrified and in desperate need of help but do not have a clue how to solve this great problem, even their local witchcraft priestess is also scared and distanced herself to these infestation.

Upon learning to these situation, God placed a burden in my heart to help these community though Jesus Christ, we only have two (2) weeks to prepare for this spiritual battle but we strongly stand and believed as what God reminded us in Romans 1:16> For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that BELIEVETH!

We prepared by faith and in fervent prayer; three days before we left for this mission, we only have \$200 for a team of 21, for our gas, food and related expenses for the mission trip of 150miles; Matthew 7:7 happened, help came a day before we left, we receive more than 300kilos of used clothing, 150pairs of flipflops for the kids, 300pieces of special cut chicken to fry to feed the crowd, a sack of rice, 8cases of soda, six bags of muffins, 400pieces of lollipops, plus another 6 huge lollies and five trucks in full tank and ready to go for this revival and out-casting the demons in that area.



My heart is full of joy, tears of gratitude, and thanksgiving are overflowing from the help, love and prayers from our fellow soldiers in Christ; when we have that heart and enthusiasm to work in glorifying God, just be ready and do not worry, because help from God is always on time!

The following day we moved out, September 29 is the D-Day for the revival, it was past 11AM when we arrived, we immediately prepared for the revival, the women are in-charge of the food preparation, the men also unloaded the used clothing, flipflops and other stuff to be distributed in the community. At 4PM, people are starting to arrive, kids are so excited to see at the flipflops placed in front being ready in sizes to distribute easily, beside the small mountain of lollipops, their eyes are popping; while the adults are already eyeing on the very big pile of used clothing segregated by our men.

Quarter to 5PM, the revival team gathered for a prayer before the preaching and singing is about to start, in prayer, we claimed the victory through the reading, singing and preaching of God's Word, we felt the heavy presence of darkness in the community when we were praying and as the revival started, but we have a very Mighty and Powerful God, at exactly 5PM, the revival started with great singing, followed by powerful a preaching of Salvation thru Jesus Christ alone. Take note, that almost all of these natives who attended the revival are idol worshippers and prays for guidance and power to their departed ancestors, thank God we preached Christ that topples all the gods of this world.

When the revival started, there were just 86 in attendance, but I instructed the whole team that while I am preaching support me in prayers for, we are in the eye of the storm of darkness in this community. The overall attendees during the revival are more than 200, that also includes the individuals who were possessed by demons.

VICTORY IN JESUS!

We had a great fellowship after the service, everyone who attended the revival got a piece of a very huge piece of fried chicken, bag of rice, bottle of soda and lollipops for desert; after the banquet, we gave out the used clothing and flipflops, the kids were so hyped at the biggest lollipop they have ever seen in their entire life, but they have to earn it by memorizing at least ten Bible verses.

The revival night was such a blessing for the entire community, everyone that night went home to their forest jungle homes with Jesus Christ in their lives as their Lord and Saviour. We are in continuous communication with our young people who live in that community, the results are positively good, and the next community is also praying that we could also host the same revival as they are also experiencing the same possession.

Pastor, Church and fellow soldiers of Christ, we thank you and appreciate all the prayers and financial support you favored for



the mission work here in Mindanao island Philippines, sure enough the harvest is plenteous, but the laborers are few; we are facing enemies in our area not just dangers of rebel soldiers, muslim terrorists, idol worshippers, false teachings and doctrines, as well as communities being demon possessed especially in the jungle mountains here in our area in Mindanao Philippines, please continue to pray for us and support us, we cannot do it alone, but together as united for these mission, we will have victory through Jesus Christ.

Please include us in your church prayers and individual prayers as well.

Our immediate need in prayer is to extend our existing building, we are elbow to elbow every worship service, some of our brethren are sitting on the steps of our stairs, we have a remaining 200sqm for extension that could hold 100 worshippers, please help us through your prayers; we are praying for twenty churches or individuals who can give us a love gift of \$1,000 to cover the expenses for the church expansion.

Thank you, Pastor and the members of the congregation who tirelessly prays and supports the mission work, here in the islands of Mindanao Philippines.

We love you and always pray for all of you as our loving partners.

In the service for the KING of KINGS,

Brother Jan Saan

