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Death and Destruction...and Victory

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(Romans 8:28)

Dear praying friends,

For over a month, we've been deluged with disastrous effects of flooding and mudslides. Our ACTION team in Manila has been heavily involved in relief efforts. With over 400 dead and thousands of homes and people's material possessions gone, are we defeated?

**Not in the least!**

**"For I am persuaded that neither death nor life...." "...can separate us from the love of God...."**

(Romans 8:38,39). Is this another "wake-up call?" Read it how you want to. It's your prerogative. But for me and my house, we will serve the Lord!

For those of you who have compassion and some extra money, you may send by [clicking here](#).

But please don't forget that the battle is won in the quietness of a "prayer closet". In Arthur Pierson's dynamic biography of George Mueller, George states, "He who does not hide himself in the secret place to be alone with God is unfit to show himself in the public placeto move among men."

#### PRAISES:

1. Renea's currently on her way back to the States after a successful 2 months here which included: positive preparation for Lydia to become a Buchen...possibly by Feb., 2010 and a successful biopsy report!
2. Faithful people getting involved in financial giving for **Lifehouse Village** and here at **Lifehouse Center**.
3. For faithfulness of people praying.

#### PRAYERS:

1. For a safe trip back to the States for Renea and for follow-up by hubby Don in California for a necessary Case Study on Lydia report.
2. For victory in Don and Renea's raising of 100% support before they can return and for the Lord's timing in this.
3. For abundant giving by caring people for our two ministries.
4. For Angie as she meets tomorrow and on the 15<sup>th</sup> with families of prospective children.
5. For continuing unity amongst our staff and kids and for determination by our kids to better their school marks.
6. On Sept. 8, I fell into an unseen hole in a flooded sidewalk and received a nasty cut to the shin bone. Three types of antibiotics, three doctors, seven garlic poultices, and the infection still remains. Please pray.
7. For more Warriors on the Walls.

Thanks and God bless.

In Christ,

**Ron**