

# THE EXIGENT CALL



## *a bolder step of Faith in Cambodia*

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*People can plan what they want to do, but it is the Lord who guides their steps. Proverbs 16: 9*

Greetings. These last few months, it has been traveling, speaking, greeting, fellowships, churches, and sharing my compelling Cambodian call to all who will listen. I did not let slip by, God-directed opportunities to attend Pastors and Worker's fellowships, thus meeting God's special people, our Pastors and Workers. I enjoyed my time at the Panay-Guimaras Pastors and Workers Fellowship, last June 3, 2019. I was also able to join the last night of NCF Camp, my home church's 43rd Anniversary in Piña and organizational fellowships of Womisso and Baptist men.

I thank God also for the opportunity to have fellowship with the Sucgang family, which allowed me to finally organize an itinerary for the Aklan area the last two Sundays of June. This schedule permitted a side trip to the beautiful, haven of Boracay. Two Sundays were productively used to visit two, nearby churches in the city.

On July 6, I was on a flight bound for Davao. On arrival, I went straight to Tagum City to attend the 2nd National Missions Conference, together with some PABWE board missionaries and colleagues. July 7, during Sunday evening, we had a special and historical missionary service in Tagum Fundamental Baptist Church where we celebrated God's faithfulness to PABWE Mission agency for 62 years at its birthplace. The three-day Missions Conference was packed full with igniting, mission messages, songs and testimonies.

At this point, my plans were directed and re-arranged by God. My health was not doing well. God had another plan, he wanted me to rest, within the fellowship of my family. So, instead of doing the next leg of my deputation schedule to Mindanao, I went home. I praise God for He is in control of everything, God knew that I was at the end of my strength. He was there to support and teach me how to be still and know that He is God. He is my great provider, supplying my needs, such as Ate Jing Tubongbanua to personally nurse me and accompany me home. God provided Ma'am Minda's family, which accommodated and understood my state, indeed God was so faithful to provide for all my needs.

When, I went back home, my family was understanding also and supportive of me. Yet two of the dearest people to me, were with the Lord, my uncle Ernesto and my Grandmother Margarita G. Jacosalem. They were both close to me, which affected my recovery a little, but again, God was and is in control. He knows everything has a purpose. He orders our steps as well as our stops. TO GOD BE THE GLORY.



### PRAISES:

- ❖ a time of rest and refreshment of soul
- ❖ God's provision, protection & faithfulness
- ❖ Faithful prayer partners and supporters



### PRAYER LISTS:

- ❖ God's timing concerning best & complete healing
- ❖ Quality time and ministry with my Jerusalem. (Family)
- ❖ God's time for Cambodia (next year)
- ❖ More prayer partners with definite pledges



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