

meet
D & L



THAILAND

**PSEUDONYMS FOR
REASONS OF SAFETY**



their story

D and L were both influenced by the churches they grew up in as they learned about how the Lord was working in the nations. They both have great memories of the Global Outreach weeks at their respective churches and hearing from different Global Workers. During these early years the Lord planted seeds in their hearts with a desire to serve overseas.

A few months into their first semester at Liberty University, they got to know each other and discussed how they wanted to serve the Lord in the future. After praying for months, they both felt called to reach the unreached. They both decided that nothing was more important to them than serving the Lord. They soon began the process of praying over the 10/40 window and the unreached areas within. Through this time, God revealed that Thailand was where He wanted them to go.

The first 12-24 months on the field will be dedicated solely to learning the heart language of the people of Thailand (Thai). Following this, they will still be improving their Thai language skills while focusing on church planting. They will spend their time engaging in discipleship and evangelism with the goal of seeing indigenous, Christ-centered churches naturally reproduce.

The Bible Chapel has partnered with this couple since the summer of 2023.

FEBRUARY 2024

PRAISE

- ❖ We are so thrilled to be expecting our first baby in July! We found an excellent doctor about 2 hours away in Bangkok. Your prayers would mean a lot to us as we navigate this significant transition as global workers and new parents.
- ❖ We have enjoyed attending a local Thai church as it helps with our language and adapting to the culture. They meet every Sunday in the conference room of a local hotel for over two hours. Our church usually has around 20 people in attendance, which is large for a church in Thailand. We are so grateful how welcoming everyone has been despite our limited Thai.
- ❖ We are so thankful that we were able to purchase a car this past month. This is such a blessing as it helps us navigate our city safely. The used car dealership we bought from utilizes their business for missions.
- ❖ We passed our first language module check and are progressing well in language study.

PRAYER

- Pray for our second language test this week. It consists of 40 minutes of Thai conversation.
- Pray for our continued adjustment to Thailand.
- Pray for diligence and proficiency in language learning
- Pray for our organization's Thailand field conference that we are attending this week.
- Pray for discernment and clarity as we begin to pray and consider different ministry placement locations.
- Pray for health and safety for L and our baby, and wisdom as we navigate details regarding having a baby in Thailand.
- **Next Meeting Tuesday, January 20, 2024 @ 8:30AM EST**