Mien & Family News --- from C. W. Callaway, August 2018

Dear Family & Friends,

For some reason I no longer have the energy I used to have. Could the fact that I will be turning 98 this month have anything to do with that? I can't travel as formerly but I do what I can for the Mien ministries by means of the computer. My main goal for this year is to finish the Mien Church History for the decade of the 1980's. Then next year to finish it up to 2000!

In April I learned that a Mien pastor from Vietnam was visiting U.S. Mien. But he is causing division by teaching false doctrines. I warned the Mien churches not to receive him and his teaching. Then over a period of weeks I prepared and sent out to Mien churches a series of studies re false doctrines and how to deal with them. Ever since Satan lied to Eve there have been teachers of deception.

Please pray that Mien Christians will keep faithful to Him who is THE WAY, THE TRUTH, and THE LIFE.

Some Recent Events

May 10-12 Over 40 attended the Church Multiplication Movement (CMM) Training at YMBC, Richmond, CA. Pray it will continue to impact many.

July 10-14 MCYA camp in California enthused and challenged many Jr. High & High School youth. The theme was "I follow Jesus"

I had a pleasant profitable visit from Pastor Wuon Kuon and his wife Faam Hin at end of June. They are from Thailand visiting U.S. Mien churches and he will be main speaker at Mien Family camp this month.





Faam Hin, CW, Wuon Kuon



Counselors, staff MCYA camp





Oregon, Wash. Women's Retreat



Faam Hin & Pastor Wuon Kuon at Mare Island naval museum 6/2018



Working on Mien Church History With pastors Wuon Kuon & Yau Tzan



Game time MCYA Camp 7/2018



9 youth were baptized



Wildfire near Redding.CA There have been many such this year in western states.



Departures & Arrivals

Last month my nephew Pastor Bill Johnston and my sister-in-law Willa Dean Callaway departed this life to a joyous welcome I believe in heaven.

My parents had 7 children and Lois' parents had 5. Now all of those 12 plus spouses are deceased except for me and one sister-in-law. I know my own days here are numbered and I look forward to heaven.

While grieving those who have departed I rejoice for the new arrivals. And I am happy that one brand new Great Grandson has joined my family. He is Daniel Parker Nicholson born last month to Enoch & Elizabeth.

PRAISE GOD

For continued progress among Mien in U.S. & abroad. For my relatively good health & that of my kids. Please uphold Mien ministries in your prayers.

SOME COMING EVENTS 2018

Aug. 10-12 Mien Family Camp at Lassen Pines, Viola, CA. Nov. 8-10 Couples' Retreat, Medford, OR

December –Dr. Youd Sinh will lead marriage / family conferences in Vietnam & Thailand.

MIEN AUDIO BIBLE

Several Mien in Thailand and U.S. are working on the recording of the whole Bible. So far almost ½ of the Old Testament & ½ of the New Testament is completed. You can listen now to the older recording of the New Testament at http://www.talkingbibles.net/files/00

55/NT/NT.html



With my love and prayers, CW

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