

Hello from Place of Rescue

“I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future.” Turn your eyes with me to the future.

In the immediate future I will be going to Canada, leaving Phnom Penh on Sept. 7 and returning Sept. 25. I will be visiting Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina, Chilliwack and Vancouver. The main event of this trip will take place on Sept. 12 in Calgary. Paul Brandt the renowned Country/Western singer will be putting on a benefit concert for Rescue on that day. I am sure this will be a truly memorable time! Join us there if you can! For information and tickets call Blaine at 403-973-5470 or email placeofrescue@shaw.ca.

In October we plan to open our own school. The building is going up according to schedule and we rejoice to see how beautiful it looks. The School will be for grades 1-6. We have all the teachers now which is a big answer to prayer. We have many children who are far behind in their studies. Some are having difficulties even learning the Cambodian alphabet as they simply are not used to learning. We keep adding more kids and now have 153.



We are investing in the future of Cambodia! Now we have three precious babies. Channa is 4 months old, Karuna is one month and Sovannara was born on Aug 15. They are greatly loved by everyone here. All three have been given to Place of Rescue. Channa's mother is staying here to be a kindergarten teacher so she will be near her little girl. The other two Moms will not be staying. We have one more Mom who will have her baby next year. We pray these teen-aged mothers will follow their commitment to the Lord after they leave Place of Rescue. We have come to love them and trust the Lord will give them a good future.,

For some, their eternal home may not be too far in the future. We now have 16 Grannies. Some are sick and some are a bit muddle-headed. All are loveable and we are so glad they are here to spend the last years of their lives in comfort. Living with the grannies is Savouen. She was born blind and has been praying to receive her sight. Recently she amazed us by beginning to see shadowy images! She can see the light bulb.



She can see if something is held in front of her and she delights us by reaching for it. We are encouraged to believe that God will finish what He started and will completely restore her sight. What a future she will have then!



Thank you for praying for us!

For all of us at **Place of Rescue**,
Marie Ens

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