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ICP/Hope Children's Home director, Junia, has planned a summer program to include forty-four children from the home as well as the children in the area. The VBS will be held the first week of April. Children will attend for six hours each day! They will use the ICP curriculum, *Lord of Kings* VBS along with the English-as-a-second-language program prepared by Brenda Jackson.

English as they study Bible lessons.

Hope Children's Home children learn



The ESL program uses the ICP *Character Code for Life* curriculum for its base reading materials. It is also recommended for ESL programs with Spanish and other languages. Junia commented that these "are tremendously awesome resources."



ICP Burmese project coordinator, Jacob Tubal, continues to translate and distribute the *CCfL* and VBS curriculums among the churches. His brother, Steven, has managed to find passage to Manila where Rita and I met with him several times while there.

Please pray for Steven and his sister, Hannah, who is with him. We hope to provide lodging for them at the ICP/His Offspring building. They will also be given some work so they can earn funds for attending seminary. Please pray with us that God will provide funds for this great need.

The chart shows how many children can have printed *Character Code for Life* materials with your donation. We are praying that "God will provide," and that God will use His people in His provision.

Number of Children	Printing Cost
1 class of 10	\$ 64.00
1 class of 25	\$ 130.00
1 class of 50	\$ 237.00
10 classes of 50	\$2,370.00

Please make this an object of prayer and, as the Lord leads, send your love offering to PO Box 2587, Texarkana, TX 75504 or give online at www.icplit.org





Moses reports that he and Titus are now translating module 3 of the *Character Code for Life* curriculum. Please pray for them as they plan for VBS in August.







Those of us who visited the Philippines in March found that the ministry is truly blessed with four workers who love the Lord and the children served by the ministry. Here are a few pictures of the great blessings found by Rita and Bill Johnson, John Sanders, William Henry, and Shane Saulsbury.

Missionary Michael Jordan Laxamana brought a group of teens for a visit of the facility. Florence will have plenty of printing to do. We were able to purchase enough paper to print two modules of the CCfL curriculum.

The second annual His Offspring Lectures were a great success. Speakers John Sanders, Rita Johnson and William Henry were a blessing to the faculty and students of two seminary campuses.

Although the container failed to arrive until after the USA

team left for home, the Filipinos were quick to get it unloaded and began to make plans for distribution of the VBS materials, hymnals, folding chairs, pillowcase dresses, toy trucks and so many other things. There were also over one thousand backpacks which will be distributed to selected churches for use in outreach ministry.

Special recognition is due to Shane Saulsbury, the press repair man. Shane gave of his time and expertise to fine tune the press and train Florence to operate it. He has become a vital part of the ICP mission team!





His Offspring annual

Bible conference.





for lunch and a tour of the ICP building.









The Filipino staff and their

American visitors take

time for a photo.

unload school books.



Waiting at American Embassy in Manila for replacement of Rita's lost passport.



What a blessing it was to be back with the dear folks in the Philippines. I enjoyed staying in the living quarters of our new multipurpose building above the

printing press which was in operation the entire time of my stay. It was great to have all our lectures and training in the building. I also enjoyed preaching at Grace MBC, with Pastor Jordan Laxamana, and New Covenant MBC, with Pastor Ruel Logrosa.

My training sessions were on how to maximize the use of Character Code for Life curriculum in the churches and schools of the Philippines. Also, a plan of action was put in place to use the backpack distribution at each participating church as a time to introduce Character Clubs to the children. Please pray for many souls to be reached through our ICP ministry in the Philippines and around the world.

