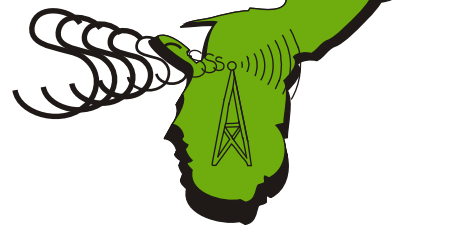




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A news letter from the Gregsons



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"Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; His love endures forever." Ps. 107:1

Dear Friends and Family,

We are writing this close to Thanksgiving so let us take this time to share how thankful we are to the Lord for all He has done in our lives. We thank Him also for each of you whom He uses to provide for our daily needs and help sustain us spiritually through prayer!



Lord willing, Doug will be away on Thanksgiving. He will be in Singapore helping with the regional office move (to another part of Singapore) and working together with others to help rebuild the computer network and audio production systems. He will be gone from Nov. 22nd through Dec. 10th. Denise and the girls plan to spend Thanksgiving morning at our church's Thanksgiving service and potluck where the girls will dance with the dance troupe. Then, if we haven't run out of steam, in the afternoon we will stop by to see some of the other TWR staff who will be getting together.

Since our next prayer letter will come after Christmas let us be one of the first to wish you a Merry Christmas! We look forward to having company over Christmas this year! Guam Christmases are certainly different than cold ones in the Northeast (like we enjoyed with our families last year) but we do find it much easier to avoid the commercialism of the holiday.



Okay, while we are at it can we go ahead and wish you a Happy New Year, as well? Our celebration will probably include our usual safe “fireworks (stomping on bubble wrap). Life surely changes with kids!

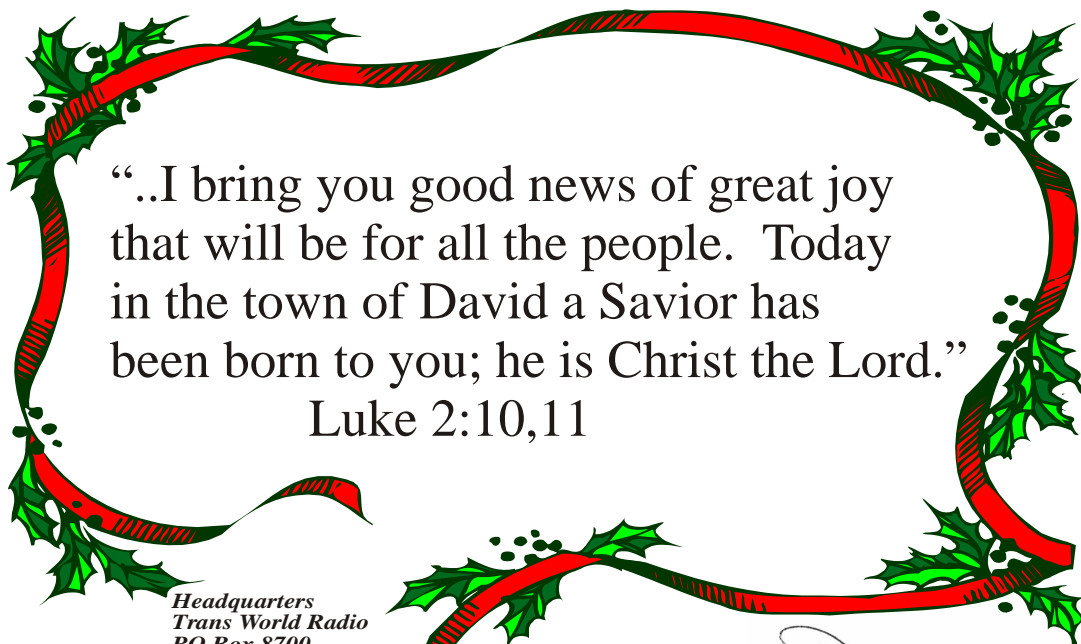
Last New Year’s found us nearing the end of our furlough and celebrating with friends and supporters in Massachusetts. A year can bring a lot of changes but most of the changes in our lives this past year were good ones.



On the home front, we have seen the girls make further adjustments to being sisters and really begin to play well together. We have seen Joy’s sleeping pattern settle down . We have settled into a homeschooling routine and further developed some friendships.

The start of the year with Trans World Radio included the repair work at the transmitter site after Typhoon Pongsona. Once completed, Doug got to work upgrading the computer systems and the end of the year will find him working to strengthen the computer networks in the region. Apart from the typhoon outages, we rejoice that the Lord has allowed KTWR to air approximately 97% of its programming. Your partnership with us has contributed to broadcasting some 14, 000 hours of evangelistic and training programs to Asia-Pacific this year! The region has seen substantial ministry and followup expansion this year.

Our Guam church has experienced a tremendous amount of change this past year as well. The church building has been completed, our previous property has been sold, two pastoral assistants have risen up out of the congregation and several new members have joined the church. Our church took the local Christian bookstore under its umbrella and clearing of some donated land has begun which will be farmed to raise benevolence funds. For us personally, we started a weekly cell group (bible study and prayer time) in our home and Doug has had ample opportunities to put his technical skills to work at the new church helping with the phones, computers, sound systems etc. *What kind of year has it been for you, overall?* We look forward to the correspondence and updates that arrive at this time of year and trust that whether you had a year of joys or trials, you found the Lord to be all-sufficient.



“..I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord.”
Luke 2:10,11

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