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Dear friends,

Psalm 100 reads:



"A psalm for giving thanks. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations."

This month we are taking time to give thanks and praise for all that God is doing and has done in the lives of women around the world and across generations. What a joy it is to be a part of this prayer movement and give God the glory for all he has done over the 19 years of Project Hannah's existence.

Today, join with one another and lift up your voices in praise to the Lord. Serve God today with a glad heart, and enter into the presence of God with a song on your lips. His love for you is everlasting. His power in you is greater than any power in the world, and his truth will last forever.

Jesus came to this earth to live a life that revealed God's love for us. Jesus died for us so we can have an eternal life with God forever. We can sing today! We can give praise today! We can have hope today!

I am very thankful for each and every one of you as you commit every day this month to praise and thanksgiving. You are vital to this ministry, and it makes my heart sing for joy knowing that you are lifting your voices in praise and thanksgiving for women around the world.

"O come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation. Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, and make a joyful noise unto him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand are the deep places of the earth: the strength of the hills is his also. The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands formed the dry land. O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the Lord our maker" (Psalms 95:1–6).

In him our hearts rejoice,

Peggy Banks Global Ministry Director Project Hannah

<u>Give praise to God for what he is doing in and through faithful intercessors praying with</u> <u>Project Hannah's global prayer team!</u>

Vietnam:

"We haven't heard any of TWR's programs directly from radio; however, we have received *Women of Hope* programs and prayer calendars in hard copy regularly during the last three years. Sisters here really like this program, and we all pray for the *Women of Hope* team every time we meet with each other. We realize that many of us here have good changes in how to dress, how to address others politely, how to have good dental hygiene, and how to look after our children. The special thing is everyone stands together in unity to share problems of each family, such as helping when someone is sick. We also quit all bad habits and customs that we did before, such as burning incense before the ancestors alter when someone died, making sacrifices, worshipping ancestors, and other money-costing rituals. Sisters here have not just stopped drinking but also have encouraged their husbands to stop drinking and gambling. Their children are also getting better in their behavior, and our group has a stronger bond."

"My prosthetic leg has been made, and I am very happy. Thank you so much for your help. My wife is a volunteer follow-up worker and a representative of women in [our] province together with 'Mrs. T,' a representative of women in [another] province. They regularly receive prayer calendars and deliver them. Every month my wife delivers 20 prayer calendars and Mrs. T delivers 50 to women in the provinces to pray. We give thanks to God."

Myanmar:

"Our Project Hannah prayer-group members have the opportunity to participate in a Scripture-reciting contest. Aside from individually praying every day the prayer requests mentioned in the Project Hannah prayer calendar, we have the opportunity to get together as a group to pray on Sundays at church after morning worship is over."

"God bless you all! I thank TWR Myanmar S'gaw Karen Project Hannah that I receive the Project Hannah prayer calendars on time. Every day I pray the prayer requests. I also have learned how to pray. I am also praying that more and more people will join Project Hannah's prayer group."

"Our prayer partners in the Project Hannah prayer group are always praying for women and girls around the world who are suffering hardships, trouble, and poverty. I feel sorry for these suffering women and girls when I learn about them. Except for praying for them, I can do nothing for them. Our prayer partners are very enthusiastic to pray. As a result of God's plan, the TWR Myanmar Project Hannah team encouraged us to meet together and pray as a group. For this reason, we praise God and especially thank TWR Myanmar Project Hannah. Our Project Hannah prayer group conducts a Bible-reciting contest once a month."