

NEPAL/INDIA REPORT #7

May 19, 2008

This is a more detailed account of what happened to us in East Nepal.

What we have come to call the great escape. There was a transportation strike that began shortly before our plane landed and

ended shortly after we left. Some may say this is a coincidence, but

it was definitely an attack from the enemy to hinder what the lord

had sent us there to do. At first it was just a nuisance requiring us

to take long diversionary routes to get where we were going. As the

week progressed it got worse until no taxis would take us any where.

They were afraid of having their vehicle damaged or burned.

By the grace of God only one of the events we planned was canceled.

Our purpose for being there was to train workers to reach the

unreached, and go to the remote villages. Over 50 people received

training in a two day workshop the first couple days we were there.

We also prayer walked a town where the team we are working with plans to plant a church. One remote village had a few believers

that had
been praying for someone to come there and preach the
Gospel. The day
we were scheduled to go was the second day no taxis were
running. We
took a 3 wheeled pedal rickshaw for a few miles until we
found a taxi
willing to risk it for three times the regular price. It took
over
an hour down dirt roads and cow trails, but we finally
arrived at the
village where God brought great victory. We will share
more details
and pictures in our next report.

As the day approached for us to leave, it looked as if we
might be
stranded where we were. No one knew when the strike
might end, and
no one wanted to take us to the airport. They were burning
vehicles
that tried to run the roadblocks including an ambulance.
The team
had a time of intercessory prayer over the situation. After
going to
two different cyber cafes we were finally able to find one
computer
that could access the internet and sent you the extreme
prayer
request. By God's grace an ambulance finally showed up
that was

willing to risk taking us to a hotel near the airport an hour
and a
half away. On our way we could see the black marks in the
road where
the road block had been, but God had removed it. The next
morning it
took us 30 minutes by pedal rickshaw to get to the
terminal. The
taxis still weren't running. (SEE PHOTOS BELOW) If we
had not
made it to the airport it could have cost us hundreds of
dollars.

Praise God for delivering us from the hand of the enemy

We are in Kathmandu speaking in churches, and planning
next years
training with the leaders here. Please continue to keep us in
prayer,
especially the return flight to the U.S. We leave Nepal May
26th,
spend the night in Bombay then head for the U.S. May
27th. We are
scheduled to arrive in Gulfport 4:30 P.M. May 28th. Our
health is
good, but keep praying for it. Thanks again for standing
with us. We
really feel the prayer power. You are an important part of
what God
has done here.

We cannot post this on the internet because of a virus we
picked up
at a cyber café. We plan to do so when we get back to the
U.S.

Servants of Jesus,

Henry & Ann



Getting ready to leave for the airport



Arriving at the terminal



Ann at the terminal