

NEPAL/INDIA REPORT #8

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One of the highlights of our ministry over the years has been the opportunity to go to remote and unreached villages with the Gospel.

We are scheduled to go to one this Friday, May 23. Monday we are supposed to catch a flight to Bombay. There we will meet with Shekhar to plan future work in India, and fly out Tuesday P.M. to the U.S. Intermittent transportation strikes plague us, so pray that all this will happen without any hindrances.

As we shared in our previous report, while we were in E. Nepal God used us to answer the prayers of a small group of believers in a remote village. They had been asking God to send someone to their village to preach the Gospel. After traveling over an hour down dirt roads and cow trails we arrived. The believers began to sing and a crowd gathered. For over three hours we shared the Gospel and taught the believers about The Kingdom. Most of the village came to listen

at some point. Several stayed for the full three hours. We gave three separate invitations to receive Jesus. Four people indicated a desire to do so. One old man, who appeared to be a village elder, was a believer full of the joy of the Lord. When some of the unbelievers began to heckle the crowd, he went over to them, and began to quietly and gently share Jesus. There was a real sense of the Holy Spirit moving during the entire time. God's word does not return void. The feeling among the team was that some of the ones that were heckling would eventually be saved and become leaders in the church. Attached are some pictures that show a little bit about our visit there.

We plan to return May, 2009, and hold a four week school of evangelism, discipleship, and church planting. Churches will be encouraged to send 1 or 2 people with the gift of teaching so they can be equipped to go back and train the people in their churches in basic Bible principles.

You continue to be an important part of what God is doing here. We can really feel the prayer power. Without it we could not have had the success we've had. Please hold us in prayer until you hear we're safely home. Also, pray for Reuben as he leads the work in Nepal and puts together the plans for next year's school.

Servants of Jesus,

Henry & Ann



Singing to start the meeting at the remote village



The village crowd that heard the Gospel



Sharing the good news



Praying with new believers