

Update from Bob & Jan Mac Lean February 25, 2012

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Greetings in Christ to all who share in this heartfelt effort to reach Indonesia for Christ. Our God does seem to be in the business of serendipity. Out of dire need He answered, and now all bills are paid, impound accounts restored - church planting fund, publishing account and pension fund - and we actually have a little money in the bank. Although special gifts have put us back in the black, it looks as though regular monthly income will continue to run about \$1,000 below basic needs.

Jan's slow healing led to postponing departure for Indonesia. Then we experienced a once-in-a-lifetime - (we hope) serious leak and much mold in our Visalia home. After much naive fumbling around, we finally sorted everything out and in the end our insurance company is paying for everything including the motel we're writing this from as the actual mold remediation is being carried out.

We have published our long-sought book, "Rencana Penebusan" (Scheme of Redemption). Now we are eager to return to help get it into the hand of those students, preachers, and scholars who need it. We also would like to produce a study manual to accompany the book. We figure this will be \$1,650 total cost spent over an eight-month period.

We have seen a good beginning among five young preacher-evangelists. We want to work with them as they put their hearts to building new churches using the focus brought through DCPI (Dynamic Church Planters International) principals. We are already working to add others to this training program. One earnest young businessman is begging for training because he and his faithful wife have plans to start a new church. An established preacher with a small non-growing church is opening his heart to this program. He and a few leaders want to build their church for Christ. The list goes on; the opportunities abound; we are eager to return to Indonesia. Pray for us.

God's serendipity, God's blessings - again and again out of our misfortune - whoever does not think God is concerned, loves us, and blesses us certainly does not live where we live. Oh how He loves you and me. Praise His holy name.

Gratefully in God's hands and yours for a Christian Indonesia.

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