

Palawan Tribal Ministries

Reaching tribes in remote mountain villages

Island of Palawan

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Dear Christian Friends:

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We have ministered undercover in Vietnam for 27 years. Norris has passed through Saigon airport 90 times without his luggage being searched. We are grateful to the Lord for his marvelous protection.

Norris had a mission professor in Bible college stress “Successful missionaries will leave a ministry, not dependent on foreign support, but indigenously 100-fold financed nationally.” As of July 1, 2018, we have Vietnam staff and Charity Orphanage fully supported by businesses in Lam Dong, Vietnam.

We are focusing our missionary outreach to empowering the tribal pastors on Palawan. We have built 7 tribal churches on Palawan Island during the last 10 years. Our newest 2018 tribal church plant on Palawan is growing rapidly. Talabungan Faith Baptist Church is composed of 100% Tagbanua Tribal Members. On Sunday July 29, 2018, six new tribal converts were baptized in the ocean.



Tagbanua Tribal Pastor Randy D. Cong baptized 6 new converts on Sunday July 29, 2018 in the ocean off Berong, Palawan. Because of low tide, Pastor Randy and six baptismal candidates had to walk out far from shore.

Palawan Island is 275 miles long and 24 miles wide. Palawan is home to several indigenous tribes residing in remote mountain villages. We are establishing our Palawan Tribal Ministries office in Quezon, some 3-hours southwest of Puerto Princesa. Tagbanua Tribal Pastor Randy Cong serves on PTM staff as tribal ministry coordinator and his wife, Miechel, as our secretary.





**Talabungan Faith Baptist Church, Tagbanua Tribal Pastor
Davenecio Danglong: church founded in January 2018**

The Tagbanua Tribe are one of the oldest ethnic minority groups in the Philippines. Anthropologists suggest: "The Tagbanua are possible descendants of the TABON-MAN, thus making them one of the original inhabitants of the Philippines." The 215 known Tabon caves are located near Quezon, Palawan. Norris has been with tribal pastors on a Banka Boat passing by the caves but were unable to enter any of the seven open to the public due to inclement weather.

Tagbanua Pastor Randy, our Palawan Tribal Ministries Coordinator, has five tribal students, he is teaching doctrine and theology. The five are from deep interior regions and will be able to live and plant churches in primitive areas.

PSALM 41:1 "BLESSED is he that considereth the poor: the LORD will deliver him in time of trouble."

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