

# Brittens to Britain

**Sending Church:** New Life Baptist Church, Chiang Mai, Thailand



Dear Friends,

Last week I sent out a ministry prayer letter that I hope you received. This letter is for a prayer request related to our family. We would very much appreciate your prayers for Linda's mother who is in the final stages of cancer.

She has been given a few months to live. She is very frail and is barely able to take in food. Having said that, on video calls she does respond to questions and recognizes the family members. We are grateful to have the opportunity to see her and pray for her everyday, although, of course, it is not the same as being there in person. Linda has consistently shared the Gospel with her mother and recently she has expressed the desire to put her faith in Jesus Christ. Only today (Sunday 10th) Linda and I prayed for her during a video call and asked her if she understood her guilt before God as a sinner. She confessed to her sin and nodded when we asked if she understood the Gospel. We asked her if she did indeed want to put her faith in Jesus Christ and, again, she affirmed that she did.

We don't want to make any assumptions based on the communications that have taken place. A person that has lived out his or her life following a false religion will have some profound issues of the heart. Perhaps Linda's mother simply wants to say 'yes' to comfort Linda. We simply do not know.

Whatever the case, please pray for her: that she will not suffer unbearably and that having heard the Gospel she will sincerely trust Jesus Christ for her salvation. We thank you so much for prayers to this end. Please also pray for the family, especially Linda, for whom being absent from her mother is so difficult. If God permits her mother to live beyond our expectations then perhaps we will have an opportunity to go back and see her. Thus far, due to our family situation, the current pandemic and Linda's visa renewal process we decided not to travel. We are grateful that Linda has four sisters that can nurse their mother during this time.

Linda's mother's name is Chan (pronounced 'Jan').

Again, thank you for your prayers.

Kind regards,  
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