

“STEP BY STEP!”

IN A PENALTY SHOOT OUT THE KICKER normally takes a number of short steps before striding into the main kick. Adjustment of direction, with coordination of movement, all need to be in place for the successful kick to be made.



Even though we are keen to get a strong momentum going in the Thai work, just now we have to be content with a series of small steps, each one being vital for future progress.

Some key steps just now are:

- * **Feedback from Camp.** At the recent meeting of the Thai committee, we reviewed all the comments received from those who attended. From this we took out helpful suggestions to help us run things better in next year's Camp.
- * **Fellowship weekend** is the next time we all meet together. To be held on 19th October at Harborne Baptist church in Birmingham, we will have three bible talks based on 3 churches in Revelation 2-3, and are trusting for a new work of God in the hearts of all.
- * **The fellowship groups** continue to reach out to new people, and several report newcomers coming along to checkout the Christian faith. On 6th October a new Thai believer from the Twickenham group will be baptized, an important step in her commitment to the Lord.



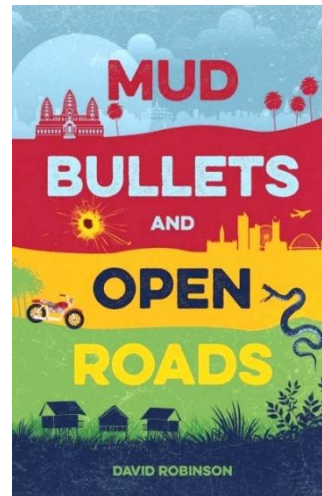
Dr & Mrs Don

* We are very thrilled to see **Christian marriages** and homes come into being, especially

amongst our 'returnees' to Thailand. The wedding of Dr Don and Ms On took place mid-September and that of Mr Toh and Ms Ploy is due 12th October.

* **Book news.** A special 'step' for David has been the writing of his autobiography, due to be published 4th November. Entitled "Mud Bullets and Open Roads", it tells the story of his missionary experience in 3 countries, Thailand, Cambodia, and in the UK over a 50 year period.

"Those who sow in tears will reap with songs of joy. He who goes out weeping, carrying seed to sow, will return with songs of joy, carrying sheaves with him." (Psalm 126.5f)



Our prayer is that the book will encourage people not only to fully embrace Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour, but will motivate them to step out in Christian service, knowing that the Lord will care for them every step of the way.

Hopefully you will not only enjoy reading it, but will find it useful to give to others, to encourage them to serve the Lord.

It is published by "10of Those", whose contact details may be found here:

<https://uk.10ofthose.com/product/9781837280285/mud-bullets-and-open-roads-paperback>

Please pray that each of these seeming small steps of service and preparation will result in good progress in the Thai work in the coming days.

Also for prayer

- * Several Thai believers are visiting Thailand this month, attending the wedding of Toh and Ploy; pray they may also be good witnesses to family members.
- * The new groups in Oxford and Canterbury are struggling a bit; pray that they become settled and have a steady flow of new members.
- * The monthly Thai fellowship groups have just started a new bible study series in 2 Timothy; pray the material will build up the faith of all the members.
- * The Fellowship Weekend is in Birmingham for the first time! Pray for good attendance of Thai adults and children, rich ministry, and warm fellowship.
- * Our parent mission, OMF, is planning a future move to Manchester; pray the Lord will guide mission leaders to the premises of his choice.
- * Ongoing medical care; pray for both Mary (chemo), and for granddaughter Isobel, (knee surgery).

Thanks for praying.

David and Mary

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