

PHILIPPINE FRONTLINE MINISTRIES

35 Years of "Working While it's Day"



Hello once again from the Frontline!

Rowena and I are on the move again (the picture is Beijing, China, on our way to the USA). Since committing my life to Christ nearly 37 years ago I've been "on the move," pursuing the Lord and the work of the Gospel. The same is true of my wife, who has been in full time ministry now for the past 32 years. We are blessed to be called to *reach and help people find their way back to God*. For twenty years we were blessed to travel the Philippines with a team of committed young people, reaching people primarily through our big tent gospel meetings. Frontline today

remains passionate about evangelism but now through four strategic areas: Church Planting, Education, Compassion Ministries, and Social Enterprise initiatives. We both love our jobs!



Kinder2 student presenting his "moving up" diploma, and EJ being congratulated. Just a few years ago EJ was still roaming the streets just to survive.

One of our favorite times of year now is April, when the commencement exercises of our school happen. I'm always touched deeply when I see the young people receive academic and character awards, as they are "moving up" or graduating. This year there were several occasions for tears as we watched the students (some formerly abandoned or abused kids in our *Face the Children* program) graduating and receiving awards. We listened to some amazing speeches from our valedictorians, outlining how students and their families have been touched by the genuine care at FCA. Many have come to Christ through the ministry of our school!

We are also blessed to see God doing wonderful things in our social enterprise undertakings, where not only do we provide jobs, but enjoy a work environment where God is moving in lives of our staff. We have a great work force in both our

technology company and our developing sewing factory enjoying an open and loving culture, where the favorite time of the week is *devotions*. In our devotional times we are free to share our hearts, pray for each other, and are seeing people come to know Christ.

Our churches are also growing and reproducing. We now have eight Frontline Worship Center campuses, and two new outreach sites in development. Truly, God is moving, and like I said... *we love our job!*

Once again, *thank you* for partnering with us. You can be proud that your support is making a significant difference in the lives of so many people!

Working While it's Day,

Jeff Pessina, Director
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Visiting friends visiting from Montana sharing a devotional with company employees.