WILLIAMS



Katrina & Kyle Williams

SOUTHEAST ASIA

LANGUAGE

Thai

MINISTRY PRIORITIES

Education, Training and Capacity Building

CHILDREN

lan Adi Eli Abram

BIRTHDAYS

Katrina 7/18 Kyle 5/28 Ian/Adult Adi 5/15 Eli 4/23 Abram 9/29







ABOUT

KATRINA and KYLE serve as global servants with International Ministries in Southeast Asia. Kyle partners with multiple groups to work towards building peace, educating, and mobilizing the church. One group, the Mekong Minority Foundation (MMF), brings biblical education to hill tribe churches in three

countries. Their network of over ninety churches works together to strengthen each other as they share the Gospel within their villages and communities. Kyle leads conflict transformation workshops amongst these churches and the extended communities, while also teaching classes at Kawthoolei Hope Theological Seminary (KHTS) as part of their peace studies program. Katrina partners with the Chiang Rai International Christian School (CRICS), teaching in their science department and their student success program, which gives children with various learning differences the extra help they need to be successful. In addition to her professional teaching, she homeschools two of their children.



MINISTRY STORY

Many who follow us on Facebook know the hardships across the border. 2023 was a difficult year seeing damage and death throughout the country. It is becoming clear that the increased brutality is a last gasp as the resistance continues gaining. God continues to move through the local church as it lives out the Gospel, feeding and clothing many. Graduated students from the seminary's peace studies program are joining a movement that, God willing, will see an end to violence in their villages and cities. The church is actively pushing for peace, with this being the first time in seven decades that change is possible, as principalities of darkness continue to lose their grip on the country. The next five years in this small country's future will be so important to pray for and support to bring spiritual health to this region.

For Katrina, working with students who struggle in traditional school settings has been especially rewarding these last few years. Since beginning to work with struggling readers, test scores have steadily risen, and feedback from their missionary parents has been so positive. It is encouraging to know that they, too, are appreciative and seeing growth in their children. Many global servants leave the field because it lacks the educational support needed for their kids. It is so rewarding to be part of the team of teachers who support these students, setting them up for a brighter future while giving their parents the peace of mind to focus on ministry.



Students imagine their "ideal village" as part of a class on planning and strategy.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for all our students at KHTS and CRICS, that they will encounter the Living God as he equips this new generation.

Pray for the teachers at both CRICS and KHTS as each institution grows.

Pray for perseverance as we face small hardships of many kinds and that we'll focus our eyes on Jesus.

SCRIPTURE

"Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism;"

Ephesians 4: 3-5 (NIV)

