



# Frank Denisi

## Reaching the Philippines

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Dear Praying Friend & Supporters:

Thank you for constantly praying for me and the work here in the Philippines. Your prayers are felt all the way over here. What a power and privilege to be able to bring our requests before the throne of God! Thank you for all those who are keeping in contact with me, just a small note here and there, and a quick e-mail goes a long way in encouraging your missionaries. Please do update me if there are changes, such as address or a pastoral change. I have decided for the next few prayer letters to kind of “spotlight” some of the souls here that your giving and prayers have reached. I trust this will be a blessing to you. Do let me know if these are a blessing to you and I will continue to send more stories of the saving power of Christ on the mission field. Your missions giving is making a difference!

Our barrio is a hotbed of crime and drugs, and our church folks are not immune to the damage that this kind of sin causes. I know this may relate to you back home in the States, but if you have family or friends who are hooked on drugs, never give up praying for them. The power of God is much more powerful than any stronghold of drugs or whatever device Satan has to offer. Boldy, we started to pray for God to send us the worst of the worst, that his power may be made manifest for all to see as a light in the darkness of our barrio.

Two of our boys who were saved in our VBS, their names are Welmer and Jaireh, shared to me just how bad their lives were. They wanted help, but didn't know where to go. Their mother recently died, and their Dad, “The Jaguar” was the notorious drug dealer who was arrested under the drug crackdown under our new president. These boys were taken in by social welfare but kept running away from their foster homes. Eventually, we found them and they joined our VBS. Miraculously, they were both saved! We prayed and prayed for their father to get out of jail, but first to be saved. If he didn't get saved in the jail, he would inevitably revert back to his life of crime, and there would be no change. The older boy would to have run drugs for the syndicate in their barrio. It would give them at least some money to buy food. While in jail, the Jaguar (a name given because of his reputation), gave his heart to the Lord! He finally got out jail this past May! He came to me directly and said, “Pastor, I want to serve the Lord. Please, train me.” So here I am right now, with the most (former) notorious drug dealer in our barrio as one of my Bible students and disciple. Only God could do that! It goes without saying, but I definitely need your prayers. God is using his testimony in a great way, and many of his “former business partners” are now following in his example and giving their hearts to the Lord! During his testimony he jokes that he was once the “The Jaguar”, but now God has now made him into the “The Kitten”. By the way, remember those two young boys? They both have soft hearts for the Lord, and much potential, but they need your prayers as well. Please pray for their father Joselito (The Jaguar) and the two boys, Welmer and Jaireh.

- Please keep in prayer our land purchase. We are praying for God to provide the \$40,000 needed for our down payment which is due at the turn of the new year if ever we are going to purchase the property we are on now.
- Pray for our Christian school ministry as it has become a great tool for evangelism. Whole families have been coming to Christ. I will try to feature one of the families in an upcoming letter. The school ministry is all about souls. That will never change. Everything we do is for souls to be saved.
- Pray for our upcoming coming conferences and our newest families and members in the church, The Lopez's, The Gutierrez's, The Melgar's. Also pray for Sis. Chen, Bro. Doniel, Sis. Faith, Sis. Kakay and Sis. Irish and Trisha. We also added 2 more deaf converts through Baptism!

Thank you for remembering us, it a blessing to partner with you in reaching the souls of Cebuano people.

Your Missionary,  
*Frank Denisi*  
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**Other prayer Requests:** Bible College provisions, Campus Ministries, more workers for the harvest, more souls saved and baptized



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