



# SWAT REPORT 247

The king hath commanded me a business...  
because the king's business required haste.  
1 Sam.. 21:2,8

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## THE BUSINESS OF THE KING...IN THE PHILIPPINES

Bro. Greg Stedman preached Wednesday night and used the text "and this work goeth fast on, and prospereth in their hands."...from Ezek. 5:8. This is very descriptive of this ministry...and YES the Stedman's have arrived and are settled and becoming a real blessing to this ministry. The verse above mentions that the business requireth haste. This would apply to our ministry here because the god of this world will not long tolerate such a ministry as ours.

## HELPING THE MAIMED

Since we cannot heal the maimed and make them whole (Mt. 15:31) the church helped Chris so that he would be more comfortable coming to the church and serving the Lord. Chris is 27 and lives at the boys' home where we minister. He came to church on his, own and we noticed that the crutches he had were very old and uncomfortable, so we gave him a new pair. I would love to see Chris in the Bible Institute soon.

## BEING FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLYING

Ray is one of our grads from Camiguin Island just off the coast from our city. Last week Bro. Stedman and I made a missions trip to help Ray who is starting a church in his hometown. He is starting from below scratch, so it has been very slow. The pastors on the island are not public ministers, nor do they all have Bible doctrines all straight. We held two evening meetings among them teaching on these subjects, and it seemed to be received fairly well. The encouragement to Ray was more than I could have imagined.

Bro. Stedman and I preached on the ferry boat coming and going and tracted all on board...notice the two Muslim women reading the gospel tracts all by themselves. If you give them a tract when they are with other Muslims, they will not read it.







## NEW PRAYER CARD ATTACHED

We will not be able to send everyone a new prayer card, but we are attaching one to this report and you may feel free to print it out for your refrigerator and give them away to any and all who may desire one.

## MAKING A GREAT EFFORT FOR A ONE TIME OPPORTUNITY

Construction has begun on the ministry buildings the Lord will give us, and I am going to put a great effort into completely paying for the buildings. God gave us the land and paid for it in three weeks and we have peace that the Lord will allow the money to be raised to finish this project. I am coming to USA Sept. 26 and will stay until Nov. 4. Within that time I will present this unique investment opportunity in 13 meetings across five states. Please pray for the Lord to touch hearts so that this work can be totally independent. Thank the good Lord for Pastor James Manalo and Pastor Greg Stedman. With them as partners, the work will not miss a beat. The Institute is taking a semester break and will begin again first week of 2017. Please take notice of the IBMP flyer that is attached. We will allow students to come from the USA. For a person called to the mission field, this would be a shortcut to gaining experience and an education on the foreign field.



Click here to watch a short video of the new property:

[BBBC Lumbia](#)



We would love to receive a reply or a phone call from our readers. Call 850-208-3773, but remember that we are 12 hours AHEAD of EST. The call costs you nothing.

Serving with you but in a foreign foxhole,  
Gerald Sutek and the SWAT TEAM for Christ

*Gerald Sutek*

2 Tim. 1:8