

# THE JOURNEY

NEWS FROM LU & THE KLDP ~ SEPTEMBER 2022

## HELLO FROM NEVADA

For the last 6 weeks, I have been staying with my dad. He turned 90 and I took full advantage of my new Medicare status. I've had great success in getting evaluated by every specialist I'd hope to see. I'm grateful for the path I am on to steward my aging body :-). I've been busy! Like much of the world...I have worked (virtually) from Carson during this time.



## KLDP TRAVELS

It's been a busy Spring for the KLDP staff! In April, Keeki, Pang and Chai (alumni) joined me on a whirlwind fundraising trip to the Pacific NW and Carson City. Yes, we came down with Covid...but the timing was perfect! Six weeks later, Pang and Lu returned to attend the Co-Serve International Servant Leadership Academy and after, Keeki joined us in Portland for the Co-Serve International Conference.

## CLICK HERE!

Here are two great links:

Click here to see an 8 minute interview with our Chai, KLDP Alumni:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VR-QcBAe\\_v4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VR-QcBAe_v4)

Click here to see our new KLDF (the foundation) web page:

<https://www.kldf-cnx.org/>

# WHAT'S NEW...



It's true...our staff residence is complete...hooray! 😊

However, we were surprised to learn that we must construct a new electrical connection that will accommodate the residence AND our future dorm/office and classrooms. This will take about 4 months 🙄 to complete. In the meantime, we are planting trees on the property...and dreaming about our future home.

## NEXT STEPS

We continue to raise the funds we need to build our dorm/office and classrooms. We have a small banana tree business that should bear fruit this year. We are exploring a special coffee production idea that could help raise funds...eventually. If you can help us raise our funds to construct our future home - we'd be so grateful. In the mean time - we will continue to take a few new students each year.

This year we are excited to resume our outreach visits to Karen villages. These are excellent opportunities for our students to serve and share. We are also developing our "gap year" idea - Influential Life Program. This will be a 9 month program for 30 + students - which will begin once we are in our future home.

Thank you for your prayers and continued love and support !



## GIVE!

### TO OUR GENERAL FUND

[HTTPS://CO-SERVE.ORG/GIVING.HTML](https://co-serve.org/giving.html)

### TO OUR BUILDING FUND

[HTTPS://CO-SERVE.ORG/KLDPBUILDING.HTML](https://co-serve.org/klDPBUILDING.HTML)