

# Mandley Missionary Videos

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**Dearly Loved Ones,**  
Phnom Penh, Cambodia is a city of 3,000,000 people. We think most of them rode scooters past us, here are a few:



## Khmer Rouge

Communist Khmer Rouge ruled Cambodia in the 1970s. They forced everyone out of the cities, making them farmers/laborers. They tried to eliminate the educated populace and anti-Khmer Rouge forces. They slaughtered lawyers, doctors, nurses, teachers; those who wore glasses or could read. Up to 3 million were killed, nearly half the population. Cambodia is the only country in modern history whose genocide was against its own ethnic group. We saw where prisoners were tortured and heard how landmines are still found across the countryside. Losing most of the educated population has caused a slow recovery. You see oppression, fear and uncertainty in almost everyone's eyes.



*Buddhist Temple where we videotaped Bunthouen*

## Animism

Most Cambodians practice Buddhism. But they are also animists who worship spirits that must be appeased. Cambodians think these spirits are their ancestors or spirits from nature; they are feared. Often scooters are driven at night without lights, that way the spirits can not follow them. Generally the kids under 13 appear unaffected. We could also truly see a sparkle in the eyes of those who have found love, peace and freedom in Jesus.



*Mac videotaping the river*

## Jean Johnson and Diane Campbell

We helped missionaries Jean Johnson and Diane Campbell. These two women planted a church about an hour's drive from Phnom Penh. It is growing and excited about Jesus. Pastor Bunthouen's family live on the village's main road. Their changed lives are visible to the whole village.

They planted this church using methods that fit the Cambodian culture. This enables their national team to plant other churches without needing western materials. What a privilege to videotape this ministry, helping them show what God is doing. :-)



*Bunthouen, Mac videotaping, Diane, & Jean at the temple*

## Thanks and a Request,

We gratefully thank you for your support. Your prayers for us, our travels and our equipment mean a lot. This trip our main camera worked sporadically and our microphones quit. But praise God, through your prayers we still finished the Cambodian videos on time!

Currently our support covers about 40% of our expenses. We have made up the difference by using funds from the sale of our San Diego home. But those funds are nearly depleted. We are looking forward to seeing how God is going to work in the delightful ministry he has given us. Keep praying!

If you know of anyone who would be interested in supporting *Mandley Missionary Videos* please give them our contact information. If you would like to show them our promotional DVD that tells about this ministry, let us know and we will send you a copy.

## Our Prayer for You:

Dear Awesome Holy Father, We are blessed by friends that support and love You. Thank You for them. Thank You for helping everything they are doing reflect Your love and care. Thank You for health and safety for them and their families. Thank You for carefully watching over and guarding each encourager in our lives.

We also pray that You would give them a growing awareness of all You are doing through them. We are so very grateful dear Jesus that You are praying through us and with us; allowing us to come before our Father in Your name. We love You, AMEN!

**Bye-now! Mac & Barb Mandley**



*Horse cart passing Bunthouen's house on main road during a torrential downpour.*



*Mac videotaping Bunthouen's father*



*Barb videotaping Bunthouen & Diane at leadership training*

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