

MISSIONARY PROFILE

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Jack and Michiko Coolbaugh

Intermediate Missionaries to Thailand

Missionary # 925

Transportation: Motorhome

Who Is Traveling: Jack and Michiko



Jack was born on August 23, 1941. He speaks English and Thai. His ministry involvement includes:

- Bible school teaching
- Bible school administration

Michiko was born on December 9, 1935. She speaks English and Japanese fluently. Her ministry involvement includes:

- prayer ministry

Biography

In 1994 the Coolbaughs left secular employment to minister in Thailand. After learning the difficult Thai language, with Sister Coolbaugh supporting through prayer, fasting and homemaking, Brother Coolbaugh opened a full time Bible school in 1999 in a local church building and then designed and built a permanent school facility in 2003. For the first three school years, Brother Coolbaugh was the only instructor, but now all of the school administration and teaching staff are those that graduated under his teaching.

To date more than 200 have studied at the school, with 83 staying the full two years to graduation. These young graduates are transforming the outreach, worship and lifestyle of the church throughout Thailand with their enthusiasm, strong spiritual standards and excellent knowledge of the Word of God. Some graduates have become pastors of churches, some hold important positions in the organization, some are Bible school staff and teachers, and some have been instrumental in helping establish new churches.

The focus during the coming years will be on evangelizing unreached areas of Thailand through the efforts of the Bible school and its staff and graduates.