

# Earnest Care

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to Spread the Gospel



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## *Joy in Serving Jesus; Joy in Sowing Seed*

During my most recent mission trip to the Philippines I was reminded that there is joy in serving Jesus. Many times we sang the words to the old familiar hymn, "There is Joy in Serving Jesus" as we traveled from place to place and from island to island. But in all the travels; waiting in airports and taking long van rides I was challenged in my heart by these words. I found that there really is joy in every circumstance and situation that we find ourselves in if we have our focus on serving Jesus and not on the challenge we might be facing.



Pastor Ernie "sowing seed"



Fruit from last year's ministry

We traveled many miles to 3 different locations to bring the Gospel to the people in the Philippines. The Bible tells us in 1 Corinthians 3:7 and 8, "So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase. Now he that planteth and he that watereth are one: and every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labor." What a joy it was to be able to meet several families that are now involved in Bible studies and attending church in Davao, Mindano as a result of seeds that were planted in that city last year! Please pray for Pastor Nero, Pastor Ransom and Pastor JP as they follow up on the gospel seeds that were planted in their areas this year. We all can participate to the glory of God in the process of winning people to Jesus Christ. Has God called you to plant, or does He want you to water the seeds that someone else has planted? God needs people who are willing to work in the harvest fields today.



Stephen "sowing seed"

Thank you to each and every one of you that took the time to pray for our team while we were in the Philippines. We could not do it without your prayers on our behalf. Please keep praying for the seeds to grow that were sown in the Philippines in May 2013

In Christian Love,

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