

**Mongolia V.E.T. Net NGO  
Gift of Love Report 2021**

**Zavkhan Aimag, Songino County  
Good News for Enkhbayar's Family**



V.E.T. Net Gift of Love team in Zavkhan Aimag. From the left: Driver Jargalsaikhan, teacher Munkhtuya, a local veterinarian, teacher Enkhtuvshin and V.E.T. Net veterinarian Uuganzorig.

The Corona virus disease has been quiet a big brick wall for our mission trips and summer schools in the rural parts of Mongolia for several months. As you have been praying for our ministry here, we were enabled distribute our Gifts of Love and share the Good News of Jesus Christ in Arkhangai, Khuvsgul, Khentii and Zavkhan Aimags (provinces of Mongolia) in August, 2021. I praise and thank God for this opportunity to serve in eight counties of Zavkhan Aimag after the quarantine was over. My V.E.T. Net co-workers -

teacher Munkhtuya, veterinarian Uuganzorig, driver Jargalsaikhan and a veterinary intern Battulga joined to serve 40 families in Uliastai, Tes, Numrug, Yaruu, Ider, Telmen and Ikh-uul Counties. We have given away total of 128 sheep and shared the Good News of Jesus Christ with 16 people. I thank and praise God for this opportunity to meet, visit and fellowship with our brothers and sisters in Christ and encourage them with God's living word – the Bible. Because of COVID quarantine and restrictions our Claim a County for Christ ministry and Summer Schools for herders' children were closed for this summer but the Gift of Love trip enabled us to visit and fellowship with the local believers.

In Songino County, we met Enkhbayar's family which was the most pathetic one to me among the 40 families who received the Gift of Love. I am glad that the County government chose this family to receive the Gift of Love. During the Socialist regime Enkhbayar was a herder. He tended sheep for the government of Mongolia. He used to receive a monthly salary to provide for his family. In those days, herders were not allowed to



V.E.T. Net Veterinarian Uuganzorig is distributing the sheep to needy families.

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own much livestock. He had no money in the bank and no livestock of his own to feed his family when the Socialist regime fell down. Then he got sick – a cancer started eating his internal organs. Doctors gave up treating this cancer several years ago. He could not look after the sheep and goat and the entire family moved to the County Center, a small village. There he could not find a suitable job to provide for his family. Thus, he became one of the pitiful sick men who receives a small amount of social health care money only to face the inflation. It is a real challenge for him and his wife to make the ends meet with this little allowance from the government of Mongolia.

There were more challenges in this family. Enkhbayar and his wife Nyamdavaa have two children – a son and a daughter. Their daughter Siilegmaa is 20 years old this year. She has a hip displacement from her birthday. The midwife pulled her leg too hard because her mother was struggling to give birth to Siilegmaa. Thus, she grew up facing ridicule and underestimation. However, she made it to the Teacher's University of Mongolia in Ulaanbaatar city. She studied there for a year and stayed home for a year due



Enkhbayar, his wife Nyamdavaa, daughter Siilegmaa and V.E.T. Net teacher Munkhtuya.



V.E.T. Net teacher Munkhtuya is explaining to Siilegmaa how to use the Audio Bible. Enkhbayar is watching them.

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to COVID quarantine. She is hoping to go back to Ulaanbaatar city to continue her studies to become a primary school teacher. My co-worker, V.E.T. Net teacher Munkhtuya shared about God and Jesus with her and gave her an Audio Bible. Siilegmaa and I are going to stay in touch via Facebook as long as she is able to purchase internet data for her phone. I left with her Our Daily Bread devotional guide for a year. This devotional has been a very convenient little tool for me to have my quiet time with God. I pray that Siilegmaa would find it the same.

Chinese motorcycles are common form of transportation in rural Mongolia. About six months ago Enkhbayar's son had a motorcycle accident and got seriously injured. He is not getting well. His mother Nyamdavaa is full of anxiety and despair in the midst of these tragedies. She is exhausted from caring for her family members. She prays to who knows what to let her husband stay with them. We told her that God – the One True God cares for everyone on



V.E.T. Net teacher Enkhtuvshin is explaining to Siilegmaa how to use the Our Daily Bread devotional.

this earth. Thus, we shared the Good News – the only true source of hope with these people and headed to the next County. Siilegmaa seemed very touched by the message and was eager to keep in touch with me via Facebook, read the Our Daily Bread and listen to the Audio Bible which we gave to her.

As the COVID quarantine loosens V.E.T. Net is planning to serve Songino County through our Claim a County for Christ ministry. In that case, Enkhbayar's home is an open house for V.E.T. Net team. We praise God for this new friendship with Siilegmaa and her family. Therefore, my dear sisters and brothers in Christ please keep Siilegmaa and her family in your prayers. Please pray for their salvation and physical healings.

This trip enabled us to teach some herders about parasite diseases and importance of preventing such disease. Our team member, young veterinarian Battulga is one of eight veterinary interns at V.E.T. Net since June 2021. He taught his first lesson to four herders and the local government officials who joined us in distributing the Gift of Love, the sheep to the needy families. He was tutored by V.E.T. Net veterinarian Uuganzorig to teach those lesson to the herders in Songino County. Veterinarian Uuganzorig

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did a good job of instructing and correcting Battulga as a veterinarian. Thus they taught total of 35 herders in seven counties of Zavkhan Aimag.



V.E.T. Net intern Battulga is teaching the herders in Songino County. V.E.T. Net veterinarian Uuganzorig is observing the lesson as an instructor. Enkhbayar is standing in the blue deel.

The local veterinarian in Songino county is called Jamgan. He was very easy to partner with in Gift of Love project and ministry. Besides distributing the Gift of Love to the needy families, he was



V.E.T. Net teacher Enkhtuvshin

really looking forward to the Herders' Training for the herders in Songino County. Sadly, the government restrictions for gathering the multitude due to COVID outbreak had stopped us from this and we ended up training only four herders there. The COVID case numbers were especially high this month – August 2021. We are prayerfully anticipating for the opportunity to do the Herder Training like we used to do in those good old days when we did not know what COVID was. Please continue praying for this dreadful disease to go away and leave all of us alone.

V.E.T. Net teacher Enkhtuvshin