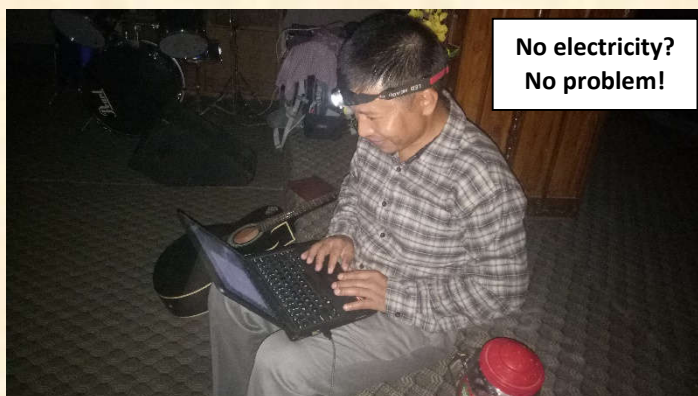


# The T Family's Trekkin' Times

**Do not be anxious about anything. Instead, in every situation, through prayer and petition with thanksgiving, tell your requests to God. And the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.  
Philippians 4: 6-7 (NET)**

Dear Friends, I know it is AFTER Thanksgiving, but please indulge us – there's a lot to be thankful for! Praise God with us as we count our blessings and reflect on His provision in the last year.



opportunity to showcase the Bible stories in their own languages, and perhaps to share them with people who are not Christians but are curious about this “strange” holiday. It will also give the teams extra practice – for 6 of the teams, their next workshop is the **final, high-quality recording** of the first 24 stories. Lots of practice will help them make better recordings. Please pray for God to do great things this Christmas among the Bible storytellers.

September was one of our busiest months ever. We conducted eight Bible storying and trauma healing workshops. By contrast, we normally might have 2-3 workshops in a month. In early November, I had *my* busiest day of story-checking ever – 12 stories in one day. Wow, what a marathon! That week we had 2 workshops going on, with 6 languages frantically working to get their last stories done, so they could be ready for the recording workshop.



We are so thankful for our project staffs' and participants' can-do attitude, which helped everyone get back on schedule, in spite of many, many obstacles. We are privileged to work with such godly, dedicated people! God has blessed us all the way with provision, safe travel, good health (more often than not), and encouraging stories of people coming to know Jesus.

**To know more about the T family, please contact the VCC office!**



**“Stuffing” the days** – last year at this time, our project was struggling. We had hoped to start 5 new languages, but only 2 got started. The three mountain teams were a huge challenge – and to some extent still are. But today, ALL of our nine language teams are right on schedule, thanks to a lot of re-scheduling, a lot of hard work by our team of nationals, your prayers and God's great grace. Now, each team has finished 13-24 stories. Each team has completed all of the Old Testament stories in our set, and many of the New Testament stories as well.

We are encouraging all of our participants to prepare to tell their stories during their Christmas celebrations, from Creation to Jesus' Birth (at least). This will be a great



