



## August 2011

We are busy settling in to life here in Manila. "Busy settling in" may seem like a strange phrase, but it is the truth when you move your family internationally. All the things we take for granted back home we have had to re-initiate here. Simple things like phone service, paying bills, transportation - even having clean clothes! - are all a challenge when you move overseas. But God has blessed us each step of the way and we are now settled into the house we are renting.

We have also been ministering in several different ways the last few weeks. Two weeks ago, Marc had the opportunity to preach at Baptist Bible Church of Sta. Mesa, Philippines. The church is pastored by Jessica's granddad, who has been a missionary in Manila for over 50 years! It was truly a blessing to have a part in their services that day. Marc has also begun teaching a second semester class at BBBCA, as well as organizing Honest Deceiver Ministries to effectively share the gospel throughout the city.

We are also praying about what area of the city to focus on in planting a church. There are many opportunities that have opened up. Will you pray with us as we make a decision?

Thank you for all of your support - we could not go without you sending us!

## Marc, Jessi, & Reece



Marc is teaching "Apologetics" this semester at BBBCA. Please pray that the students will learn effective ways to defend their faith in their ministries! BBBCA is also impacting people around the world, as Marc has the opportunity



Jhay-B and Rodelle have been magicians with Honest Deceiver Ministries since Marc trained them in 2008. Now both of them are regularly using their skills as illusionists to share the gospel. Jhay-B recently returned from a Global

this month to oversee a student from the Middle East as he completes a number of "intensive" courses. When he returns home, his knowledge will help him share the gospel in a restricted nation.

Surge Camp trip to Botswana, Africa. One of the other team members commented that Jhay-B's magic was the most effective part of the program at getting the young people's attention.

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