



# ***FAMILY INTRODUCTION SHEET FROM THAILAND***

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Dear Sponsor,

On behalf of Pearl S. Buck Foundation (Thailand), we are pleased to introduce you Natthita Jantarukkha and her family. Natthita was born on August 24, 2016. She is now 3 years old. She stands 3'1" and weighs 28.66lbs. Natthita who is fondly call "Gus-jung", is a Buddhist girl who is affected by HIV/AIDS. She can speak both Thai language and Northeastern dialect.

Gus-jung and family live in a small community in Warin Chamrab district, Ubon Ratchathani province. The community is surrounded by rice fields. There are around 100 households in this community. Most of people are agriculturists who earn main income from selling rice crops and vegetables. Some villagers go to work in other places for extra income after harvesting season. There are temple and school located in this community.

Gus-jung is healthy, and has received vaccinations per schedules. She has good developments the same as other children. She eats 3 meals per day cooked by her maternal mother. Gus-jung and family are benefited from government health insurance program.

Gus-jung is a lovely, confident, cheerful, and talkative girl. She is attending in pre-kindergarten class at a public child development center named Kam Num Saeb Child Development Center, located around 2 km from her home. She goes to the center and back home by motorcycle with her mother. She receives USD 0.33 (USD 1=Baht 30) as daily allowance to buy sweets at the center. She is benefited from center free lunch program for small children. She can study in the good level. She likes to study and pays good attention in it. Drawing is her favorite subject. She wishes to be a doctor when she grows up. Yellow is her favorite color. She helps her family to do house works such as to sweep floor, and fill drinking water bottles. She enjoys riding her small bicycle. In free time she enjoys running for fun, and playing games with her friends.

Your generous support is needed for Gus-jung as it will assist her to have more readiness in studying, and more willpower in paying good attention in studying continuously to graduate from high educational level for better future of herself and her family. Her family is very poor, her parents earn very few and uncertain income per year that is not enough to cover family's living cost and her education expenses. Without your kind support Gus-jung may decide to drop schooling before she completes compulsory level in order to help her grandparents working in the field to earn income for supporting whole family.

We would like to introduce you to the other members of the family. They are:

<b>Given Name</b>	<b>Sex</b>	<b>Date/Year Of Birth</b>	<b>Relations to SC</b>	<b>Health Condition</b>	<b>Current Activity</b>
Supawat	M	1975	Grandfather	Moderate	Worker

Dujduen	F	1975	Grandmother	Moderate	Worker
Pragai-dao	F	1999	Mother	Good	-
Grisada	M	2000	Father	Good	Worker
Ar-kee-ra	M	1996	Uncle	Good	Worker

Gus-jung's maternal grandfather, Mr. Supawat, is 44 years old. Her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Dujduen, is 44 years old. Both of them are not healthy with Immunodeficiency disease and get sick often. They were infected with HIV and have taken anti virus medicines. Gus-jung's mother, Miss. Pragai-dao, is 20 years old and healthy. Her father's Mr. Grisada, is 19 years old. Her uncle, Mr. Ar-keera, is 23 years old. The family earns around USD 667-1,000 per year from working as general workers.

The family has lived in this community for many years. They stay in one storey concrete house with tile roof built high above the ground. Gus-jung's parents own land and house legally. It has 2 bedrooms, one opened room, one kitchen, and one bathroom. The surrounding is quite pleasant with no pollution. There is also a large space for children to play in the community. They grow vegetables in the house's area. The house has electricity and is furnished with one television, 1 electric iron, 1 electric fan, and light bulbs. There is clean water from water supply system for using, and rain water kept in jars for drinking. Household garbage is disposed by burning several meters away from their home.

Like any other Thai family, Gus-jung's family wishes to improve their quality of life. They dream of having their school age family members complete their education, enjoy good health, have a clean and orderly house, and most importantly increase their income.

Gus-jung and her family need assistance, and your kind sponsorship will make a difference in their lives. Your support will usher in new hope and confidence in the family as they work together for a brighter future. Our foundation commits to facilitate a family development process for this family so they achieve lasting improvement in their lives. We implement programs on **Health, Education, Livelihood and Psycho-social** developments from which her family can benefit. We do this through the handed-up approach of partnership so families develop their self-help abilities to learn in building up what they can do with a little assistance, motivation and inspiration from generous sponsors like you.

Gus-jung is still too young to write, so her grandmother, Mrs. Dujduen, looks forward to communicating with you in Thai language (original letters will be attached with English translation letters), and sharing important family events with you and family in the future.

We hope that you find this new partnership meaningful and rewarding.

Sincerely yours,



Suntaree Rangkusone  
Executive Director





