



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

**SCN # 16-05-6291**

**Location: Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand**

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Dear Sponsor,

On behalf of Pearl S. Buck Foundation (Thailand), we are pleased to introduce you to Apichart Prompanich and his family. Apichart was born on May 23, 2014. He is now 6 years old. He stands 3'11" and weighs 55.12 lbs. Apichart, who is fondly called "Gafield", is a Thai and Buddhist boy. He is affected by HIV/AIDS. He can speak both Thai language and Northeastern dialect.

Apichart lives with his family in a big community in Warin Chamrab district, Ubon Ratchathani province. There are around 150 household in this community. Most of people are farmers and agriculturists who grow rice and plants. After harvest season some of them go to work at as general workers at other places. There are a temple and a school located in this community.

Apichart is in good health, he has received vaccinations per schedules. He has growth and good developments per standard of Thai children. He eats 3 meals per day cooked by his mother. Apichart and family are benefited from government health insurance program.

Apichart is a cute, cheerful, and talkative boy. He is studying in grade 1 at a public school named Saensuk School, located around 3 km from his home. He goes to school by a hired car with other students. He receives USD 0.66 (USD 1=Baht 30) as daily allowance to buy sweets at school. He is benefited from school free lunch program for students. He can study in the moderate level. He is diligent in going to school. He wishes to be a police when he grows up. He enjoys drawing and coloring pictures. Red is his favorite color. Soccer and running race are his favorite sports. He has a lot of friends, and can get along well all of them. In free time he enjoys running for fun, and playing games with friends. He helps his father to do some house works such as to wash dishes, and sweep floor.

Your generous support is needed for Apichart as it will assist him 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 himself and his family. His family is very poor, his family earns very few and uncertain income per year that is not enough to cover family's living cost and children's education expenses. Without your kind support Apichart may decide to drop schooling before he completes compulsory level in order to help his parents 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>
Samlee	F	1970	Maternal grandmother	Good	Trader
Lalita	F	1992	Mother	Moderate	Trader

Suradet	M	2000	Uncle in law	Good	Worker
Sirinuch	F	2000	Aunt	Good	Student
Janmanee	F	1999	Aunt	Good	Trader
Nathee	M	2014	Cousin	Good	Student

Apichart's father passed away since he was young. His mother, is 29 years old. She was infected with HIV/AIDS, and has taken anti virus medicines. His grandmother, Mrs. Samlee, is 51 years old and unhealthy with high blood pressure. His aunt, Sirinuch, is 21 years old, and studying in grade 12. His aunt, Miss. Janmanee, is 22 years old, and is a trader. His uncle, Mr. Suradet, is 20 years old, and is a worker. His cousin, Nathee, is 6 years old, and studying in grade 1. His family owns no piece of land. They earn around USD 667 per year as trader. Everyone in his family is in good health. They live simply and happily together

The family has stayed in this community for years. They live in a two stories half concrete and half wooden house with zinc roof built high above the ground. Apichart's grandmother owns land legally. It has 3 bedrooms, one open room, one kitchen, and one toilet. The surrounding is quite pleasant with no pollution. There is also some space for children to play. The family grows some vegetables for cooking foods. The house has electricity and is furnished with one television, one electric fan, one iron, and light bulbs. There is clean water both from a well and rain water kept in jars for using and drinking in his family. Household garbage is disposed by burning several kilometers away from their home.

Like any other Thai family, Apichart'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.

Apichart and his 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. We commit to facilitate a family development process for this family so they achieve lasting improvement in their lives. Our foundation implements programs on **Health, Education, Livelihood and Psycho-social** developments from which this 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.

Apichart is still too young to write so his mother, Miss. Lalita, 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



Apichart Prompanich



Apichart Prompanich



Apichart Prompanich & Mother