



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 6 years old. She stands 3'11" and weighs 39.68 lbs. 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 year 3 of kindergarten level at a public school named Warin Wichachart School, located around 5 km from her home. She goes to school and back home by motorcycle with her maternal grandfather. She is benefited from school free lunch program for students. She can study in the good level. She has many friends and can get along well with them. She likes to study and pays good attention in it. Thai language is her favorite subject. She wishes to be a doctor when she grows up. Pink 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 to earn income for supporting whole family.

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

Given Name	Sex	Date/Year Of Birth	Relations to SC	Health Condition	Current Activity
Supawat	M	1972	Grandfather	Moderate	Volunteer
Dujduen	F	1975	Grandmother	Moderate	Volunteer

Pragai-dao	F	2000	Mother	Good	Worker
Ar-kee-ra	M	1998	Uncle	Good	Worker

Gus-jung's maternal grandfather, Mr. Supawat, is 51 years old. Her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Dujduen, is 48 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. Grandparents earn around USD 667-1,000 per year as volunteers of HIV infected persons group at a public hospital. Gus-jung's mother, Miss. Pragai-dao, is 23 years old and healthy. She went to work as a worker in another province. She earns low and uncertain income, she visits her daughter a few times but has never sent her any cash support. Her father's Mr. Grisada, is 23 years old, he separated with her mother, he has neither visited nor sent her any cash support. Her uncle, Mr. Ar-keera, is 25 years old, he earns low and uncertain income so he cannot provide family cash support.

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 grandmother owns 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



Natthita Jantarukkha



Natthita Jantarukkha



Natthita Jantarukkha & Grandfather