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Hello!

What an incredible thing it is to get to write to you all, finally sitting in Cambodia! It also is such a testament to the massive amount of provision that God worked through you to get to this point. I arrived in Phnom Penh this morning, and I just wanted to send out an enormous thank you to all who have been supporting and praying along with me for the summer. Our God is the God who hears, and already he has been faithful to provide! A wonderful missionary named Katie is hosting Hannah, another college student, and I until Wednesday in the city. From there we will go to Angk'jeay village, where we will meet the other intern Wade, and the Smith family! You can be praying that the Smith's would adjust well from the jetlag they're experiencing from being on Home Assignment these past few months, as they re-enter their normal routine of ministry! Something that's worth praising God already for is that one of the Phnom Penh church plants has finally finished it's new building space. This building is connected to a larger set of girls dorms that the church built for college students needing a place to live as they study far from home. Anyways, they are moving buildings this Sunday! Pray that new community will be formed, bringing more students into church and Bible studies they are planning.

Just to give you a little heads up of what the summer might look like, I think I will be able to send out these updates pretty regularly, just depending on when we have time to write. I am so eager to share how our God is at work among the Khmer church; it's exciting to think that this can kind of serve as a window into what God is doing, just somewhere we usually don't get to glimpse! It's already such a joy being surrounded by such steadfast Khmer college students, and today was just the start of getting to see how God is moving among a lot of young people in this area.

In His love,
Caroline

"I have swept your offenses away like a cloud, your sins like the morning mist. Return to me, for I have redeemed you. Sing for joy, you heavens, for the Lord has done this..."

Isaiah 44:22-23