

# Adventures with God in 2011

**“And like a child, I’m gazing into a wonderous grace,  
‘cause You have been along, it felt like sun upon my face.  
And like a child, I’m gazing into a wonderous love,  
it’s taking me to places that my heart is dreaming of.”  
(Future of Forestry)**

The night was the return of “An Honest Mistake” from Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia and there was much excitement building up for “On The Go” concert. The band had left a great impression with their highly passionate and enthusiastic show last year and with keeping in touch with people here in Chiang Mai via facebook, etc. So there was a packed house at WonGen Kafe.



Also, featured for the night was “Chaba” from Chiang Mai. They are a four piece female pop/rock band and have built a good following in Thailand. Since they last played at WonGen Kafe, they have recorded an EP and were also featured on Thailand MTV.

“An Honest Mistake” took the stage and started the set with an Irish sounding instrumental. This time around, the band included a violin player. The crowd immediately responded and started dancing and jumping. The bass player, Leonard, introduced one of the songs with a real story of a friend of his who committed suicide. The song was followed by Darren, the lead singer, who spoke of the hope and life and forgiveness that is found in Jesus, no matter what the situation. This was a special opportunity for the band since in their home country sharing the Gospel is not allowed in an open concert outside of a Church.



God is moving in Thailand and Chiang Mai and it is exciting to witness His Kingdom grow. WonGen Kafe and The Light Fellowship are a big part of this movement. Many young people and university students are coming to study English, hear good music, meet great people, hear God's Word and most importantly, to be introduced to the Light of the World, Jesus.



One of our goals that were fulfilled this year was for Ineta to staff School of Reconciliation and Justice at YWAM Harpenden, England. It was a valuable training and mentoring opportunity as Ineta pursues the field of peacemaking and reconciliation. The students were amazing and inspiring. It is one of the greatest privileges in our work – to work with people from all over the world who teach us so much about God's ways and character and help us to be continually transformed in our minds and hearts.



Every year we are amazed at what God can do through ordinary people. The road is not always easy but for sure it is not boring or "same old, same old". When you follow Jesus, be ready for an adventure!

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