



## Team Cox

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Hello family and friends. I'd like to update you on a few things and ask you to be praying for them as well.

Our small group Bible studies are really taking off in the Kore slum community. More and more people, mostly women, have been asking to join groups or get started. This is really exciting since the majority of these people have never been exposed to the truth in the Word of God. However, we have only a handful of small group facilitators right now and we are all spread pretty thin. Please pray that more volunteers will step up to lead these small groups and lead the participants into a relationship with Jesus Christ.

My own small group is a prime example of how closely knit these women become when we share so much together in this setting. Yesterday, one young mother in our group was carrying a 25 liter jerry can of water to her home when she fell and badly injured her leg. I found out about it this evening during our small group gathering and promptly went to her home to check on her. Her leg appears broken. I did what I could at the time to ease some of her discomfort, but will take her tomorrow to try and find a place to x-ray the leg, then treat accordingly. She has two very small little boys and is completely laid up right now; unable to care for her family at this time. Some of the other ladies in our small group are going to her home to help care for her and her children. Another woman in our group has a terrible home situation; not only is she destitute and has leprosy, but she has a husband who beats and abuses her terribly and has just kicked her and their baby out of their home. One of our small group ladies has taken her in for now.

I walked home tonight from our small group time with a heavy heart for my friends who suffer so terribly. However, I am encouraged by the hope of small group community and what an encouragement it is to see it function as it should, with people genuinely caring for one another in their distress and need.

Please pray for these ladies and for the forsaken community in which they live. Please pray for more workers for this harvest field...the harvest is PLENTIFUL!

By His grace,  
Becky and Sean Cox