

Aloha Narita 'Ohana

People keep asking the kids if they're excited to go back to the US. Their response is always "no" which I think surprises most. It's a hard move for us all - on different levels for different reasons. We've been talking about how God can provide; that He loves and cares for us and that as we trust Him, He'll take care of all the uncertainties ahead.

A few prayer points for us:

- That God will encourage us as we go despite what we leave behind.
- That He will help us as we make our home in California.
- We arrive in San Francisco on June 22nd. We'll stay several days with Lara's brother and then go to Modesto.
- The kids are most anxious about being in a new place and having to make new friends.
- We'll send them to be with my (David's) parents for the first three weeks as we get settled.
- Pray that He'll open/close doors regarding a car, a place to live in the Sacramento area, what our deputation schedule will look like through December, thoughts about future jobs down the road.
- That He will guard our hearts.
- We count it a privilege to have spent so many years in Cambodia - an honor and joy!

As we return, we want to hold the attitude, What an opportunity to do something new in our mid-lives! It truly is. May we approach all with a sense of adventure!

Thank you for your love and prayers.

