

Part Nine Help for the Villagers in Thailand



A Chrestos Team helped a village that had a crop failure due to rats.



Under the supervision of a British engineer from Chiang Mai, a Chrestos Team set up a water-system in a mountain village



Medical Assistance, when needed, is also provided by our teams under the direction of Dr. Atkinson.

Relief given in Burma



In May 2008, a devastating cyclone [Nargis] hit the delta area of Burma, killing about two hundred thousand, and making more than two million homeless. With permission from the donor, we gave half of our building fund, two million baht [approx.40,000 pounds] to the Burmese Karen Baptist Convention in Burma. They were then able to give immediate help to the victims. We launched an appeal, and the response was so generous that we were able to replace the money in the building fund, and still give another one and a half million baht [approx 30,000 pounds] to help those in need. This money was able to help the farmers to plant a crop, and to fund an orphanage for over a hundred children whose parents had died in the cyclone.