

Dear Venerable Sirs! Most Venerable Sirs!  
All our Buddhist followers in the Dhamma!

The following are the very information from our Khmer Krom Buddhist Students living and studying in Thailand.

Today all our Khmer Krom Buddhist monks in Thailand have had a very deep remorsefulness that we so sorrowfully lost our good venerable monk, a Khmer Krom Buddhist student monk, **Preah Bhikkhu Devapanno Tran Yan**, 31 years old, and the third year student of BA (in Buddhist studies) studying at Mahachulalongkon Buddhist University in Bangkok, Thailand.

- Our student monk's name: Bhikkhu Devapanna Tran Yan did pass way at 11.30 PM last night (07/08/09) at Sangha Hospital in Bangkok, because of the most serious fever lasting for 4 days that could not be cured in time. (**Dengue Hemorrhagic fever - Multiple Intracerebral Hemorrhagic C Unocal Herniation**).
- Today (07/08/09) Preah Bhikkhu Devapanna Tran Yan's dead body is being sent to his homeland where he was born, in Kampuchea Krom, Preah Trapeang Province, Thkov District, Wat Phnor Sangke Chas.
- Most of our Khmer Krom Buddhist student monks living in Bangkok and some other provinces in Thailand came and gather to meet each others and celebrated our religious ritual (Pansukula Ceremony) before we started to move his dead body to the international suwarnabhum airport in Bangkok and at 6.00 PM (07/08/09) Venerable's dead body starts to be sent directly to the intentional airport in Prey Nokor city accompanied by our six sahadhammika khmer krom Buddhist student friends as well, then direct to his native land (his home) for celebrating religious funeral ceremony according to our Khmer Krom Theravada tradition.

All above mentioned, just information for all Khmer and Khmer Krom people living around the world to know and get to know our very present situation about our Khmer Krom Buddhist Students staying in Thailand.

With deep remorsefulness and metta dhamma!

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