

New Devasting Typhoon in The Philippines.

Our brothers Cris and Jay went to Mindanao for their Christmas holidays to be with their respective families and to meet their friends after more than a year of absence.

But a terrible and unexpected tropical storm hit the island of Mindanao. The typhoon "Sendong" surprised all with its ferocity.

Our brothers are in the midst of desolation. With his family, Jay is staying at the evacuation center. His house is submerged along with the others in the neighborhood. Some of his closest friends died while in their sleep when the flashfloods came. At the moment, there are more than 600 deaths and 900 missing persons.

We pray for those who have died and we try to comfort those who have survived. It is our desire to help our brothers to give support and consolation to those who will celebrate Christmas in mud and tears

