

Answered My Prayer

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My name is Victor Tan, I am 12 years old and currently study at the Picnic Point Public School.

Even though I live at Padstow, I believe I was able to study at the PPPS is because God answered my prayer.

When I was 2 years old, my parent sent me to the childcare centre due to their work commitment. At the centre I had a lot of friends to play with. I had a very close friend and his name is Jonathan. We do a lot of things together and we invite each other to our birthday party every year whilst we are at the centre.



When we are about to “graduate” from the centre, I felt very sad and really hope our friendship could continue.

I understand he lives at Picnic Point and will be going to the PPPS, I told my mum I want to study at the same school with Jonathan. My parent thought the distance is a bit far but since I insisted and as well Andrew Chan (Rev. Chan's son) will also be studying there, my parent agreed to enrol me there.

My parent went to the school at 8.00 am on enrolment day - the first one to arrive. They completed the form and went home. After couple of weeks, we received a notice from the school that I will be 8th on the waiting list! That means unless 8 student pull out I will have no chance of getting into PPPS.



As the deadline approached for the final enrollment, we did not hear anything from the school. I started to get nervous and desperate. I asked my mum again what is the enrolment status, she said, “why don't you pray to God if you really want to study there? God will help you. “I obliged and kneeled with my mum and made a very simple prayer to God.

While she was at work the next day or two, my mum got a call from the PPPS, and the school advised her that I have been accepted by the school! My mum told me the news when I came back from the childcare and I was really happy and thankful to God about it.

You may think it is just a coincidence, I think God answered my prayer and I thank God so much for that.