



On February 28, 2022, villagers in Thabyeaye, Sagaing Region were attacked by the Burmese military (Tatmadaw) with helicopters for the fourth time in less than one year. Since the military coup in February 2021, the whole country has protested against the coup, but the regime has responded only with weapons. This has caused the people's revolution to spread throughout the country. The military, which has the duty to protect the life of the people, has turned against the people as their primary enemy.

Villagers in Thabyeaye have been leading protests against the coup for many months. The village has been determined to be an "enemy village" in the eyes of military. For this reason, the military has attacked civilians and monks in the village with full military power four times. The latest attack on February 28, 2022, was the worst so far: more than 50 homes were ransacked by soldiers who stole whatever they wanted and burnt the rest. The homes were completely destroyed. The displaced villagers have been hiding in the forest from that time until today. The worst situation is that the villagers had no time to gather any belongings before their homes were destroyed by the soldiers.



During this incredibly difficult time, supporters inside and outside of the country have donated foods, clothes, and others. The Thabyeaye villagers are so appreciative for the aid. The support has encouraged the villagers to feel no depression and to maintain their courage to fight against military junta till the end. Although they are facing the worst situation for themselves and their families, they have decided not to stop fighting for freedom.



During the attack on the village by the terrorist Burmese military, even cows, motorbikes, and other properties were burnt. Cows are extremely important for agriculture, and the Graines d'Aviner generously donated 17 cows (at a cost of 5 hundred thousands kyats each, all together 8 million kyats, plus an additional 2 million for food). 34 motorbikes were donated by Burma Hilfe Lepizing (each





costing 2 hundred thousands kyats, all together 6.8 millions kyats donated). Supporters in Thailand, Japan, and many other countries also donated generously. All donations have been managed by the Thabyeaye Restoration Committee properly.

We,Thabyeaye villagers will never give up our fighting for freedom!

We believe that our dream will become real!

Thank you so much all internal and international donors and supporters!

