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Dear Praying Friends and Supporters;

We want to begin by praising the Lord for his Mercy, Protection, and Supply for us in these two months. He has been so good to us in more ways than we can know or understand.

To start with, we want to thank the Lord for how he has taken care of us in regard to Robin's arm. Despite the arm being broken, the shoulder dislocated, and all of the twisting and pulling by the Dr in Lempira (because she did not think it was broken), Robin did not have to have any surgery and the bone has healed with no complications. More than that, because she has done the recommended exercises, she will only need a couple therapy appointments. Even now she is able to play the piano with the limited movement that she has, and she is gaining more freedom each week as she works the muscles and tendons, trying to get them back into shape. We are so thankful to all who have given towards the medical expenses, as of right now, all of the costs have been taken care of. The Lord has most definitely worked miraculously in this situation. Praise His name!

These two months have absolutely flown by. The first of May, Robin was in Atlanta, Georgia, and Aaron and I were in Honduras, trying to get things closed up and ready so we could get in for her second doctor's appointment. At that time, we were still worried that she might have to have surgery, but of course, as we stated, that was not the case. Aaron and I flew into Atlanta, but took the shuttle up to Chattanooga where Robin's dad met us, and we were able to have supper with him and our daughter, Kayla, and her husband, Jacob. He then took us to my Dad's house in Trenton, GA, to spend the night and get our car out of storage the next day so we could get back down to Atlanta for Robin's second doctor's appointment.

The next week we were able to move Robin up to Greenville, SC, where we are staying while we're in during this time. Bro. Arthur and Bro. Montgomery have been so gracious to us, allowing us to stay in the house on the Greer Campmeeting property. We have been able to help do some repairs and maintenance, as well as help in the grounds keeping while we have been here. It is so much fun to be working, and when you need something, you just run over to the hardware and get it. That is so cool.

The next week was Lydia's graduation out in Oklahoma City. We are grateful for Bro. Barton, pastor at Anchor Baptist Church in Pisgah Forest, NC, who allowed us to use their Denali, (like a suburban, very nice and super comfy) so Robin would be able to make the trip. We were, of course, really excited to be able to be there for Lydia's graduation. She graduated with an Associate's secretarial degree, 3.98 GPA, super cool Lordy (or summa cum laude), Super Proud Daddy anyway. We are so thankful that the Lord helped her to complete that course of studies, and now we continue to pray for her as she seeks the Lord's will with her job opportunities.

The first of June, Robin had opportunity to speak at a ladies meeting with over two hundred ladies in attendance. She had a great response from the ladies in regard to her lessons on the subject of "Growing in Grace". She

was extremely nervous at the prospect, but grateful for the opportunity to encourage the ladies in their Christian lives. That was also the first time she was able to play the piano.

That Saturday evening, we packed up and left for Harriman, TN, to speak at Harriman Baptist Tabernacle. What a wonderful blessing to see folks staying faithful, and some who were once young people, now adults, serving the Lord faithfully in their church.

From there it was on to Festus, MO, for a week of Jr camp, at Living Springs Camp, a ministry of Second Baptist Church. Bro. Waymire, Bro. Martin, and Bro. Bowan were great hosts, and it was so much fun being able to play and do the activities with the kids during the day, then preaching in the evening. The Juniors listened really well to the messages and were responsive in the invitation on Wednesday evening desiring to be a courageous witness for the Lord.

Sunday, Father's Day, we were with Bro. Mark Hiltabidal at Grace Baptist Church in Raleigh, IL. It was great to see folks again that have been faithfully praying for us and keeping up with the ministry.

From there we drove on to Trenton, GA to be with our dads on that Monday after Father's Day. I went with my Dad to the orthopedic doctor to schedule him for partial knee replacement, and Robin went with her Dad to the Neurosurgeon investigating possible neck surgery. That was the first that Robin had been able to see her dad since coming in. His surgery was postponed in order to try medication first, my dad's surgery is set for July 9<sup>th</sup>.

The next day was taking Aaron to the Marksmen Mountain Music Camp with Bro. Mark Wheeler. He has learned so much in these last three years, just in this one week of focused study on playing his instruments. While he was there, the rest of us came back to Greer and helped to finish getting things ready for Campmeeting.

As we are writing this letter, we are in the first week of the Campmeeting, and enjoying the fellowship and preaching of the Word of God.

Next week, we speak at another Jr camp, and then come back to finish the camp meeting here. Then we will be splitting up, Robin at Teen camp and I will go be with my Dad for his surgery and help him in the first week of his recovery.

While all of this has been going on, our men in Honduras have been faithfully preaching and keeping things going in the ministry there. From money donated for the purpose, we were privileged to buy Levis and Mitch bicycles. Levis requested, for while I was gone, to be able to go to our mission church up the path in Tikuabila and hold regular services there. For over a month, he and his wife were walking 2-3 hours to get there, Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings. Wednesday and Friday he had to leave before 3 a.m. to get there for the 5 a.m. service. We are so thankful for the money given to purchase him a bicycle that will cut his travel time down to just over an hour.

Nichin our missionary upriver is requesting more Bibles and tracts for the work there. Mitch is with him on a two-month internship. They have been going into four different villages preaching and holding services since the last of April. Mitch has been helping in the meetings, as well as helping Nichin get some crops planted.

Our tickets are bought for August 12th to head back. We are looking forward to getting back to the work, moving forward for the glory of the Lord. We greatly appreciate your prayers in these last two trying months. We have been so helped, encouraged, and strengthened by the Lord already in these days of recovery.

In His Service

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