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Dear Friends and Supporters,

Let me start by saying that God is good all the time not just on the sunny days! This prayer letter is not to make anyone to feel sorry for me, for I depend fully upon God. My faith is in Him and Him alone. But we do covet your prayers. The Bible says, "...the effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." I truly believe God answers prayer. Here is a wonderful example. As you know I was diagnosed with a lung disease four years ago, (Interstitial Pulmonary Fibrosis) which is the scaring of the lungs. There is no cure for it and I was given three to four years to live. Well I'm still here! My last visit to my doctor at Duke University Hospital in NC on September 5, showed no increase in the scarring. The doctor said he is not sure they even gave me an accurate diagnoses! I truly believe God has stopped it or has healed me! Thanks to the prayers of God's people!

As you know from the last prayer letter I had a left knee replacement that has taken us off the road since May. Still much pain in the recovery though I am trying to stay active. But now the other knee has gone out and we are looking at another knee replacement probably in November. If this happens, it will take us off the road for another four months. We are asking that you have patience with us as supporting churches. Our plan is to be back on the road as soon as possible. I have tried to preach a few times but it is still difficult to stand in one place for any length of time. To say the least, this has been the most physically difficult year I have ever had. But it is all in God's plan for my life, and I will accept His perfect will. As the little song says, "HE'S STILL WORKING ON ME, TO MAKE ME WHAT I OUGHT TO BE"! It has been very difficult for me to sit still, but I must accept God's plan. This life is not about me but Him. He's the Creator and I'm the clay. He can do with me as He pleases and I will do my best to accept that.

Please continue to pray for us! We love and thank each one of you for your faithful prayers and support.

- Your Servants in Christ,

Terry & Jackie Kendrick Romans 12:1-2

