

# WILLIAMS' PRAYER LETTER

October — December 2023



*“For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace”  
Isaiah 9:6*

Dear prayer partners, friends and supporters,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. We are praying that everyone is having a great holiday season. We know that He is the reason that we celebrate. We are so thankful for all of your prayers and financial support. We continue to praise Him and glorify Him in all that we do.

I am sorry that our prayer letter is late. We had a nice quiet thanksgiving, but as some of you know on the Monday after Thanksgiving, I had a stroke.

Thank the Lord I was up visiting John during this time. The nurse and aides noticed something was wrong and got me to the hospital. I was in the hospital for 3 days. I do feel okay. My memory seems to be okay, but I have weakness on my left side and my speech is a little affected. I have been in rehab for about 3 weeks, and I seem to be getting better. I'm walking more using a walker, and I am getting better use of my left hand. My speech has improved too. But I have a ways to go. Insurance coverage for rehab is about to end, so we have some decisions to make going forward. Please pray that God gives me strength in my rehab so that I can get back to my normal self. Also pray that God gives us the wisdom on deciding my living arrangements and that He continues to provide for us. I am so thankful for all of your prayers and support. I appreciate the phone calls and cards.

Please continue to pray for John. He had a fall in November. The CT scan came back clean, so we are thankful for that. His memory is about the same. I am unable to go see him every day like I did before my stroke. Thankfully, during my rehab, I'm still in the same facility, so the staff here takes me down there some days, so I'm able to see him at least 2 or 3 times a week.

A couple of our sons will be with us during the Christmas holiday. We're thankful for our family and friends as they have been checking on us regularly. Pray that God gives those traveling safety during their travels. It has been nice getting visitors from First Baptist. They brought some decorations for my room.

We love you and appreciate all that you do for us. We are so thankful for your faithfulness. We love you and thank God for you. Continue to pray for us, as we will do for you.

Your missionaries,

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