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... not seeking mine own profit, but the profit of many, that they may be saved. 1 Cor 10:33

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Dear Friends:

In our last prayer letter we asked you to pray for Brenda and a surgery she was having on December 4, 2024. Due to several unavoidable circumstances, this surgery did not go as planned and the surgeon was not able to do what he needed to. She was in the hospital for a couple of days and then was sent home to heal until another surgery could be scheduled. This surgery is now scheduled for February 5<sup>th</sup>. Brenda will be his only procedure that day as it will be an eight-to-twelve-hour surgery. The surgeon said she would probably then be in the hospital for seven to ten days. He also told us that 30% of patients have trouble healing from this surgery. Please pray that the Lord would see fit to allow her to be in the 70% that heals well. One of the reasons for the length of the surgery is she has a lot of scar tissue from previous surgeries.

We praise the Lord that on February 13<sup>th</sup> Brenda will celebrate the first anniversary of her liver transplant. Her "new" liver seems to be doing well and she will have her one year checkup at the end of February.

We are so thankful for your continued prayers for us. We have seen God at work every step of the way. Even when things didn't go as planned and we were a little disappointed, we could look back later and see that God had worked everything for good.

In Christ,

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