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From: **Bill Henderson** <[hendersons4guam@gmail.com](mailto:hendersons4guam@gmail.com)>  
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Dear Supporting Pastors and Churches,

I just wanted to give two quick updates this month.

First, we are still praying to furlough in 2025. We have contacted a family about coming to fill in for us from January-April, but we are waiting on a reply. We have also met a family that is possibly willing to fill in from early June until our return in the fall. We are waiting to confirm that as well. It is possible that another missionary on-island could fill in during the gap between the two in May if necessary. Please pray for the details.

Second, I have been having a few health issues the past three weeks that have sent us to the cardiologist as well as a visit to the ER. It began with weakness, lightheadedness, and my blood pressure dropping while exercising, but I have also had shortness of breath and the feeling of tightness of chest a couple of times. The doctor in the ER did an EKG as well as blood work and everything cleared. She did say, "I cannot tell you that you don't have a blockage, only an angiogram can do that, but I also cannot order an angiogram with normal EKG and normal blood work." She said to follow up with our cardiologist. The cardiologist travels between Guam and California where he has an office. He is currently in LA, but he has a practitioner here when he is away. She has been in touch with him, and he ordered a stress test for last Thursday, which I have not received any results from other than being told by the administering nurse, "I did see some slight changes during the test, but I will have to measure them to see if they fall in the range of normal." I do have a follow up appointment today with the practitioner. I'm not sure if more tests will be ordered, but I would appreciate your prayers for me, Tonja, and our kids both here and in the states. It has been a trying couple of weeks of not knowing what is or could be going on, but praise be to God, He knows.

Thank you again for your prayers and support to allow us to be your missionaries here on this island. Lord willing, we will know something in the next month or so about when we will be in the states, and I will be contacting many of you at that time.

Because of Him,  
Bill Henderson