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# STRUCK DOWN BUT NOT DESTROYED





Jon and his foot in the Hospital

We have had our challenges over the last several weeks. I was bitten on my foot by something and it caused my foot to swell. The swelling started to move up my leg and I had to go to the hospital. I spent a week in the hospital receiving IV antibiotics and doing my best to recover. My teaching and ministry opportunities appeared to be in jeopardy. I did not know what I was going to do. All I could do while I was lying in a hospital bed was simply trust in God.

I could not do for myself. My wife was by my side and a great support to me during this time in the hospital and I don't know what I would have done without her. This definitely caused a strain on us mentally, physically, and financially. However, in the words of Paul. "We were struck down but not destroyed."If there ever was a time to press forward this was it. I could not let this detour me from the mission and purpose for which God had brought us. This was just a bump in the road. God would heal me and I would carry on.



Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; Phil. 4:6 NKJV

Please pray with us for the following needs to be met:

Souls to be won

Open Doors in the community

Church Planting

Vehicle to be paid for

Budget to be met

Protection and Safety in our travels

Land for Building a Children's Home

#### We are Helping End Sexual Exploitation

Once children we've rescued enter our care, we bring them into our Joshua Kid's Home where they'll be safe and can grow up in a Christ-centered, loving environment. We give them the opportunity to finish primary school and high school. We also give them the opportunity to learn to cook, make jewelry, and teach them how to sew helping them to earn money. Our ultimate goal is to prevent precious kids from being forced into the human trafficking industry.







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#### Struck Down but Not Destroyed

I did get better but I am still recovering. I never did figure out what it was that bit me but I do know I am now more driven to work harder than ever and to invest in the lives of our girls and the people of Thailand. Thank you for your prayers and support.

Knowing you were there for us praying and supporting us through this time of challenges kept us moving on. May God continue to bless you and please know that Gey, Myself, and the girls love and appreciate our PLM family. Blessings!



Jam, Jina, Gey, Jon Maggie, Fah, Yipsee