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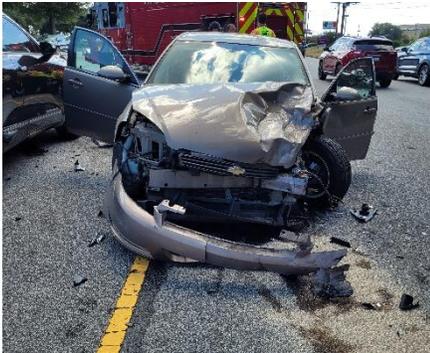
*“Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God.” (1 Corinthians 10:31)*

This started out being a very different update letter. I was thinking of all the routine kinds of things that I had done since the beginning of July—CME (Continuing Medical Education), medical appointments, yardwork, housework, and paper/computer work for a friend. I had opportunities to witness for Jesus Christ along the way, and was reminded that we need to do everything for the glory of God, even the everyday things.

*“Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.”*

(James 4:14-15)

The topic for the letter changed abruptly on September 17 when a driver hit me head-on as I was stopped, waiting



to make a left turn. When I came back to consciousness, my car had been spun 180 degrees and was now on the inside lane going the opposite direction. In the process, the right front hit the right front of the car behind me. There was a big billowing brown cloud which I assume was the accumulated dust of nearly nineteen years, but there was no fire. God was kind, as He always is. Everyone was able to walk away, and I was the most injured person. Any oncoming traffic was able to avoid my car. I spent eight hours in the emergency department, but the tests showed no serious injuries. It is going to take some time to get over bruises and the seat belt and air bag injuries. As you can see, the car is totaled.

We make plans every day, little thinking how quickly those can change. A fellow believer commented that God was with me, our constant refuge and strength. I replied that I would have been with God no matter what happened, and we agreed that there must be something God still wants me to do. How blessed to know that our Good Shepherd is always with us!

**Praise** I now kind of know what it feels like to be run over by a truck, except it was a Jeep Compass. I could be in a hospital now and totally incapacitated, so aches and bruises don't seem so bad.

There has already been a lot of insurance paperwork, but it has been possible to work through it all, even though it has sometimes been confusing.

**Prayer** From the information I have, it is doubtful that the driver is a Christian. That is his biggest need.

Please pray that God will direct as I look for a replacement vehicle. I have already been advised that the insurance process could take as long as six to nine months. Rentals do have a limit, so I need to buy a vehicle.

Central Haiti continues to be a disaster. Please pray for a solution for the country, as well as for Haitians who came here in good faith to work and contribute to the U.S. and now could be sent back.

*“It is a faithful saying: For if we be dead with him, we shall also live with him...” (2 Timothy 2:11)*

My pastor has been preaching in 1 Corinthians 15 and our resurrection life recently. It is on a day like September 17 that we remember that we are safe in Christ and have His eternal life no matter what happens. Praise God!

In our Lord's service,

*Dr. Anne*

*“For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God.” (Ephesians 2:8)*  
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