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Dear Family and Friends,

Another year has come and gone so quickly. We spent the year getting settled in our new home. We can finally park one car in the garage. Both of our lives have changed a lot since last year.

BOB

December 27 Bob had his final chemo (one short of original 10 planned because of low platelet counts). In March he had a PET scan which showed no large cancer cells and was cleared to return to work. In May Bob turned 50 and we celebrated with a big party, and then on May 5th Bob returned to work. He is working in San Rafael doing a Kaiser shuttle. He likes it a lot even though it is a split shift. He works 6-9am, then has a 5 hour break during which he usually comes home, then returns for the 2-6 shift.

Bob has now had 8 months in which his lymphoma has been inactive. His blood counts still remain low and we have to watch for any sign of infections. He spent 4th of July weekend in the hospital because of an infection in his leg.

Today he had an upper and lower GI (they are trying to find out why his platelet count is low still). They think he may have cirrhosis of the liver. The test showed some redness of the stomach lining, of which they took some biopsies and they also will schedule a liver biopsy.

DAROLYN

I have continued to travel to Sebastopol 3 days a week to take care of my ladies (Dora and Polly). In April I started working at Laura's Day Care on Tuesdays and Thursdays. In June I added another client in Petaluma. So when I leave Dora and Polly I stop and work with Therese for 3 hours. I get home about 6:45, just ahead of Bob. Then in November I switched one Day Care day for another day in Sebastopol (I don't do Petaluma that day). I am also co-teaching a small group at our church once a week.

BOTH OF US

We went on vacation to Utah with Laura and family and also Mike's parents over spring break. We



had a great time. The end of April we had some remodeling done in our kitchen (Dave did a beautiful job).

In May we took a week-end trip to Angels Camp for Jumping Frog Festival. Ryan went with us. We actually jumped frogs. In

September we took a weekend to go to the balloon festival in Reno with some friends.

We actually got up before dawn.

We had Thanksgiving here again this year. It is so good to be near our families. Only God knows what the next year holds for us. We will keep you posted.



Have a Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year
Bob and Darolyn