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Dear PV colleagues and friends,

Words cannot express the gratitude Ryan and I feel at this time. Your thoughts, prayers, meals, gift cards, donations, and postings, have truly lifted our spirits and we are forever grateful.

Please accept this message as a small token of our appreciation for your generosity and thoughtfulness at what was (and continues to be) a most difficult and unexpected journey.

I am finally home and able to put into writing what has been in my mind since the beginning of this illness. I will begin physical and occupational therapy on an outpatient basis, and will

continue to work hard at my own recovery. I am hoping to be back in PV as soon as possible as I miss the wonderful community that I am so privileged to teach in.



It has been overwhelming to be the recipient of such kindness and consideration. We are all very fortunate to teach and live in such a special place. The thoughtfulness and generosity of our community has truly helped to facilitate my healing during this difficult time. We don't have the words to thank you enough for all you did, and continue to do, for my family and for me.

Thank you again and I look forward to seeing you in Putnam Valley soon.

Love, Katie Odell (and Family)



