

Waves of Grace

September 2022

Family Update

- *Big News!* – the July 5th arrival of Quinn, to Beth Ann and Eric.
- *Will's new job with an Amazon DSP (delivery service provider) has proven fruitful. He is being affirmed and developed as a leader and received a couple promotions since November.*
- *We've closed on the sale of our home in Colorado Springs and will move to Denver in late September. It's a bittersweet time, as this home holds so many memories and emotions. It served us well during my tenure as Navigator US President. Please pray for our hearts as we move from a community and neighborhood we love, to pursue God's next steps for us.*
- *Labor Day weekend – our whole family will join us for a "final" time together at Linger Way.*



Quinn - born July 5th. She is well cared for by her mom and dad, and four siblings!

Leaving Behind...Looking Ahead A Lot of Change Amidst Hearing from the Lord

The fall is here and God is speaking. From the Gospel of John, the Lord has pointed us to some familiar verses in the 13th chapter:

"Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. After that..."

As we have reflected, prayed and looked back at the past 15-20 years (13 as Navigator US President), we are filled with joy. God has reminded us that He has given us authority in the gospel. He has also reminded us of His goodness, where we have come from, and where we are going. In a way – the Gratitude season and then our sabbatical, beginning in April, has been a time of taking off the "clothing" of our past service and beginning to prepare for our next season. Pam and I haven't yet begun to engage with the "After that," (ie what's next), but will soon.

Encouraging personal retreats:

These past few months have been filled with some good times away for rest and reflection. The Lord has reminded us of His love and how He has used us in many ways, over past decades, for His glory and purposes. It is humbling and encouraging. He's also revealed how the years have honed our characters and gifting, and have prepared us for a unique contribution in the next season.

What we know: We have sold our Colorado Springs home. We've been packing and moving, and are updating the new home to move fully by the end of September. (**See our new address below!**) We trust we'll be able to serve in our new jobs from Denver, closer to our family.

What is still to come: Starting in late September, we'll begin to give focused energy to determining how God is leading in terms of our next season of contribution. Stay tuned! And thank you for standing with us through prayer and financially.

Doug and Pam are moving to the Denver area. We'll be closer to our family: Beth Ann (married to Eric, with children Arie, Lena, Harlow, Sloane and Quinn), Lauren (married to Hank, with Hayden, Presley, and Walker), and Will.

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