

Update from Mel & Patty Davis!

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Dear Ones,

Since I last wrote I've had frequent contact with the two friends whose family members (daughter and sister, respectively) are battling cancer.

Last weekend one of the friends showed up at our door, asking if I could come with her to the hospital immediately. She said her sister's condition had suddenly worsened, and though her sister had previously not wanted visitors, had said just that morning that she would be glad if I would come.

During our brief time together I shared Paul's words about the God who is for us (Rom. 8,31) and how we can know He is (Rom 8,32). She was very attentive, as was my friend, but made no comment other than asking me to pray for her before I left.

On our way back to the car, my friend said she had been helped by what I had shared and went on to tell me of her struggles. We had a very good conversation. It was obvious to me that the Lord is really working in her life. Although 'churched', she has up to now kept God at arm's length.

This past week my friend's sister declined rapidly and on Sunday she died. We grieve for this family. We also thank God for the brief opportunity to meet with this woman, even though we do not know the outcome.

Please continue to pray for my friend--for strength and comfort, and above all, that she will truly come to know Christ and grow in Him. Pray for the family, many of whom are non-believers, and for members of the Nuskova church as they minister to them. The funeral is tomorrow at 3 p.m.

Thankful for you and your prayers,

Patty