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Dear Friends,

Happy Summer! May was truly incredible. God opened so many doors to proclaim His love, and we saw lives touched both on and off the court through our volleyball outreach. On top of that, we are partnering with coaches across the country to share the gospel through volleyball. Below are some of the lives YOU impacted this past month.



*“Uptime has been such a gift to our daughter and our entire family!! Both the volleyball and ministry. Uptime has been a huge piece of seeing her flourish as a player and in her walk with the Lord. The positive, encouraging and Christ-seeking/honoring environment is so rare and a true blessing. Thanks again!”* (Recent text from a parent).



This week, I met with Dr. David Goss, who plans to be our West Coast Rep in Santa Barbara, CA. Dave and his wife, Tracey, have worked in ministry for several years, with a passion for impacting lives through volleyball. Dave set an NCAA record at Stanford with 55 kills in a game, and his son is an All-American at UC Irvine, where the team recently finished as national championship runners-up! Please keep Dave and Tracey in prayer as they explore volleyball outreach and begin to raise missionary support.



Last weekend, we attended our son Sam's high school graduation, and we are so excited for his next chapter — taking a year to serve at Soul Church in Norwich, England, and to attend their leadership academy. Also, it was also such a joy to have so many students we have coached in volleyball and in life come up to us with huge hugs and smiles as they move forward into their own next chapters. Looking back over the years, we are so grateful for how God has used sports as a vehicle to impact lives. Some of these kids are playing college volleyball, and some are not, but all of them are grateful for the lessons they learned while on a team — mainly to reach up to God and reach out to others (Matthew 22:37-40). YOU are a part of every one of those lives, and it is the joy of our life to share the impact YOU are making!

Much love,

*Praying for a great summer!* Dave and Mandy



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