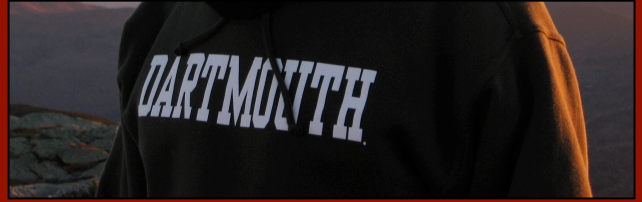


# the gillespies and the Good News



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## NEW HAMPSHIRE, HERE WE COME!

It's hard even for us to believe, but after a year of being in San Diego, we are leaving *this week* for New Hampshire. If you remember from our last letter, we're taking the long route to get there (going to a conference in Colorado, then doing more visiting and support-raising in the Midwest during August), but this week we are finishing packing up our stuff, saying goodbye to Faye's family and San Diego friends, and gettin' outta here. It's a sweet and sad time for us. It's very hard to be leaving family and friends here, but we are thrilled that we'll get to be at Dartmouth for the start of the school year.

Some great news of last week is that **we met our minimum fundraising goal to go to Dartmouth!** In the midst of such a tough economy, it really seems like a miracle that God has provided \$8,000 a month for us to share the gospel with these students. We are overwhelmed and so grateful that you have stood with us during this time, giving so faithfully when we've been far from our ministry assignment, and praying with us that God would get us back there. **He's answered our prayers!!!**

The \$8,000/month won't cover all of our expenses in ministry at Dartmouth, so **please continue to pray that God would raise up the additional \$2,000/month** that would bring us to our original goal. Still, we want to really celebrate with you that we have enough to be allowed to go!



Jason and Faye's dad, Rich,  
on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July



Uncle Bruce, Aunt Lea and  
granddaughter Marissa

This has also been a really tough week for our family. In late February, Faye's aunt Lea was diagnosed with a very advanced, highly aggressive brain cancer. We knew that the prognosis was that she had 6 months to a year to live, yet as she went through chemo and radiation we prayed for a miracle and hoped that she would get some good time before the cancer took her. On July 1 we got a call that she had contracted pneumonia and been rushed to the hospital, and on July 7 Lea passed away. God answered many of our prayers for her (even giving Faye the chance to see her and share with her before she died), but it's so incredibly sad that she's gone. **We'd love your prayers that God would comfort and strengthen Faye's uncle Bruce and his daughter, Karen (who's 32).**

### PRAYER REQUESTS

- Praise God with us that He's provided for us to go to Dartmouth!!! Thank you, God! Hooray!
- Please pray that our hearts would be soft toward God.
- Please pray for Faye's family, especially for Uncle Bruce and Cousin Karen, as we mourn Lea's passing.
- Please pray for our safe travel, for us to trust God in the moving/traveling process and not be anxious, for us to be a blessing to the people we visit in the Midwest.
- **Praise God** for 16 new partners in June and July!