## **REMINGTON RANCH REPORT November 2024 - January 2025**

Romans 8:18 For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

Howdy Prayer Warriors and Supporters! Pardon the late letter I'm on deputation and in hand recovery. While Hip surgery (Aug. 28) recovery was quick. Trigger finger surgery recovery was slow and painful. Sleep and rest caused stiff fingers requiring hours of stretching. Typing and signing ASL to communicate were painful chores. Praise the Lord I'm back to typing and signing. It's wonderful to have prayer warriors like you! Thank you for Praying!

**November- 14-20** Final Trip to Colorado to pack up my parent's things before new owners move in. **14-** Preached at Support Church Trinity Baptist in Trinidad, CO. **17-** Presented Deaf Ranch at Tri-City Baptist Church Westminster, CO. Visit with an old High School friend. **20-** U-Haul moving truck FULL and pulling a LOADED flatbed trailer, we set our overnight route home on GPS. While I slept and my son drove, his phone switched to the shortest route and we ended up crossing Wolf Creek Pass (10,857 feet) Very High and Cold, Not good with a heavy load...but God got us across safe. Our water bottles froze solid and were still frozen when we arrived to our warm home. **28-** Thanksgiving was mostly our family and one Church family joining us. Their kids and our grandkids had a great time playing.

**December- 4-** Trigger Finger Surgery. Several years ago I fell and bent back the fingers on my right hand doing bathroom tile work. After that, my little and ring fingers triggered when I would sign. With pain getting worse and interrupting preaching, I needed surgery. For 2 Sundays after surgery I preached, relying on my left arm resulting in a very sore left arm since I usually use my right arm as dominant... For Jesus, I would do it again!

**14-** Christmas Banquet was done by our next generation Church members Tim and Justine Langin with many of their age group pitching in. They did a great job! **19-** Hand surgery follow up -Dr. was happy with the quick healing, but not the thick scar tissue. Took 16 sessions of Occupational Therapy to get my hand back in shape. Well worth it!

**22-** A deaf boy came forward to ask Jesus to be his personal Saviour. These moments are why we serve the Lord.

January- 6-10 Canceled going to Texas Deaf Men's Retreat, our truck needs its transmission fixed and our granddaughter was born 2 weeks late. Amy needed our car in case we had to drive Crystal to the birthing center. Not sure my hand would handle driving to Texas. 10 Eliana Jade Orozco was born 8lb 14.3oz. 20.5 inch long to Abram and Crystal (Remington) Orozco 19 Sanctity of Life Sunday! Dec. -Jan. Continued OT/PT on the hand. I took advantage of this to hand out gospel tracts and witness to Physical Therapy workers and waiting patients. Started PT at a different location for Left knee, to help determine if it needs total replacement or not. Goal is also to get me back in shape and ready for Summer Preaching and Deaf Camps. Great to have new folks to give tracts and witness to. Always leave them smiling and wish them a great day.

**PRAYER Request:** -Our support fell during Covid. We need to get Rehab Ranch Support up, so I've been working on arranging deputation trips. We also need increased support to cover Africa Deaf Camps. -I've also been working on getting lessons, sermons and games ready for Africa Summer camps. Have almost half the needed camp support.

-July 7-12 Apache Creek Deaf Camp N.M. USA, 16-20 Benin Africa Deaf Camp, 21-23 Africa Ministry Workers Workshop. 24-27 Togo Africa Deaf Camp July 28-Aug. 2 workweek- Benin School campus, Aug. 3-18 Two weeks of Teaching Deaf Bible College in Benin. 20-31 Fly to Cape Coast Ghana and prepare for Ghana Deaf Camp 25-30.

Thank you for your Prayers and Support, We couldn't reach them without you! Michael Remington Deaf Pastor and Missionary mr remington56@ yahoo.com

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