

September 28, 2007

Dear Friends:

Toni and I are back in the desert. The weather has been spectacular, so I'm using my new patio every day. We had a great 2 ½ months stay at the Montage Resort in Laguna Beach. I worked out daily and have gotten stronger. But my eyesight and throat has both weakened. I have gotten to the point where I hate eating because I know I will start to choke and cough. I still weigh 227 lbs., so I'm either eating enough to keep my weight or I am gaining muscle which weighs more than fat.

Toni and I played 9 holes of golf earlier in the week and I did really well, so now I can't wait to get back out there. Eldorado is currently closed and won't be open until Nov. 1st and the Reserve also closes this weekend and reopens on Nov. 1st.

The employees at the Montage contributed \$5,000 to the Peebler PSP Research Foundation, which came as a real surprise to us.

Toni left for Omaha and I hope to go with her in a couple of weeks for the Lauritzen wedding. I will have to wait and see how my health is before I make any plans.

Thank you for all of your letters and support. They mean a lot to Toni and me.

All my best.

Chuck