

-THE LAST CHAPTER OF 2013-

Dearest Ones... I have so little room to share all that's on my heart☺ But here goes... To remember what happened in every month of this past year is difficult. But I'll try and recap the events! After a busy **Christmas of 2012** I became very ill and spent time in a Tucson hospital. Thru the help of my family members it seems like that kidney stone no longer has a hold on me! In **February** the Doctor went in to find it and it was gone! Thanx Doc! For nothing! In **April** the kids had a 50th wedding anniversary for us. Never to be forgotten day in our lives! Thanks to all of you that made it so special with your cards and greetings!

In **May** we went to FL. to visit my sister and we celebrated her birthday late and our 50th right on time. We had a good visit. But we haven't been back there since☺ So Lord willing on the 20th we shall be making our way back there to help celebrate the Lord Jesus Birth, **Christmas**, with my sister Nancy Dillin. I want to celebrate her 80th about 4 months early...Can I do that too? In **July**, Paul and our grandson Austin went to WI. to help our son Luke finish siding his old house. They didn't finish but worked hard and Austin had to come back to high school and Luke was just too busy so he had to finish it later on without his Daddy. I stayed behind and helped at our church with DVBS. We didn't have many kids but had a good time together! In **August**, I turned a mere 73 and was surprised by a quick visit from our daughter in Denver and her kids in Tucson. Those kind of surprises makes one older quickly! But it surely was wonderful!

In **September**, Paul went to renew his flight instructor's license in Phoenix and I went along. I did correspondence in the motel room and visited with Alicia who came down from her college while Paul was in class and we had a good time together. Paul passed his course and that made us all happy! In **October**, we celebrated Paul's 73rd and had 7 of our Family to help celebrate! Our granddaughter in Tucson came down and made it special! In **November**, We returned to Phoenix to attend a hearing which was interesting, but it didn't turn out like we would have liked. But we got to visit our granddaughter again and visit with our daughter and husband for a short time, so it was worth the long trip! We said goodbye to many inmates this month which is good for them but sad for us to say goodbye☺ Pray for them!.. Now it is **December**. Our son Larry just returned from the Philippines safe and a bit sound, fighting flu and jet lag☺ where he helped maintain the 2 aircraft New Tribes is flying there to help the people after the Typhoon. So..with all the important dates, Christmas Tea, Parties here at NTMA, Dentist visits, .Doctor visits is keeping us busy! And now learning I can't get an appt. with a new Dr. cuz I am on Medicare! It pays to get old in the U.S.A.! Paul and I are really looking forward to Heaven and receiving our new bodies! Even So Come Lord Jesus! We want to wish you a very Blessed Christmas and a Healthy New Year and tell you how grateful we are, for the part you have played in our lives in **2013** that is almost finished! **CHRISTMAS CHEER FROM US HERE!**

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2013 in Review!



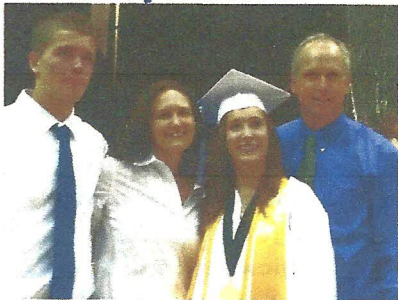
Pat's surgery to remove kidney stone that God had already removed!



Kristine-my nurse- at her 25th Milestone



Lisa-the daughter who planned our 50th party with help from all !



Alicia and her family at her High School Graduation



Pat's 73rd birthday cake bot by a Friend in Tucson & surprised me!



<Paul's 73rd spent with family!

Christmas will be with Nancy in FL.!

