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Dear Friend and Supporter of Chick and Renee Atkins,

The President of our agency, Danny Whetstone, and I just returned from a visit with Chick and Renee Atkins. Their daughter Heidi called today to say her father is not doing well physically and requested our prayers as he nears heaven's shore. We immediately arranged to visit the family.

Upon our arrival, the setting was hardly one of a typical "death bed" vigil. It was more of a time of re-acquaintance with friends and renewal of faith. We saw a faithful servant whose Lord was uppermost on his mind. He was surrounded by hymns playing in the background, with the sun shining in through the windows. His mind and voice were lucid, though encumbered by an oxygen mask. We spent a few minutes with them and prayed. We left knowing we would see him again in a glorified body.

The family thanks you for caring, praying and supporting them around the world wherever they served our Lord. Please continue to uphold them at this time.

Sincerely,

John O'Malley