

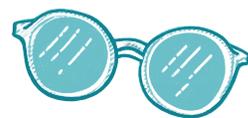
DEAR CLAY

What's up, man? How are you holding up? Yeah, I know it's a lot. You're tired. You're scared. You're doing your best to keep it together for Jen, but inside you feel like everything's falling apart.

You don't know what's coming next, and that's the worst part. You just want answers. But they aren't coming fast.

I wish I could tell you it's all going to be rainbows and unicorns. But the truth is, it takes a whole lot of rain to get a rainbow. And unicorns ain't real, her PNH isn't going away. That won't change. The hospital visits, the unanswered questions, the treatments. You're going to see her go through it all. I know you're feeling the stress of insurance, phone calls, pharmacies. You want to scream, "Why her? Why us? Why our family?" That's OK.

You're stronger than you think. And so is she.



But even in the middle of all that fear and unknown, there's also light. You and Jen will become stronger as a team and in your love for each other. You might not be rich materially, but you'll be rich in the things that matter--love, laughter, and family. Life still moves forward, even if there may be hard days ahead.



Jen still loves you. And you still love her. And you have a lot more adventures ahead. So, keep going. Keep being thankful, even when it's hard. Lots of good is hiding. You just can't see it yet. There's always a plan--you've just got to be quiet sometimes and listen.



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