WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

THIS IS AN UPDATED MANAGER'S DESK PROGRAM FROM WHAT AIRED AT 6:00 AM THIS MORNING. HERE'S THE LATEST ON OUR RADIO STAFF BATTLING COVID. FOR THOSE WHO DON'T KNOW, 3 OF OUR 6 FULL-TIME STAFF MEMBERS ARE BATTLING COVID, ALONG WITH THEIR SPOUSES.

ALAN KILGORE, OUR CHIEF ENGINEER, WENT INTO THE HOSPITAL LAST THURSDAY WHERE HE WAS DIAGNOSED WITH DOUBLE PNEUMONIA. HE HAS NOW BEEN MOVED OUT OF ICU. HE IS CONTINUING TO IMPROVE AND HOPES TO GET OUT OF THE HOSPITAL IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

RICH FRISCHKORN WAS RUSHED TO THE SHAWANO HOSPITAL BY AMBULANCE MONDAY AFTERNOON. HE ALSO IS IMPROVING. WHEN I TALKED WITH HIM TODAY I COULD TELL HE WAS FEELING MUCH BETTER. HE STILL HAS ISSUES WHEN HE TRIES TO STAND UP WITH HIS OXYGEN LEVEL DROPPING DRAMATICALLY AND COLLAPSES.

MONDAY NIGHT, PEGGY WENTLAND WENT, AS IT TURNS OUT, BY AMBULANCE TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM IN SHAWANO. YESTERDAY THEY TRANSFERRED HER TO APPLETON. THEY FOUND SHE HAS TWO SMALL BLOOD CLOTS IN HER LUNGS AND A SLIGHT CASE OF PNEUMONIA. WHEN I TALKED WITH HER TODAY SHE WAS SOUNDING MUCH BETTER.

THANK YOU FOR KEEPING THESE 3 STAFF MEMBERS IN YOUR PRAYERS. IN TALKING WITH THEM, THEY ARE DEEPLY TOUCHED THAT SO MANY PEOPLE ARE PRAYING FOR THEM. JUST AS I WAS.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEND A GET WELL CARD YOU CAN SEND IT TO THE RADIO STATION IN CARE OF THEM. THEY MAY NOT GET IT UNTIL AFTER THE FACT BECAUSE THERE IS NO VISITATION FOR COVID PATIENTS.

WITH US BEING SHORT HANDED HERE AT THE STATION, THINGS JUST AREN'T MOVING AS QUICKLY AS USUAL. I'M THANKFUL THAT LEVI COULD HELP OUT ON AIR MONDAY AND TUESDAY MORNINGS. BY THE WAY, TODAY IS HIS BIRTHDAY. AND I FOUND OUT HE IS THE SAME AGE AS MY YOUNGEST, MY ONLY, DAUGHTER. AND MY WIFE, NANCY, HAS BEEN A GREAT HELP FOR ME IN OPENING MAIL AND PROCESSING RECEIPTS FOR LISTENERS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS. GOD IS ANSWERING. WE LOVE HEARING FROM YOU.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.