

ACCESS

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Sept - Oct '25

PRAYER FOCUS

- My surgeon's salvation
- Oct 25 - peaceful presidential elections and transition of power
- Medical personnel for our 2026 teams
- Travel - safety, stamina, and guidance in ministry

Dear Ministry Friend,

Two weeks ago, I visited a church in the Atlanta area. I stayed with a family that has a unique love for missions, having experienced it themselves. Both parents are missionary kids. The mother's dad is a retired missionary orthopedic surgeon who served for over twenty years in Bangladesh and lives with them.

This surgeon gave me a copy of his autobiography for the orthopedic surgeon who is treating my hand. The following Tuesday, I had my last appointment. An x-ray showed no remaining infection. I'm grateful and relieved that my hand is healed. Thank you to the many of you who prayed me through the treatment. Toward the end of the appointment, I handed my surgeon a bag with the autobiography and the book *Done* by Cary Schmidt. He took the books out of the bag, read the titles, and said, "I have a lot going on. I'll read that."

Start to finish . . . God did all of that. Only God could have orchestrated that days before my last appointment I'd be with a retired missionary orthopedic surgeon. I'm praying that he will receive Christ as his Savior.

Presidential elections in Ivory Coast are scheduled for October 25th. Please pray with us that the elections will take place as scheduled, that the results will be accepted, and that there would be a peaceful transition of power. Our nationals say, "Safety is not the absence of danger. It's the presence of the Lord." Their faith so often strengthens our own.

We have two Access teams scheduled for 2026. These are great opportunities for healthcare professionals to serve in medical missions on the field. ***We have a real need for nurses, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and physicians to join us on our teams next year.*** If you'd be interested in more information, feel free to visit our website at <https://accessivorycoast.org/>.



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My upcoming meetings will be in Florida and Canada. As I travel, my desire is to have sensitivity to ministry opportunities that the Lord puts along my way. Trip exhaustion can so easily creep up and cause me to miss them. Please pray for stamina, safety, and guided conversations with those who are open.

In love and praise to Him,

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