



This is an update and a correction to the recent email regarding Jerry Hunsinger`s health situation. Apparently Jerry is not in the VA hospital in Grand Junction as previously reported, but he is being treated by them. An email just received from Jerry is posted below. It provides some pertinent details regarding his experience and current condition and also some good advice for our members. The Golden Eagles is relieved to hear that Jerry survived a very critical medical episode and we want to wish him continued improvement and a rapid recovery.

Jerry`s email:

Hi Dave,

Tom Long and I go way back and we have always been good buds.

I am not in the VA hospital, but they are taking care of me. They sent me to a local orthopedic surgeon for the posterior neck surgery in April, because VA does not have one. I came home from the civilian hospital after 22-days of pure hell for me and Phyllis. But they saved my life. It's a long story and I don't want to bore anyone, but Long and Ray Booth are right in making the announcement now that it looks like I might live, sort of. Long way to go yet.

Please use anything Tom Long sent you, or this email, as you see fit

Tell everyone to have an advocate when you are critical for two weeks as I was. If it weren't for Phyllis I would be Ed Gorman's wingman. If you are sent to a Rehab Center, check it out beforehand. Phyllis didn't know to do that and in five days they almost killed me through neglect, so

be warned. It took our regional hospital's emergency room to bring me back from the dead and readmit me to the hospital.

Hope your broken ribs are healing and that you are comfortable. Thanks for your kind regards. I will press on.

*Best Regards,
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