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Vedat Update

Vedat's webpage is now up and running. Please take a moment to check it out and see how you can help our church support this teenager God has placed in our care www.cbcva.org/vedat.



While vacationing at the beach in early July, Vedat suffered a spinal cord bruise. As a result, he has lost use of his good, right leg and is currently back at Shriner's Children's Hospital in Chicago. He is being treated by the same group of providers who performed his surgery in March 2007. He returned to Shriner's for aggressive physical and occupational therapy, in hopes of restoring as much function as possible to his lower body. At this time he is back in a wheelchair, unable to walk. By now, Vedat should be home with his host family, the Hatchers.

Vedat will need ongoing physical therapy, counseling services and follow-up appointments with his physician. Drivers are needed to help get him to these appointments. Arrangements are in the works for these appointments to be in the Gainesville/Manassas/Centreville area. If you are able to help with this GREAT need, please contact Holly Turner at pyedturner@aol.com

Hosting a child can be challenge, and we would like to help the Hatcher's by providing meals to them three times per week. Gift cards to grocery stores and restaurants are also very helpful. If you are able to help in this area, please contact Kelsey Linderman at klinderman1@verizon.net

Please consider joining the Vedat prayer team in praying for God's healing for Vedat and wisdom in knowing what steps should be taken for his future. If you are willing to pray with us, please contact Cleonia Olson at cboluvsgod@verizon.net so that she can add you to the weekly prayer/praise e-mail update.