A Personal Word

From the Coile Family

June 25, 2026

Dear friends,

We just finished up four weeks of events at Grace Farm. We had an amazing and challenging month. This summer, we experienced some of the strangest problems ever.

During our SWAT retreat, a storm caused us to lose power. At the beginning of the Georgia Missions Project, we had to move to the basement of the lodge building due to a tornado warning. At the start of Junior Camp, the pump on our well broke, causing us to be without water for the first night. At the beginning of our final week of camp, our refrigerator went out. (Seriously, you can't make this stuff up!) My personal struggles included a weird skin condition (don't ask!), a painful crick in the neck, and relentless canker sores. Collectively, we battled sickness, stress, and fatigue.

Why so much opposition? Are these problems the product of chance, or is there a Devil on the loose? The answer is simple—spiritual warfare. All these hardships are Satan's attacks on our ministry. Satan HATES what we're doing. He does not want kids to accept the gospel or understand assurance; and he certainly does not want saved kids to dedicate their lives to serve the Lord.

Despite Satan's attempts to thwart our endeavors, God came through every time. Our power was restored. Instead of letting the rain ruin their fun, the SWAT girls played in the rain.



Campers playing on a log during a hike

People who love the Lord and Grace Farm stayed up late replacing the well pump so we could have water again. We found a new refrigerator to replace the broken one. God showed Himself to be bigger than our weaknesses, infirmities, and circumstances beyond human control. God is good always, and He is working in every situation.

Throughout our weeks of camp, kids understood the gospel and put their faith in Christ. Some kids understood assurance and eternal security for the first time. A few campers dedicated their lives to serve the Lord. Praise God!

I can't think of a ministry as rewarding as camp ministry. We are laboring to make eternal, spiritual investments in the lives of those who come to Grace Farm.

Thank you for the part you play in contributing to the ministry happening at Grace Farm. You make what we do possible.

Eden Grace,
for the Coile family

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