Dear ABC Members,

Life has not been easy since 8 May. Seven months ago, on Mother's Day, our father, Steven Ng, was feeling very ill with severe fever. Then it started getting bad – we immediately sent him to the hospital and he became unconscious the following day. At first, we thought that he had a stroke, but the fact is it was even worse. He was diagnosed with encephalitis, a rare but serious condition that causes inflammation of the brain.

Fortunately, after various medical treatments, we can finally see some progress in terms of his recovery. We have been receiving a lot of love from our father's colleagues from the ABC and his friends.

Most importantly, we would like to show our gratitude here for all your generous donations, for both financial and spiritual support. Your kind support gives us so much hope to see that there is light despite all the darkness.

We truly believe that things will get better day by day, however hard they are. We are told that the recovery progress may be very long and tough, but miracles happen every day.

Don't ever lose faith, just as we never lose faith in our father.

Lastly, we would like to thank you all once again for your great support, for which we are genuinely grateful. We will

continue working hard at our studies, to be the son and daughter whom our father would be proud of.

Best, William and Stephanie Ng January 2017