December 2013

Roshan & Dave are doing great and wish you all a wonderful holiday season & a happy, healthy and a prosperous New Year Hope that you all had a wonderful 2013 and even better 2014

Once again, this whole year passed even faster than before and we thank God that we are all doing good.

Rest of our immediate family now live away and in much colder places – Rita, Jon, Alexander, David and Christopher in Denver; Ravin, Dina, Nadia and Niko in Chicago and Bijan, Negin, Arvand and Rayan in Anchorage, Alaska. We miss them all very much but are extremely happy and proud that all our children and grandchildren are doing great, wherever they are and we wish them success and good & healthy future.

We managed to make a few trips – a great, very enjoyable cruise on the Carnival Magic to Honduras, Belize and Cozumel. We took this trip together with Shirley and Randy Simpson, our dining table partners from our previous cruise to Bahamas, also on Carnival Magic. Once again we enjoyed excellent company, programs, shows and the variety of food choices. Next March we take the same Carnival Magic to Jamaica, Cayman Islands and Cozumel with Rita and Ravin and their respective families & some good friends from our subdivision. Some members of Dina's families may also join us and we look forward to it.

We flew to Cancun for a holiday in Riviera Maya, less than 30 minute drive from Cancun. Dina's family members were having a family reunion there and they asked us to join them. We had a wonderful time with practically all of Dina's family members present

We attended our eldest grandson, Alexander's 15th birthday and graduation in Denver during summer, Niko and Ravin's birthday in cold and windy Chicago in November, but missed Nadia's birthday, also in November. We did not make it to Alaska this year.

Rita and her family visited us early summer, Ravin and his family came to visit us for Thanksgiving holidays. Bijan and his family also visited us in summer. We also see Bijan, very briefly, whenever he comes to his business meetings in Houston; we are happy to see any of our children and their families anytime even for a short duration.

> We look forward to and are always happy to receive news and photos from our relatives, friends and neighbors. My cousin, Cyrus's son, Nader, keeps in touch and sends us his and his parent's family photographs 2-3 times a year; we appreciate it very much.

With our love and very best wishes for a happy, healthy and a prosperous New Year,

Roshan and Dave