

**James Marrs**

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Hi, Beth.

Just a quick one to say I am doing fine and recuperating at home. I expect to be well enough to return to work overseas on July 19th. Just being able to do the first day trip towards Daytona was a great ride in itself and I really wished I could have made the ending event in Homer. For me, it was never about the prize. It was about testing my will and warrior spirit and making some great friendships along the way.

I will always be grateful for the organizers who worked so hard to put this challenge together, and certainly for the other riders. Most of all, I'm proud to have contributed my funds toward the great causes and charities.

Thank you for the wonderful memories.

~James Marrs, Mobile, Alabama