

## Tributes

## TRIBUTES &amp; MEMORIALS

## In Memory of

**Albritton Family**

Christy Clement

**Bonnie Buffington & Pauline Kruse**

They both died of cancer. They were both very special people who contributed to their communities, church, and most of all, their family! So I would like to give back to help other families in their time of need.

Ann Norden

**Cathy Stephan Gravelle**

Mike Gravelle

**Danny Poulos, Jr.**

Julie Poulos

**Darlene Ough**

Melissa Hance

**Deborah Bond**

My husband's mother lost her battle with breast cancer when he was just 19 years old. Not a child, but not a grown man either. Her cancer journey motivated me to become a health care provider in Oncology. Over the past several years, I have seen so many other young adults lose their battle with little kids and teenagers at home. So many milestones missed. Giving those kids and their parents a special memory to hold on to is priceless. It brings joy to an otherwise unfathomable, tragic situation. I am proud to support Memories for Kids.

Amanda Bond

**Korey Eriksen**

This donation is in memory of my late husband, Korey, who passed away March 3 2020 from Grade 4 Glioblastoma (brain cancer). We didn't get the opportunity to use this program for our 4 year old son as Korey's decline was pretty rapid and he couldn't really travel. I hope this helps families make some lasting memories with their loved ones....but most importantly I hope they make great memories together for many years to come. Beat Cancer!

Kim Eriksen

**Korey Erikson**

My dear friend Kim Eriksen lost her husband, Korey Eriksen, earlier this year to brain cancer. She struggles so much without him, raising their young son. I hope this donation will help a family, like hers.

Todd Campbell

**Memorial - General**

In memory of all the young kids who have lost a mom or dad way too early. God bless Memories for Kids.

Julie Forster

**Michaela Harper**

My sister fearlessly fought cancer!

Toody Moffatt

**Michaela Harper and Ursula Obrist**

Toody Moffatt

**Philip VanEngen**

Laura Budd

**Raelynn Preston and all the foster children of Nebraska.**

May they all have wonderful memories and leave their families with wonderful memories, blood or not.

Teri Miller

**Ryan Albritton**

Trisha Dorman

**Sheila**

Roger Weber

**Sheila Evans**

My dear aunt who passed last year of metastatic breast cancer.

Taryn Huebner

**Simon Michael Robb**

Denise Robb

**Stephanie Williams**

Stephanie passed away last month and this was her designated memorial. She was a wonderful friend and coworker who is greatly missed.

Monica Freeman

**Stephanie Williams**

This donation is in memory of my mom, Stephanie Williams.

Dustin Hajek

**Stephanie Williams**

Kent Williams

**Stephanie Williams**

IN MEMORY OF STEPHANIE WILLIAMS, a dear & special friend of mine for over 40 years, passed away September 19, 2020 of CNS lymphoma in Omaha, NE "Memories For Kids" is the organization suggested by family to donate to in memory of Stephanie. Through the years her children were always the loves of her life and top topic of our conversations. Her children and husband were her world. God Bless You Stephanie, I will miss you so much, but so thankful you were a part of my life for many years. Comforting prayers and healing blessings to her children Dustin, Jessica, Grant and husband Ken. I will never forget her loving heart.

Peggy Pedersen

**Stephanie Williams**

In lieu of flowers Stephanie requested this.

Marv Belknap

**Stephanie Williams**

Memorial in honor of Stephanie Williams.

Lisa Mueller

**Stephanie Williams**

Sue Tricker

**Stephanie Williams**

Sister of our friend Patrick Sinclair, in lieu of flowers.

Keith Gilliam

**Stephanie Williams**

Stephanie Williams requested memorials be donated here.

Denise Hoover

**Stephanie Williams**

Lori Fox

**Stephanie Williams**

A wonderful person whose family requested that memorials in her honor be made to this organization.

Kari Scheer

**Stephanie Williams**

We are donating this in remembrance of Stephanie Williams and support of our friend Kent Williams. - Renze Display

Lindsey Tonniges

**Stephanie Williams**

I have known Dustin Hajek, her son for a number of years and followed his mother's journey through cancer (through him) since her diagnosis. Another beautiful soul has become an angel and we mourn her loss and our thoughts are with those that are crushed by grief at this time.

Therese Yakel

**Stephanie Williams**

In Memory of Stephanie Williams. The amazing mother to my sweet friend Dustin Hajek.

Kylie Matya

**Stephanie Williams**

Pam Swenson

**Stephanie Williams**

From the Linbo and Cooper families

Sandra Linbo

**Stephanie Williams**

Richard Coder

**Stephanie Williams**

Mary Schell

**Stephanie Williams**

Bruce Ketcham

**Stephanie Williams**

In loving memory of Stephanie Williams. Her caring and joyful personality brightened the world. The endless memories will never be forgotten. Deepest sympathy to her family with much love.

Todd Muckey

**Stephanie Williams**

Susan Christiansen

**Stephanie Williams**

This is in memory of Stephanie Williams who always brightened everyone's day.

Michael Matejka

**Stephanie Williams**

Jeffrey Moriarty

**Stephanie Williams**

Jeri Christ

**Stephanie Williams**

Rachelle Terry

**Stephanie Williams**

I knew Stephanie through her son, Dustin. She was such a fun and beautiful person and I will forever cherish our time spent together on her visits and my visits to her in Omaha.

Shannon Kotlarz

**Stephanie Williams**

Kent Williams

**Suzie Klosterman**

Don Klosterman

**Suzie Klosterman**

Michaela Warden

**Travis and Annette Wells**

This donation is in memory of Travis Wells that lost his cancer battle on January 12. The Wells Family was blessed with a trip to Clearwater, FL. We want to help another family get the same great memories.

Michelle Thornburg

**Ursula Obrist**

My sister fearlessly fought cancer!

Toody Moffatt

## In Honor of

**Aaron Wegner**

We are donating this in honor of Aaron Wegner for his children Elle (10), Hudson (8) & Harper (5) Wegner who lost their father to stage IV cancer last month. We love this little family and are also grateful Ella Shanahan encouraged us to donate for her birthday present.

Carolyn Sutton

**Amanda Iwansky**

Nicole Bruner

**Amy Johnson Lafontaine**

This is in recognition of our daughter Amy Jansen Lafontaine. She has stage IV cancer & was fortunate to be chosen to go to San Antonio, TX with her family in December of 2019 to make memories with her kids Brooklynne, Brock & Breanna & loving husband Tom. We are very grateful to you to give her the opportunity to get to do this with her family. Thank you very much!

Mary A. Jansen

**Anderson Moritz**

Lisa Moritz

**Ann Christiansen**

Recognition for Ann Christiansen for her work as Co-chariman for your benefit luncheon and a big thank you for including me "at her table!"

Cheryl Smith

**Beth Kramer**

Julie Liakos

**Class of 2020**

Julie Forster

**Denise**

Tim Salzbrenner

**Ella Shanahan**

Jacqueline Walker

**Ella Shanahan**

In recognition of Ella Shanahan's 10th Birthday!

Jennifer Miller

**Ella Shanahan**

Ella Shanahan's 10th Birthday

Mandy Visty

**Ella Shanahan**

Happy birthday Ella Shanahan!

Lisa Masid Scheppers

**Ella Shanahan**

Shannon Taylor

**Ella Shanahan**

In recognition of Ella Shanahan

McKenzie Schmitt

**Ella Shanahan**

For Ella Shanahan, giving to others for her birthday.

Mollie Evans

**Ella Shanahan**

In recognition of Ella Shanahan's 10th Birthday!!! In lieu of gifts she asked for contributions to Memories for Kids.

Kim Hefflinger

**Ella Shanahan**

What a amazing gesture Ella! You are learning the gift of giving at a young age! Our good friend Kayla Hebenstreit passed away from cancer a few years ago and left behind a sweet daughter, Kendall. She was too young to remember her mom, but I envision this organization helping so many families! Blessings! The Chapeau Family

Monica Chapeau

**Ella Shanahan**

We are donating in honor of Ella Shanahan for her 10th birthday.

- The Dowell Family

Stephanie Dowell

**Ella Shanahan**

This donation is in honor of sweet Ella Shanahan's 10th Birthday.

Elizabeth Jensen

**Ella Shanahan**

Linda Shanahan

**Honorary - General**

Hilary Schendt

**Jenny Meyerson**

Susie Norton

**Julie Forster**

My donation is in honor of my long time friend Julie James Forster and her remarkable daughter Meredith. Their volunteer energy inspires me.

Amy Schmid

**Kara and Bob Soukup**

Anne Soukup

**Kara Plumb**

Julie Liakos

**Kara Soukup**

Kara Soukup who works tirelessly for MFK.

Anne Soukup

**Kathleen Uehling**

She is a wonderful charitable daughter.

Vicki Fanta

**Kathy Weaver**

This donation is being made in Kathy Weaver's honor. She is an amazing volunteer at ReRUNS R Fun and we are making this donation in her name.

Gina

**Katie and Grant Hutchins**

For their dedication to Memory for Kids.

Jim Fitch

**MFK Guild and Jennifer Peterson**

In honor of the MFK guild and their passionate work in creating memories for families, including Jennifer Peterson! Thank you!

Denise Barrett

**Sheri and Bob Shonka**

Julie Liakos

**Trisha and Gregg Solko**

This is in recognition of Trisha and Gregg Solko who are strong supporters of MFK and dear friends of mine.

Connie Davidson

## HONOR THOSE THAT INSPIRE AND INFLUENCE

A donation to Memories for Kids Annual Tribute Campaign is a special way to honor or remember a loved one, caregiver or champion. Become a supporter of Memories for Kids and help families take a break from cancer.

**You may donate to honor or remember a loved one by visiting our [Tribute Page](#).**