



Utah Share Newsletter

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Remembering the Babies Who Have Touched Our Hearts...

Brantley Forrest Penrod

July 8, 2011

Arianna "CJ"

Wright-Slack

August 18, 2011

Anderson Alan Bull

August 31, 2011

Conor Phillip Gibson

September 4, 2011

Jailyn Staisy Ruiz

September 5, 2011

Alex Beth Weeks

September 5, 2011

Corban Tyler Kent

September 7, 2011

Nanci Garcia

September 6, 2011

Kyler Brock Westbrook

September 8, 2011

Zooy Tanya Chesley

September 9, 2011

Baby Courtney

September 12, 2011

Niare Wilson

September 14, 2011

Jacob Tristan Cox

September 17, 2011

Angel David

Oseguera-Silva

September 18, 2011

Amelia Jane Brown

September 20, 2011

Mysteree Roze

Martinez

September 29, 2011

Noor Ameen Arqan

October 1, 2011

Hoor Ameen Arqan

October 1, 2011

Noah Justin Ingram

September 13, 2011 -

October 2, 2011

Camila Reyes Garcia

October 2, 2011

Lorelai Kae Davis

October 3, 2011

Crew Fillerup

October 4, 2011

Ali Lyn Pitcher

October 6, 2011

Mason Austin Taylor

October 7, 2011

Hernan Olmedo-Sanchez

October 7, 2011

Malakiah Azariah

Logan

October 11, 2011

Logan Jay Dalpiaz

October 19, 2011 -

October 24, 2011

Tyler Olivia Campos

October 27, 2011

Jessica LeeAnn Scott

October 27, 2011



Birthdays In Memory Of



Utah Share would like to express
condolences to the family of
Aaron Michael Booth.

Aaron leaves behind his wife Jolyn
and son Colton and joins his children
Emily Jo and Tyler James in Heaven.

Happy 4th Birthday
to our little angel Spencer.

We miss you and love you every day!
Love,
Mommy, Daddy, Katie, Lizzie
and baby Xander.

December 2nd

Happy 1st Birthday to our sweet,
little Demree.
We miss you so much.



Love,
Daddy, Mommy, Marlee, & Jordyn

November 3rd



Nora Emmiline Hamblin
Happy 2nd Angel Day, Nora.

Even though we only held
you in our arms for a short while,
we will hold you in our
hearts forever and Eternity.

September 14

Happy 1st Birthday
Lexi Nevaeh Archuleta!

We miss you everyday!
Love,

Daddy, Mommy, Beckham and Crue.



A Candle for Your Child

Today you will light a little white candle
and say aloud your child's name.
For one fateful day, your life was changed.
The holidays will never be the same.
Today you will light a little white candle
and hang an ornament on a special tree.
Who would have thought you would be in this place?
Sharing your child as a memory.
Today you will light a little white candle,
a small gesture to some others.



Here we share the pain of our loss,
with Mothers, Fathers, Sisters & Brothers.
Today you will light a little white candle,
and as you gaze into the flame,
may comforting memories flood your mind,
as you proudly say your child's name.
Today you will light a little white candle,
With us your compassionate friends...
For all of us know that though they're not here,
our Love for Them NEVER ends.
~ Tammy Tobac

NEWS & EVENTS

Christmas Box Angel Statue Ceremony



On December 6th of each year, a candlelight healing ceremony is held at the base of the Christmas Box Angel monument.

After a few remarks, a moment of silence, and a musical number, those who attend are invited to place a flower at the base of the statue.



There is a ceremony held at the Salt Lake City Cemetery at 7 p.m. at 200 "N" Street. The Christmas Box Angel Statue is located at 340 North "N" Street.

A ceremony will also be held at Evergreen Memorial Park in Ogden just north of 2nd and Monroe at 6 p.m.

The Christmas Box Angel monuments are located throughout the United States to provide hope and healing to all those who have experienced the death of a child. Please call 801-544-1159 with any questions.

* Walk to Remember 2011 *

On Saturday October 15 2011, Utah Share honored the lives of more than 200 babies with a walk around the park, a ceremony and a balloon release.

Thank you to everyone who joined us to honor all babies gone too soon at Utah Share's Annual "Walk to Remember."

* New Gown Pattern Now Available Online *

The Kimono style gowns that we have started using at Utah Share are now available online. The patterns are available in three sizes. Not only do we have the patterns available online, there are also basic instructions, helpful hints, and a video tutorial.

Thank you to Jenn Zollinger for all her hard work and time she took to put this together for us!

Visit <http://sharepatterns.zollyzoo.com/> for the pattern.

* The AngelPics Project *

The AngelPics Project was created to donate photo retouching resources to the parents and families of stillborn babies. Through this free service, skilled digital artists work with a digital copy of your original, eliminating medical equipment, removing unsightly marks and even replacing the background if desired.

Visit www.babyangelpics.com for more information.

* Wish List *

We are in need of quart and gallon size ziplock bags to put gown packets together in, cute ribbon for decorating memory boxes and hair bows.

As well as any embellishments – flowers, buttons, brads, stickers.

We also need cute paper for hand/footprint cards, hair collection cards, thank you cards, and for modge podging on boxes.

If anyone is interested in donating, contact Tanya Price at 801-510-7432.

Support Group Meeting Schedule



UPCOMING MEETINGS:

All Meetings 7:30 – 9 p.m. Classroom 2

November 3



“Am I Normal” – Davis Hospital

November 16

“Handling the Holidays” – McKay Dee Hospital

December 1

“Christmas Craft” – Davis Hospital

December 21

“Topic Cards” – McKay Dee Hospital



January 5

“Dealing with a New Year” – Davis Hospital

January 18

“Book Review” – McKay Dee Hospital

February 2

“Remembering Your Baby” – Davis Hospital

February 15

“Grief and Marriage” – McKay Dee Hospital

If you wish, please bring a memory item of your baby to share. (Pictures, stuffed animal, poem, etc.)

For more information about support meetings, please visit www.utahshare.org

Tarra Jimenez would like to announce the safe arrival of her daughter Nevaeh Rose Martinez born August 14, 2011.

Alexander Adam Beattie
Born October 4, 2011
6lbs 14oz

Welcomed by his proud parents Aurora & Bryce, big sisters Katie and Lizzie and being watched over by big brother Spencer.

What a blessing!

Ike Alan Parker
born August 3, 2011
to proud parents Dwight & Ashley
Little brother to Quincie, Jovie, & Our Angel Baby Zoe who loves him from Heaven.

Kennadee Elizabeth Rausch
Born October 25, 2011
7 lbs 13 oz 18 inches long
Proud parents Kyle and Emalee Rausch
little sister to Kenner Jackson Rausch (our angel)



Donations and Thanks



Donation in memory of Chloe Faith Price by Arlene Colby



A special thank you to Andrew Katsanevas and Boy Scout Troop #603.

Andrew dedicated his time and efforts to Share for his Eagle project. He and his troop collected monetary donations, sorted Walk to Remember shirts/sweatshirts, and worked selling keepsakes at the Walk.

A special thank you to Brett Haney at A to Z Shirt Rack for the amazing job he did on the shirts/hoodies for the Walk to Remember!

Donation in memory of Corbin Tyler Kent by Janice Kent.



Thank you Clinton City Youth Council for helping blow up all those balloons for the Walk to Remember!

Thank you Danny Allen at Dejarnett for the bottled water at the Walk to Remember, donated in memory of his grandchildren Chandler Ryan and Natallia Kloie Barnard.

Thank you Barry Holinski at Associated Foods for the doughnuts and cookies at the Walk to Remember.

Thank you Boy Scout Troop 603 for helping sort shirts and volunteering their time at the Walk to Remember.

A special thank you to Casey Reynolds for singing the beautiful song, "I Dream of Angels," he wrote for his nephew Tyson Scott Chavez.

Thank you Stephen Nellesen for singing "Tears in Heaven" and "Hushabye Mountain" at the Walk to Remember.

Thank you Nicole Billmire for making the tags to attach to the balloons at the Walk to Remember, made in memory of her daughter Jordyn Shiane.

To everyone who helped organize, donated to and volunteered time for the Walk to Remember, THANK YOU! We couldn't have done it without you!

Donation of quilts in memory of Kent Jeffry Johnson who passed 5-16-11

The quilts were made at a family reunion and each of Kent's cousins, aunts, uncles and grandparents made a blanket in honor of Kent.

Grandpa Jeff, Grandma Myrna, Uncle Ryan, Aunt Jamie, Taylor, Kayden, Kenzie, Mom, Dad, Uncle Marc, Aunt Cami, Jordan, Uncle Justin S., Aunt Jeniece, Dawson, Savannah, Uncle Justin W., Aunt Tiffy, Tucker and Boston



Donations and Thanks



Thank you for the beautiful boxes purchased and decorated by the Clinton 9th ward Achievement Day girls.

They also cut and tied a big box of hats.



This project was headed up by Jaime Jaques and done in memory of her daughter Alaina Lynn Jaques.

Thank you to Julie Jones for donating the darling hand and foot card embellishments and the stretch lace for headbands.

Thank you July Robinson for the Keepsake box donated in memory of her son Acea Jack "AJ" Robison.

Thank you to Beth Monson for all the beautiful handmade items made and donated in memory of Addelyn Faith Monson.

Thank you to Cheryl Merrill for donating a roll of postage stamps.

Thank you Rachael Price for painting and decorating all the beautiful keepsake boxes. Donated in memory of her daughter Chloe Faith Price.

Thank you to Carolyn Batie for the cute little hats donated in memory of her Great-granddaughter Kelsie Carolyn Plescia.

A big thank you to Clinton 23rd Ward Relief Society for making blankets, hats, hand and foot print cards, boxes, and headbands

Thank you to Judy Wilson and Kristina Wright for the bracelets, hair bows, blankets and booties donated in memory of Arianna "CJ" Wright Slack.

Donation in memory of Ammon and Abish Fisher by their parents Russell and Daisy Fisher.

Thank you to Desiree Call for the darling crocheted gown, hat and blanket set. Donated in loving memory of her daughter Taislynn Mae Call.

Thank you to Julia Walker for the tiniest, cutest bracelets! Julia donated these in memory of her son Layten Kyle Walker.

Thank you Bella and Bree Gailey for donating two pairs of preemie pajamas for girls.

Thank you Charlene Richens for making numerous baby blankets of various sizes.

Donation in memory of Scout and Stryker Andre by David & Jamie Andre

Inspirational Messages

SPECIAL HANDLING PLEASE

Written by: Mary J. Pinkava

I was handed a package the other day.
It was wrapped securely to be mailed away
Attached to the outside as plain as could be
Was a simple note for all to see.
Please rush through the holiday season;
Too painful to open for any reason.
Contained within, find one broken heart-
Fragile, broken, falling apart.
Tried to go shopping the other day;
The hype of the season blew me away.
Sat down to write cards,
That was insane.
Couldn't find the list
Or think of my name.
People say,
"Come over, be of good cheer."
"Celebrate the holidays,
Prepare a New Year."
But my grief overwhelms me
Like waves in the sea.
Can they cope with my crying,
an unsettled me?
I don't have any holiday cheer.
Decorations, traditions, big family meal
I can't do this year.
Do you know how I feel?
Guilty and frustrated!
I've let everyone down!
Our holiday celebrations
used to be the best in town.
So just ship me away
Address unknown
When my grief is better
I might fly home.

*"Sometimes miracles arrive so tiny
That we cannot feel the weight of them-
And yet we are still changed,
And we are blessed none the less..."*



What a Grieving Mother Really Thinks

~Kelly Cummings

Hello, Old Friend,
Oh, yes, you know
I lost my child a while ago.
No, no please
Don't look away
And change the subject
It's ok.
You see, at first I couldn't feel,
It took so long, but now it's real.
I hurt so much inside you see
I need to talk,
Come sit with me?
You see, I was numb for so very long,
And people said, "My, she is so strong."
They did not know I couldn't feel,
My broken heart made all unreal.
But then one day, as I awoke
I clutched my chest, began to choke,
Such a scream, such a wail,
Broke from me...
My child! My child!
The horror of reality.
But everyone has moved on, you see,
everyone except for me.
Now, when I need friends most of all,
Between us there now stands a wall.
My pain is more than they can bear,
When I mention my child,
I see their blank stare.
"But I thought you were over it,"
Their eyes seem to say,
No, no, I can't listen to this, not today.
So I smile and pretend, and say, "Oh, I'm ok".
But inside I am crying, as I turn away.
And so my old friend, I shall paint on a smile,
As I have from the start,
You never knowing all the while,
All I've just said to you in my heart.



"THERE ARE THINGS THAT WE DON'T WANT TO HAPPEN BUT HAVE TO ACCEPT, THINGS WE DON'T WANT TO KNOW BUT HAVE TO LEARN, AND PEOPLE WE CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT BUT HAVE TO LET GO."

Inspirational Messages

I WALK FOR YOU

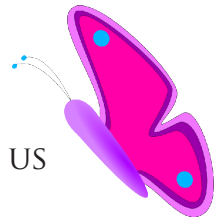
(Walk to Remember)

Dear Precious little baby,
I walk for you today,
To share with everyone your love,
In this, my special way;
Oh how I wish you were here,
to come and tag along,
For little one, if you were here
The miles would not seem so long.
I know that you would love to see
The many colored balloons;
And you would love to listen to
Lullabies and tunes.
You'd love to see the leaves that fall,
Red, yellow, gold, and brown,
You'd roll and toss around in them,
You'd laugh and jump around.
It is such a lovely time of year
I wish you could have stayed
I waited, oh, so long for you
So many plans I made;
I know that you are happy
Up in Heaven's lovely land,
And someday we will meet again,
Together walk hand in hand;
Then we can walk together
As I walk for you today,
I want the whole world to know
This is your special day.
It really does not matter,
Winter, spring, summer or fall,
Dear baby, I still think of you,
Each day your love recall;
I had you such a little while,
But in my heart you'll always stay,
Look down from Heaven, precious baby...
As I take this walk for you today.

Grief

*You don't get over it
You just get through it
You don't get by it
Because you can't get around it
It doesn't just "get better"
It just gets different
Every day...
Grief puts on a new face.*

*Wendy Feiereisen
Grief ©2005®*



A BUTTERFLY LIGHTS BESIDE US
LIKE A SUNBEAM
AND FOR A BRIEF MOMENT ITS GLORY
AND BEAUTY BELONG TO OUR WORLD.
BUT THEN IT FLIES AGAIN
AND THOUGH WE WISH IT COULD HAVE
STAYED...
WE FEEL LUCKY TO HAVE SEEN IT.

~AUTHOR UNKNOWN~



*"If ever there is tomorrow when we're not together.. There is something you must always remember. You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think. But the most important thing is, even if we're apart. I'll always be with you."
~ Winnie the Pooh (A.A. Milne)*

Christmas Craft

This year in memory of our angels we will be doing vinyl lettering on tiles for our Christmas craft. Our Christmas craft will be held on Thursday, December 1 at Davis Hospital at 7:30 pm in place of the support group meeting that night.

Tiles are 12x12 and will be \$5.00 each. The vinyl sayings will be cut and we will be transferring the lettering onto the tiles that night. Come and visit with your Utah Share friends and enjoy a night out! Feel free to bring a treat to share!

Quantity

_____ “Some people come into our lives... and leave footprints on our hearts,
and we are never, ever the same.”

_____ “A family is a circle of love, not broken by loss, but made stronger by the memories.”

_____ “Some people dream of Angels, I held one in my arms.”

_____ “We have heaven in our home because part of our home is in heaven.”

_____ “No one else will ever know the strength of my LOVE for you. After all, you are the
ONE who knows what my HEART sounds like on the inside.”

_____ Total payment enclosed \$ _____

Please send order form and payment to Tanya Price 4929 S. 5300 W. Hooper, UT 84315, Payment must be received by November 19th, 2011. If you have questions call Tanya @ 801-510-7432.

(Make checks payable to Tanya Price)



Sample tile