

Remembering the Babies Who Have Touched Our Hearts...

Malachi Dexter Allred
September 19, 2012

Asher Brice
October 23, 2012

Quaid Brock Bowden
October 25, 2012

Brenner Bates Larsen
June 22, 2012 –
October 29, 2012

Zayden McCoy Beard
November 1, 2012

Skylar Ryan Flynn
November 4, 2012

Adyson Averey Gallegos
November 6, 2012

Rykker Thomas Ring
November 6, 2012

Baby Moore
November 7, 2012

Colton Todd Wells-Longshore
November 13, 2012

Afton Jae Hammon
November 16, 2012

Holden Strong Hoopes
November 19, 2012

Zaine Alexander Marlellus
November 17, 2012 –
November 19, 2012

Estrella Perez Torres
November 27, 2012

CaydAnn Jim Daniel Davis
November 28, 2012

Jazzlynn Marie Holston
December 1, 2012

James Robert Larsen
December 1, 2012

William Roush
December 4, 2012

Vinton Clark Brizzi
December 8, 2012

Tony Ryder Boss
December 12, 2012

Haivyn Ayza Workman
December 13, 2012

Makai Chance Brady
December 15, 2012

Makayla Jayde Gee
December 18, 2012

Andrew James Fredericks
December 19, 2012

Maria José Bahena
December 20, 2012

Aliya Anne Bieh
December 20, 2012

Birthdays In Memory Of



Happy 8th Birthday
Kelsie Carolyn Plescia!

“Those we love
we never lose,
for they will be loved,
remembered and treasured
always in our memory.”



Love you more than words
can say... Nana



Alaina
Feb. 12, 2011

It has been two years since
you chose to go home.
We miss you every day, but
have become better people
because of your example.
We cherish the four months
we had with you and look
forward to an eternity!

Love you forever;
Dad, Mom,
Carsen, and Garrett

Charles Bert Fransen
2-14-2006

We love you and miss you
our sweet Angel.

Love,
Mommy, Daddy and
‘lil sister Kyley

Brynley JaNell,
I can't believe it has been 4
years without YOU:

4 years without Holding YOU,
Touching YOU,
Kissing YOU,
Smiling at YOU,
Teaching YOU,
or Taking Care of YOU.

4 years of ALWAYS
loving YOU,
Remembering YOU
and Longing for YOU.

I hope YOU always know
YOU were and still are loved
by Mommy, Daddy, Tyler,
Justin, Jaron, Kinsey, Rylee
and our other Angels Ryker
and Bethany.

Hope your birthday in
heaven was celebrated with
all our loved ones up there,
and that YOU can take a few
moments to sneak some time
with us as we celebrate your
short time with us.



Love,
Mom

Happy Birthday AJ,
January 31
AJ you would be 2 years old!
We love and miss you dearly.

Love you,
Mom and Dad and
Your Sisters

Happy first birthday Kaisen!!
You have been our biggest
miracle and we miss you
more and more each day. We
love you so much and are so
proud of you!!!

Love,
Mommy and Daddy

Happy 1st birthday to our
angels William and Matthew
on February 4th.

Thank you for giving us
a few days with you!
We miss you so, so much!
Can't wait to be with you
again. Give each other lots of
hugs and kisses
from Mommy and Daddy.
Thank you for being our
special angels!

Love,
Mommy and Daddy Adamson

Birthdays In Memory Of



Happy 8th Birthday to our Angel Kelsie on
February 15th!

We think of you and miss you every day.
We love you so much!

Love,
Mommy, Mike, Shealyn and Kaila



Taylor Harvey
January 23, 2012



Happy Birthday
Khloe Ann Watson
January 25, 2011

Happy 1st Birthday (Angel Day),
sweet Taylor.

I think of you often.
Your brothers and sister adore you.
We love you so much.
Take care of your little brother.

January 3rd

Happy 2nd Birthday to our beautiful
angel Jaela Bliss Scott.

We hope you have an amazing day
dancing with all the angels!
We love you so very much
and miss you every day!



Love always,
Daddy, Mommy,
and baby sister Kaveri



Love,
Mommy



**GONE YET
NOT FORGOTTEN,
ALTHOUGH WE ARE
APART, YOUR SPIRIT LIVES
WITHIN ME,
FOREVER IN MY HEART**





Donations and Thanks



Thank you for the cute pajamas and tons of bracelets and bows donated in memory of JacLynn Blake Larsen December 21, 2011 by Blake, Jalynn, Evalyn, Taylor and Madelyn.

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A huge Thank You to Jenny Nys for the generous donation to Utah Share. Jenny had an amazing Twilight-Breaking Dawn fundraiser held in honor of her son Hayden Hoxie Nys. The event was so much fun! Thank you also to her sister Julie, and all the many helpers and donators that made the event possible!

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Thank you Rachael Price for donating more than 100 beautiful handcrafted cards! Donated in memory of her daughter Chloe Faith Price.

Thank you to Heidi Elliot Porter at Monkeyface Photography for her donation made possible by the Halloween Trick or Treat for Photos event. Thank you for all the beautiful photos! If you are interested in newborn, baby, children or family photos visit her website www.monkeyfacephotography.com or find her on facebook at "monkey face photography."

Inspirational Messages



DADDY, PLEASE DON'T LOOK SO SAD
MAMA PLEASE DON'T CRY CAUSE I AM
IN THE ARMS OF JESUS AND HE SINGS
ME LULLABIES. PLEASE TRY NOT TO
QUESTION GOD, DON'T THINK HE IS
UNKIND. DON'T THINK HE SEND ME
TO YOU, AND THEN HE CHANGED HIS MIND.
YOU SEE, I AM A SPECIAL CHILD, AND I'M
NEEDED UP ABOVE. I'M THE SPECIAL GIFT YOU
GAVE HIM, THE PRODUCT OF YOUR LOVE. I'LL ALWAYS BE
THERE WITH YOU AND WATCH THE SKY AT NIGHT. FIND THE
BRIGHTEST STAR THAT'S GLEAMING, AND MY HALOS BRILLIANT
LIGHT. YOU'LL SEE ME IN THE MORNING FROST, THAT MIST'S
YOUR WINDOW PANE. THAT'S ME IN THE SUMMER SHOWERS
I'LL BE DANCING IN THE RAIN. WHEN YOU FEEL A LITTLE
BREEZE FROM A GENTLE WIND THAT BLOWS, THAT'S ME I'LL BE
THERE PLANTING A KISS ON YOUR NOSE. WHEN YOU SEE A
CHILD PLAYING AND YOUR HEART FEELS A LITTLE TUG, THAT'S
ME I'LL BE THERE GIVING YOUR HEART A HUG. SO DADDY
PLEASE DON'T LOOK SO SAD, MAMA DON'T YOU CRY. I'M IN
ARMS OF JESUS AND HE SINGS ME LULLABIES

Please Don't Ever Tell Me

I'm going to tell you something
I hope you'll never have to know.
I'll tell you how a heart can break
And tears can constant flow.

I lost my baby girl you see,
An angel in my eyes
God chose to take her hand one day
And led her to the skies.

But please do not forget my child
She was a person too
And forever she will live
Inside of me and you.

So, please don't ever tell me
That time will heal my pain
Because not even time
Can bring her back again.

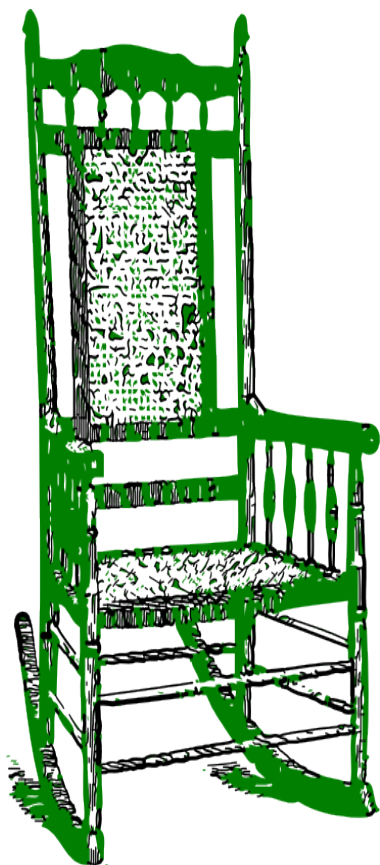
Just tell me she is happy
In that land way up above
She's snuggled in an angels wings
All wrapped in Mommy's love.

- Author Unknown

*Some
people only
dream of
Angels.
We held one
In our arms.*

Inspirational Messages

Heaven's Rocking Chair MOVE ON?



Are there rocking chairs in Heaven
where little babies go?
Do the angels hold you closely
and rock you to and fro?

Do they talk silly baby talk
to get a smile or two,
and sing the sleepy
lullabies
I used to sing to you?

My heart is aching for you,
my angel child so dear.
You brought such joy into my life,
the short time you were here.

I know you're in a happy place,
and in God's loving care.
I dream each night I'm rocking you
in Heaven's rocking chair.

by Ron Tranmer ©

to "move on"
is to put something
behind you
forget about it
... and never look back

to "go on"
is to forever
carry it forward with you
and never forget

a bereaved parent
will never move on
we simply go on...

Tammy Brown in loving
memory of Larry Brown
found on Grieving
Mothers Facebook page

My Butterfly

*I long to feel the soft weight of you to welcome you home,
with kisses on silky round cheeks.*

*Instead my arms ache with the weight of your absence,
the empty places that were meant for you to grow into.*

My love for you will last an eternity

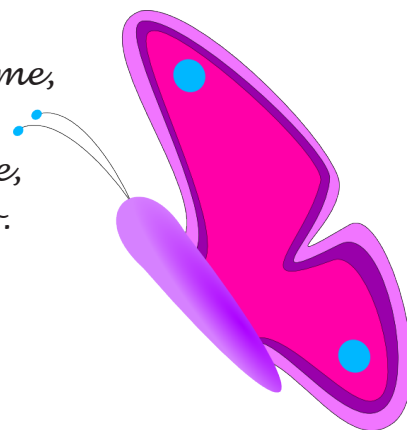
My hopes and dreams now carried

on the fragile wings of each butterfly passing

compelling me to pause, to savor each moment,

each flutter in my heart - your wings.

- Unknown



Utah Share Parent Sharing



Each month we ask parents who have lost a child a question through our Utah Share Facebook group that relates to their child and what it is like to be the parent to an angel. This month, we asked parents:



“Oftentimes, it is the people who surround us that make our life experiences more memorable, joyous, or even more difficult. After the death of your baby, was there a specific friend or family member who offered unwavering support? How did they help you at the time of your loss or beyond?

Did you have a friend who couldn’t understand your feelings?

What suggestions do you have for others, so that their friends can provide better support.”

Jackie R. ~ I have a good friend that really helped me after the loss of my son Trevor. I was pregnant with twins and while one was stillborn and the other survived, I was an emotional wreck and didn’t even have time to think about gathering memories of Trevor for his brothers. It happened to be coincidence, but the Share volunteer that came to the hospital was a friend I had worked with. She knew of my loss. She did everything she could to help my family and me. She got everything from pictures from NILMDTS to a memory box - even his blanket. She has always been there for me. She has helped me to see how loved and important my son’s memory is. I am so thankful for all she has done. Share is lucky to have her as a volunteer!

Shayla C. ~ My big sister and of course the Share ladies. Rach is the first person I talked to in Share. And my suggestions to friends and family are to use the baby’s name as much as possible and just always tell them they can talk to you without judgment or advice.

Jamie L. ~ My husband and my mother-in-law have been my greatest support. My mother-in-law had a loss almost 25 years ago so she understands that the pain really never fully goes away. My advice to friends and family would be to always be a “safe” person to talk to. And like Shayla said, mention the baby’s name as much as possible. I love it when someone besides me brings Easton up in a conversation.

Samantha S. ~ I could not do this without my Amazing husband Eli. He is my rock. My family members on the other hand are different they have never experienced a loss so they don’t even know what to say when we are around. So sadly, most the time, we sit there in awkward silence.

Jenn Z. ~ I had a neighbor who took the time to leave little notes of encouragement on my door from time to time. Coming home from work to an empty house with no baby, and finding her kind words at my door really lifted my spirits. It meant so much to know that someone cared and remembered after life had moved on for everyone else.

Amy M. ~ I had a lot of support. Some neighbors in particular who had walked in the shoes I was walking in so to speak and were really supportive and a shoulder to cry on. One special friend of mine who lives hours away sent me a memory necklace with my baby’s name on it. I was very touched she would do that for me.

Grateful for Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep

Caring and Helping Me Remember My Angel

By: Ashley Allred

After knowing my son, at 16 weeks gestation, would pass that weekend - I headed back to the online Share Utah forums. I was familiar with the forum due to a loss of a little boy at 14 weeks gestation I had just eight months prior. It had been too hard to really communicate on there before, but this time I really needed support. My tears were not enough for the healing and I wanted to reach out.

I posted about my situation, and I received many heart-warming condolences and offers of help. Many different women wanted to make sure I was set up with different donations to help me through this process, especially since my last loss I didn't get anything. Throughout my one-night stay in labor and delivery, I received sibling blankets for my three earthly children and a set of female and male memory boxes. The boxes were filled with goodies for me, as well as beautiful handmade clothing such as outfits, hats, booties, tiny blankets, etc. for the baby to wear.

I also got in touch with a photographer from Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep the night before my induction. I had never heard of this organization before. It's a group of women who photograph your baby at no cost so you have beautiful keepsake photos.

My photographer's name was Jennifer. We texted like crazy the night before - I was an emotional mess and she understood that. She told me not to worry, that she would make sure my little boy looked beautiful. When I read that text, I cried. It was such a beautiful thing to hear - that after all this nightmare, he would still look wonderful.

When I was in labor, I texted my photographer and kept her updated on the progress. She made it to the hospital right on time and photographed my husband and I with our little son just moments after his birth.

She knew exactly how to pose him, and she wasn't afraid of him. In fact, she actually complimented a few times on how perfect and really good looking he was!

It made me feel good to have this beautiful woman come into my room and not only take pictures for me, but to compliment me on my son. It made me feel good that I could tell she was enjoying what she did (although I'm sure it breaks her heart to do so).

I had a photographer that loved doing what she did because she knew those moments are just so precious - she wanted to make those little moments count and for us to have a good experience throughout all the heartache. She had known about my other loss, and took a picture of our son next to his brother's urn. It's a very precious photo.

In the future, I plan on supporting the Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep organization with baby clothing items and monetary donations as well. If you have had service from them, or just feel moved by this story I really recommend donating to this charity. I know there are so many different charities to donate money too, but this is one that really can make a horrible, heart-wrenching experience become somewhat emotionally manageable. 8



Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep Organization
Photo by Jennifer Hollingshead Holt of Utah

Support Group Meeting Schedule

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

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

• **January 3 •**
Davis Hospital
Dealing with a New Year

• **January 16 •**
McKay-Dee Hospital

• **February 7 •**
Davis Hospital

• **February 20 •**
McKay-Dee Hospital

• **March 7 •**
Davis Hospital

• **March 20 •**
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



We are so very blessed to announce the safe arrival
of our sweet rainbow
Kaveri Rayne Scott.

Born on November 14, 2012.
Watched over from heaven by
her big sister Jaela and big brother Devin.

Save The Date

Race For Grief 2013

West Bountiful Park
Saturday, June 29, 2013
at 7:30 a.m.

visit www.RaceForGrief.com
or www.BlondeRunner.com for
more information



Utah Share Newsletter

January/February 2013 Edition

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Our Mission

The mission of Share Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support, Inc. is to serve those whose lives are touched by the tragic death of a baby through pregnancy loss, stillbirth or in the first few months of life.

The primary purpose is to provide support toward positive resolution of grief experienced at the time of, or following the death of a baby. This support encompasses emotional, physical, spiritual, and social healing, as well as sustaining the family unit.

The secondary purpose of Share is to provide information, education, and resources on the needs and rights of bereaved parents and siblings. The objective is to aid those in the community, including family, friends, employers, members of the congregation, caregivers, and others in their supportive role.

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