

Mission Statement

Our Mission is to bring light in a time of sorrow. To provide a bear as a reminder of your little angel and that you are not alone, but accompanied by the thoughts and prayers of everyone who has shared in this emotion.

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To the Brianna Lee Foundation,

Please accept our sincere gratitude for the bear we received at Community Hospital, in Munster IN., following the delivery of our son Koen. What a beautiful way to minister to those who share in the painful loss of a stillborn. You certainly touched our family! Also – thank you for allowing us to get bears for our other five children. They are well- loved and well - traveled already! Our 8-year-old daughter and 10-year-old on held their bears throughout the memorial service for their brother. What a gift! Thank You! Sincerely The Regnerus

Brianna Lee Foundation,

My husband and I wanted to reach out and personally thank you for your wonderful foundation. I delivered our triplets, Ryan, Blayke, and Carson prematurely at 21 weeks 5 days on 12/30/17 at which time they passed away.

The hospital I delivered our beautiful babies at, Lehigh Valley Hospital, located in Allentown, PA provided us with two blue and one pink teddy bear from your foundation after delivery. We initially didn't know what to think of the teddy bears, however upon arriving home they have become the only shred of comfort we have found—having something to hold and cry with has proven to be more meaningful than we could have ever imagined, and we have the Brianna Lee Foundation to thank for that. As ironic as it sounds, our triplets were fraternal, and one of the first things I noticed about the bears we received was how each bear was slightly different, just like our babies—despite receiving two blue bears in honor of Ryan and Carson, the blue bears have different fabric on their ears making each one unique and allowing us to delineate which bear represents which of our boys. The pink bear undoubtedly represents our baby girl, Blayke.

Words cannot express how grateful we are for the Brianna Lee Foundation. We will continue to spread the word about your selfless mission. From the bottom of our hearts, we thank you.

With love and gratitude,

Maggie & Christopher Matczak

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In memory of Lydía Jessíe Williamson, daughter of Phyllis and Tim Wiiiamson from Theresa McKee-Hungate.

In memory of Lydia Jessie Williamson, on behalf of Tim and Phyllis Williamson from Virginia Sharp.

In Memory of Lydia Jessie Williamson from Elizabeth Ritchie and JoAnne Ritchie

In memory of Lydia Jessie Williamson from Philip Kreiner

In memory of Lydia Jessie Williamson from Denise Green, Estella Auchter, Dody Breen, Maria Bovcil, Jo Elliott and Theresa Heungate.



In memory of Ryan, Carson and Blayke Matczak from the Sunshine Committee Easter Seals of Southeastern Pennsylvania. Made by Mary Berlen.



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Beth & Hary Veldhouse

Merry Christmas Rowan Campbell.
From mom (Megan), dad (Gerrit) sis, and baby brother.



Eva JoAnn Hellwig 8/1929 – 12/25/2017 The Foundation received a donation in honor of Eva JoAnn Hellwig. Jo (as her friends referred to her) was 88 years old when she passed away. Jo had 11 pregnancies, with 6 of those pregnancies resulting in live births. Although the Brianna Lee Foundation wasn't around when Jo lost her 5 babies, she was a big supporter of this Foundation. What a great way to honor a woman with 6 children, 10 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Better yet, what an honor to the 5 babies she lost!

This donation in Jo's honor was made by Wayne and Linda Wagner. Thank you Wayne and Linda for honoring my mom in such a great way! Linda Miller

Our annual golf outing/silent auction is the Foundations largest fundraiser. Please save the date for this year's event, that will be held at The Meadows Golf Course on the Campus of Grand Valley University on June 2nd! Hope to see everyone there!

We also are taking donations for the Silent Auction. So let us know if you or your company have something to donate.

See inserts for more details

Every step together we honor, heal & hope.

A walk to Remember.
Edward-Elmhurst Health in
Naperville Illinois had a walk to
remember for families who are
touched by the loss of a child
through miscarriage, stillbirth and
infant death. We were blest to be
featured in their program. Thank
you, Sue Villa, and to the Share
Program at Edward-Elmhurst
Health!

Note from a hospital

I had a mother deliver her 3rd loss this evening. I was so thankful I had a bear to send her home with so that she had "something" to hold.

We are forever grateful to you for these bears, I have had so many women, even in the depth of their grief, thank us for allowing them to have something to hold onto. We had a hard couple of months between September and November this past year. We had 5 losses and all were boys. I see these poor moms grieving and just wish I could take their pain away. Thank God for compassionate people, such as yourself, who are so selfless and thoughtful and do for others just to make this terrible time in their lives a little more tolerable. We truly appreciate you!

LuLaRoe

A huge thank you to Alexandra Brownlee and Mandi Juarez!! Both of these great ladies are LuLaRoe Independent Fashion Retailers. Both of these ladies held a style show with the proceeds going to the Brianna Lee Foundation.

The exciting thing is that LuLaRoe matches what they raised as a way to also support nonprofits and charities. So not only did these ladies donate their profits, LuLaRoe matched them!

Thank you, Alexandra and Mandi!

If anyone is looking for a LuLaRoe consultant, please keep these ladies in mind!