



BASIS is
a ministry to
bereaved parents
and their families.

Renew

"...those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength." Isaiah 40:31

From the Director....

Don Allison, Director of BASIS



Coming up with something to write in this space can be a challenge. After a great deal of thought and coming up empty I decided to look through some of the archives here at BASIS. After looking through a list of items, one title especially caught my attention. Not only was the title intriguing, but the article written by a bereaved parent was very encouraging.

My Son's "Glory Day"

Written by Marilyn Barto on 6/9/2009

I've been referring to my son's day of death as his "death day" for 12 years. On some level, that bothers me. It implies a negative event took place. It was not a fun day for sure, but a very difficult day from a parent's perspective. But just yesterday, the 12th anniversary of our son's death, I was thinking how for him it was a day full of glory. The words to a hymn came to mind:

1. When all my labors and trials are o'er,
And I am safe on that beautiful shore,
Just to be near the dear Lord I adore,
Will through the ages be glory for me.

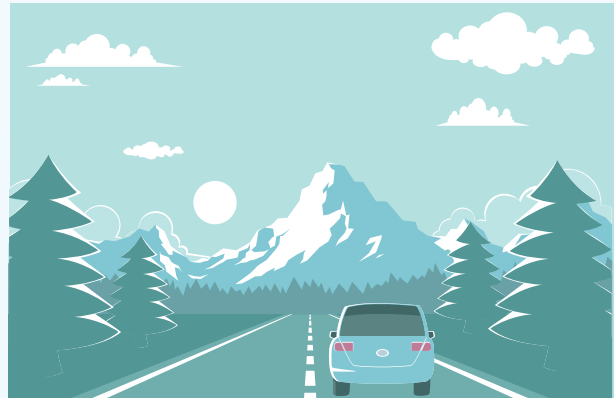
Chorus:

O that will be, glory for me,
Glory for me, glory for me;
When by his grace I shall look on His face,
That will be glory, be glory for me.

2. When by the gift of his infinite grace,
I am accorded in heaven a place,
Just to be there and to look on His face
Will through the ages be glory for me.
3. Friends will be there I have loved long ago;
Joy like a river around me will flow;
Yet, just a smile from my Saviour, I know,
Will through the ages be glory for me.

"O That Will be Glory"

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From now on, I'm going to call June 8th "my son's Glory Day." That's a far better description of the day we celebrate in memory of our son. We take the day off of work and make a plan to go somewhere we both enjoy, or pick a new place to explore. Our son enjoyed trips and meeting new people. He could start a conversation with anyone and find out all about them in about 10 minutes. I can't do that even now. I'm laid back and shy around new people. But I do like to explore new places of interest. This plan has helped us to look fondly forward to this day, instead of dreading it. Sure, we still feel that seed of sadness inside us... but the day is not so hard to endure now.

Join us as H*VMI celebrates 45 years and
welcomes the new Executive Director!



H*VMI's PA Banquet and Fundraising Event

Saturday, October 13, 2018

11:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M.

Doors open at 10:45 A.M.

*Enjoy a Delicious Family Style Dinner
at Yoder's Restaurant*

14 South Tower Road, New Holland PA 17557

Please Register

by October 6, 2018, in one of these ways:

Online at hvmi.org • Call 717.859.4777

There is no cost to attend. An offering will be received for H*VMI's General Fund to keep all ministry departments operating and growing.

H*VMI Events 2018

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| August 25 | Disability Ministries All Family Picnic
Akron PA |
| September 8 | BASIS Support Group Facilitators' Training
H*VMI Office, Akron PA |
| September 25 | Annual Golf Outing
2:00 PM, Tanglewood Manor, Quarryville PA |
| October 13 | PA Fundraising Banquet
<i>H*VMI's 45th Anniversary Celebration!</i>
11:30 AM–2:30 PM
Yoder's, New Holland PA |
| November 16 | ExtraOrdinary Give Fundraiser
Details to follow in the next <i>Renew</i> . |

Please visit hvmi.org or call 717.859.4777 for details



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United Way Campaign

If you would like to designate all or part of your United Way donation this fall, simply list BASIS (Handi*Vangelism) as the Donor Option agency on your designation form. The code number for BASIS is 7659.

Be sure to include our office address, PO Box 122, Akron, PA, 17501, so your United Way office can contact us.

Thank you for considering UNITED WAY as one means of helping BASIS help other bereaved parents.

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April–June 2018

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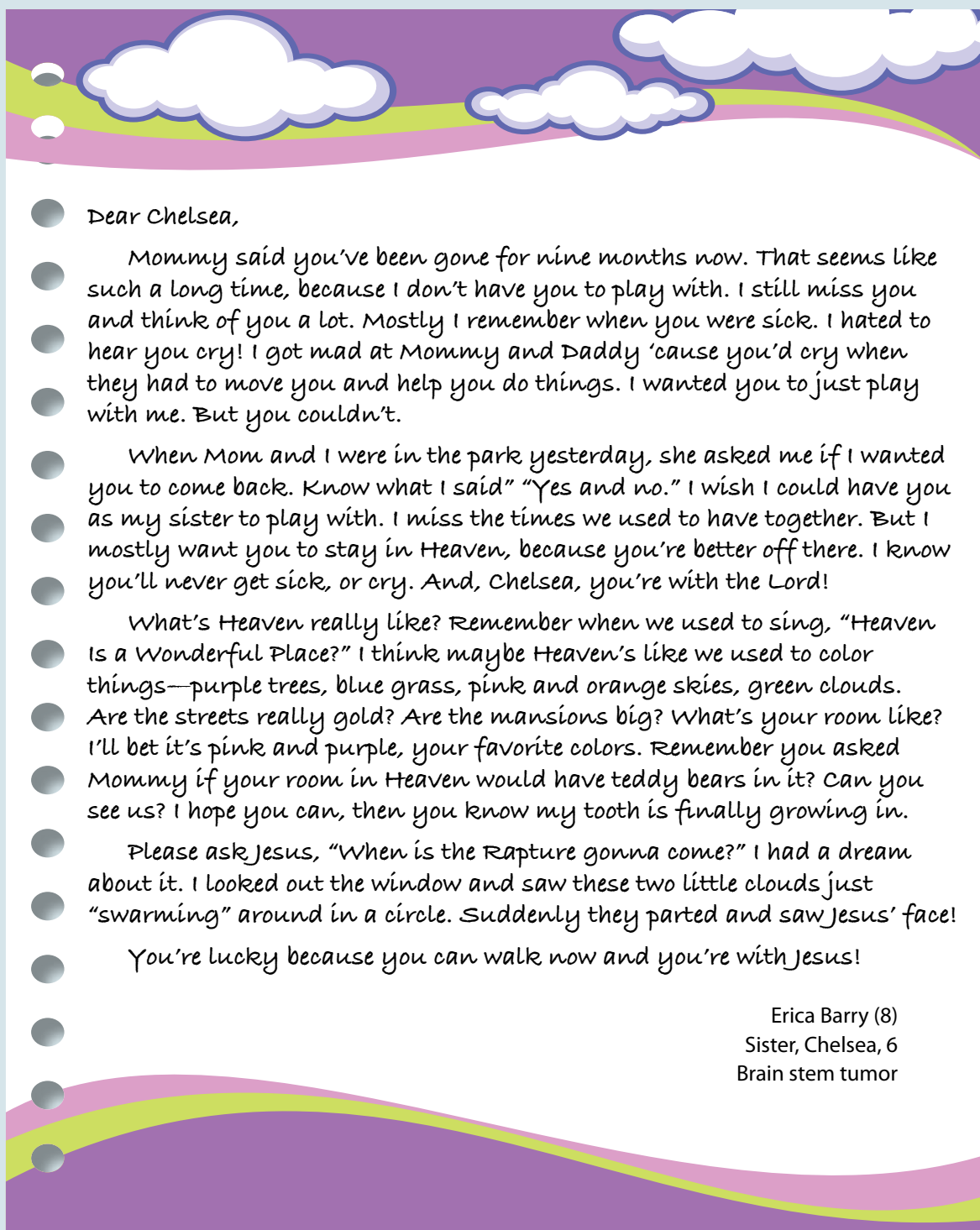
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Parents Share

Jesus said, ***“Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.”*** **Matthew 19:14**

Normally this space is for parents to share, but I came across this remarkable letter written by eight year old Erica written to her sister, Chelsea, in heaven and felt I should share it with you.



By supporting BASIS you will help others.

By your prayers • By referring other bereaved parents to our ministry • By participating in BASIS-sponsored events as you are able
By placing your child on the "Wall of Remembrance" • By using resources provided by BASIS • By your financial donations



Dates to Remember



A Prayer Plan

The plan is very simple. Use the dates below as your guide. Keep Renew in a handy place and pray for the parents of the children remembered on each day. You will be blessed and so will the ones for whom you pray.

SEPTEMBER

- 1: Cory Golis-birthday
- 1: Kent Erickson, Paul Maurer-died
- 2: Jessica Owens-date of birth & death
- 2: Jeff Hipple-birthday
- 3: Jacob Simpson-birthday
- 3: Jay Hamby-died
- 5: Joshua White-died
- 5: Talia Emslie-birthday
- 7: Adam Kauffman-date of birth & death
- 7: Seven Lobis, Art Regal-birthday
- 8: Walter Schauer III-birthday
- 8: Jimmie Williams-died
- 10: Ryan Denlinger-birthday
- 11: Paul Stranix-birthday
- 11: Randy VanRyn-died
- 12: Peter Gray-birthday
- 12: Jeff Christensen, Joshua Ollar, Stephen Stranix-died
- 15: Stephen Stranix-birthday
- 15: Seven Lobis-died
- 17: Destiny Berg, Chizo Duruji-birthday
- 17: Sarah Yellets-died
- 20: Jay Hamby-birthday
- 20: Chizo Duruji-died
- 21: Tyler Klingseiser-birthday
- 22: Jonathan Cameron, Faith Shepler-birthday
- 23: Jimmie Williams-birthday
- 23: Dagan Bailey-died
- 24: Logan McKinney-birthday
- 24: Patty Bennett-died
- 25: Jimmy Rubincan-birthday
- 25: Matthew Hines-died
- 26: Michael Coldiron-birthday
- 27: Matthew Gingrich, Christopher Gingrich-date of birth & death
- 29: Aliya Mentzer-date of birth & death
- 29: Ryan Nolen-birthday
- 29: James O'Brien-died
- 30: Kurt Axe, Shawn Donley, Timothy Flocco, Michael Skowronek-birthday
- 30: Shane Kurtz-died

OCTOBER

- 2: Kimberly Falls-birthday
- 2: Scott Fischer-died
- 3: Ricky Radcliffe, George Radcliffe-birthday
- 3: Janice Arrell-died
- 5: Jeff Christensen-birthday
- 5: Andrew Steinman-died
- 7: William Hoesch, Ryan Schuster-died
- 8: Faye Giancesin-birthday
- 9: Brent Bissinger-birthday
- 9: Emilee Davis-died
- 10: DeVaughn Terenchin, Abie Schneck-birthday
- 11: Ashley Romer-died
- 13: Philip Wilkins-birthday
- 13: Faith Shepler-died
- 14: Brian Raske-birthday
- 14: Alanna O'Brien-died
- 15: Charles Weir-died
- 16: Elliana Ruth-died
- 17: Fred Muller Jr., Jonathan Rasnake-birthday
- 18: Ryleigh Canham, James O'Brien-birthday
- 18: Brianne Carter-died
- 20: Kurt Whitaker-birthday
- 21: Jeremy Lavoie, Tim Wolfe-birthday
- 22: Anneka Vels, Natalie Wilbur-birthday
- 23: Dagan Bailey, Seth Linsinbigler, Joshua Ollar-birthday
- 23: David Stephens-date of birth & death
- 24: Jay Delp, Jedd Cochrane-birthday
- 24: Andrew Stoltzfus-date of birth & death
- 26: Chelsea Barry, Sam Cook-birthday
- 26: Chelsea Barry-died
- 26: Matthew Barto, Michael Barto, Nathan Kerr-date of birth & death
- 27: Steven Goodyear, Jacob Sweigart-birthday
- 29: Marlin Carl-birthday
- 31: Eric Snyder, William Snyder-date of birth & death
- 31: Richard Hollingsworth-died

NOVEMBER

- 1: Deanna Bartron-died
- 2: Jason Dempsey, Jason Herr-birthday
- 2: Laurette Good-date of birth & death
- 3: Lauren Antonelli-birthday
- 3: Stephen Wildasin-died
- 5: Amanda Lyn Vonderhorst-died
- 6: Jerry Legg-birthday
- 6: Scott McTyier-died
- 7: Collin Peters-died
- 8: Rob Lukens, Jeffrey Short-birthday
- 8: Darin Findley, Corinne Harris-died
- 8: Susanna Cameron-date of birth & death
- 9: Kathleen Fullam-birthday
- 12: Katie Nealy, Michael Skowronek-died
- 13: Benjamin Cameron-date of birth & death
- 14: Justin Novak-birthday
- 14: Donna Mackin-died
- 17: Craig Austin, Brandon Heck-died
- 19: Ian Smith-died
- 20: Eric High-died
- 20: Olivia Lloyd-date of birth & death
- 21: Billy Bauernschmidt-died
- 23: Jonathan Cameron, Nichole Holt-died
- 24: Zachary Meck-birthday
- 25: Sara Yorty-birthday
- 25: Daniel Legg, Adrienne Squier-died
- 26: Nikki Pasker-died
- 27: Annie Craven, Jedd Cochrane, Ronald Emsoff, Steven Goodyear, Katie Russell-died
- 28: Randy VanRyn-birthday
- 29: Robin Hull-died



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H*VMI website. Go to:
hvmi.org > blogs > grief**

NOTE: If you received *Renew* and your child's name is not shown in their birth and death month, please notify us immediately so we can make those corrections. Thank you for your understanding.

BASIS Support Groups

*for Bereaved parents and their families —
Join us at one of these locations.*

Akron, PA 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 PM (Sept-May)

Aldan, PA 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 PM

Lavelle, PA 3rd Sunday, 1:00 PM (Sept-May)

Lebanon, PA 1st Tuesday, 7:00 PM (Sept-May)

Harrington, DE 1st Thursday, 7:30 PM

Lakeland, FL TBD

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