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# SAVE THE DATE!! ANNUAL BUTTERFLY RELEASE

Sunday, April 27, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

#### **A COMPLICATED JOURNEY**

It is generally acknowledged that the loss of a child is one of the most, if not one of the most difficult and devastating losses that one can experience. The loss of a child defies the laws of nature. Despite the child's age, this loss can leave an indelible mark on the hearts and souls of the parents and family members, create great emotional and physical distress, and even fracture relationships within the family structure. Some may question why this loss is given this distinction among the hierarchy of losses, as each individual senses that their loss is equally important and as devastating, however, there are several elements unique to the loss of a child that contribute to making this loss difficult to grieve, creating a complicated journey to healing.

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### **A Special Valentine**

A touch of your hand, a smile on your face, another time, another place.
You were my girl, I was your Mom, together we met the world head on.
Death cannot dim the memories so fine.
Your place is there, this world is mine.
But you will always be my SPECIAL VALENTINE!!



Remembered" page. We do encourage both you and your family to come when it is your child's birthday month, to share your child with all of us

with photos and memories. You will receive a special birthday gift in memory of your child. Bring that treasured picture of your child that always makes you smile so we may smile with you. The January Birthday Cake was sponsored by Deborah Reeder in memory of her son Chester "Tootie" Reeder. The February Birthday Cake will be sponsored by Maria Nicholson in memory of her son Dominic Avella.

The mission of The Compassionate Friends is to assist families toward the positive resolution of grief following the death of a child of any age and to provide information to help others be supportive.

#### **NEXT MONTHLY MEETING:**

#### **February 10, 2025**

<u>Lafreniere Park Foundation</u> Center Conference Room

7:00 - 9:00 pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

13 Jan 25	10 Feb 25	10 Mar 25
14 Apr 25	12 May 25	9 Jun25
14 Jul 25	11 Aug 25	8 Sep 25
13 Oct 25	10 Nov 25	8 Dec 25

#### **REGIONAL COORDINATOR**

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

#### **Butterfly Release**

April 27, 2025 – held in the Children's Memorial Garden in Lafreniere Park Memorial Walk and Auction September 13, 2025 – held in the Children's Memorial Garden in Lafreniere Park WorldWide Candle Lighting December 14, 2025 – Held in the

Foundation Center in Lafreniere Park

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#### **Our Monthly Meetings**

To all those newly bereaved, who are receiving this newsletter for the first time and to all our Compassionate Friends, we wish you were not eligible to belong to this group, but we want you to know that you and your family have many friends. We, who received love and compassion from others in our time of deep sorrow, now wish to offer the same support and understanding to you. Please know we understand, we care, and we want to help. **You are not alone in your grief.** 

Meetings are held the 2nd Monday of each month at the Foundation Center Conference Room in Lafreniere Park at 7:00 P.M. We are a self-sustaining organization with no funds except what we receive through donations from members and newsletter recipients. Please join with us at a meeting.

#### Grief support after the death of a child

The Compassionate Friends is a national non-profit, self-help support organization that offers friendship, understanding, and hope to be eaved parents, grandparents and siblings. There is no religious affiliation and there are no membership dues or fees.

The secret of TCF's success is simple: As seasoned grievers reach out to the newly bereaved, energy that has been directed inward begins to flow outward and both are helped to heal.

The vision of The Compassionate Friends is that everyone who needs us will find us and everyone who finds us will be helped.

#### Big Thanks to Our Steering Committee





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#### The Meeting Agenda

<u>7:00 p.m.</u> - The meeting will begin with a short introduction followed by lighting of candle and then reading of the Credo. Remembering our children's birthdays of the month. Then followed by smaller groups of sharing.

<u>8:45 p.m.</u> - Meeting will close by recognizing our children's names. Feel free to visit with each other and check out a book from our library.

Newsletter Submissions: TCF Greater New Orleans welcomes all submissions to our newsletter. Send articles, poetry, love messages and scanned photos to: TCF GNO, 1104 Colony Rd., Metairie, LA 70003. You may also text photos and messages to 504-251-1938. As our chapter is only funded by your donations, we ask for a donation of \$15 or more for a dedication for our newsletter. This is tax-deductible. We reserve the right to edit for space and/or content. Deadline for submissions is listed below. TCF Chapters may copy articles from this publication provided credit is given to the author and the original source. Errors and Omissions: Please notify me if any of your information is incorrect. Thank you!

### Newsletter Dedications to be put in our newsletter are due the 20th of each month.

**A Newsletter Dedication:** is a special page dedicated in memory of your child with a poem or writing that you submit. **A Love Gift:** is a short one or two sentence message in your child's memory.



**BIRTHDAY CAKE:** Our child's birthday is still such an important day to us bereaved parents. In TCF this is where we can celebrate our child's birthday and remember the love we still have for them no matter how long it has been since they died. Our members are welcomed to sponsor our cake to recognize their child's birthday. Please notify me if you wish to sponsor our Birthday Cake, **William Hunton (504) 265-0581**.

#### TCF Greater New Orleans Memorial Candles and 3" Photo Buttons

We are asking for donations of \$20 per candle. Candles will have 3 photos, name, dates, and an LED insert. We are asking for donations of \$5 for each button or \$12 for three buttons.

Email Your Child's Photo to tcfnola@gmail.com or call William Hunton (504) 265-0581 for info. Candles and/or photo buttons will be delivered to the next meeting if info is received 72 hours before meeting. Please make checks payable to: TCF – GNO, 1104 Colony Road, Metairie, LA 70003

#### **JOURNEY - CONT FROM PAGE 1**

At one end of the spectrum, a pregnancy that ends with a stillborn infant or by miscarriage is a major loss for parents who had hopes, dreams, and an entire future planned for this new addition to their family. Unfortunately, our society has unspoken rules as to what losses are to be grieved and frequently, these losses are not recognized, leaving parents to grieve their loss alone with no support. Disenfranchised grief results as their loss is neither recognized nor seen as valued by society. As the loss is not recognized, expressing grief becomes difficult, causing additional emotional distress and inability to process the loss.

For those parents who experience the loss of young children and teens, most of these losses have been found to result in loss by accidents. The suddenness of the loss is very traumatic, reducing one's ability to cope with the loss and may produce post-traumatic stress response. Not only will there be shock, denial, and sadness over the loss of their child, but anger towards those who were responsible for the accident. Accidental deaths deny the family an opportunity to prepare for the loss, say their goodbyes, making these losses difficult to comprehend and grieve.

The loss of young adults may include those who have died tragically of drug overdoses or suicide. Families suffering such losses often encounter stigmatization and once again experience disenfranchised grief leaving them alone to suffer a horrible loss. In addition, these losses can also cause feelings of guilt, blame, and unanswered questions that complicate the grieving process.

On the other end of the spectrum is the loss of the adult child. When an adult man or woman dies, the attention and compassion is directed to the spouse and surviving children. Frequently, the surviving parents are neglected, never being acknowledged that they have now lost a cherished son or daughter. They have not only lost a child, but someone they thought was going to care for them in their later years. In some cases, these grandparents are now thrust into assuming the roles and responsibilities of the father or mother now that their child is no longer there to raise their grandchildren. This can have a drastic effect on their lifestyle. Yet for others, concerns for what will happen if the remaining spouse will re-marry in the future, and they will lose access to their grandchildren. Creating major shifts in one's roles and responsibilities in life and adding uncertainty in later life after having set life's goals, can result in anxiety and distress in addition to the loss of a dear child.

As a bereavement counselor, I frequently hear the expression from bereaved loved ones': "I feel as though I have lost a part of myself." It is the loss of a child that this comment truly is fitting as a child is an extension of oneself. This loss's devastating nature highlights the importance of support for the surviving loved ones: family, friends, grief support groups, and organizations willing to witness the depth and immensity of the loss. It is particularly important to partner with those who have suffered a similar loss for it is those who understand not only what it feels to experience such a loss but can help navigate the rocky pathway towards healing.

#### Marlene Enderlein

Marlene's career was in cardiology, working with pediatric cardiologists and adult congenital heart specialists, caring for children born with heart defects. She witnessed how receiving a diagnosis of a fatal or significant heart defect in utero or in a newborn infant had a lifetime effect on the parents and family structure. She retired after 33 years and pursued her Master's degree in Mental Health and Wellness with a specialty in grief and bereavement and is currently a bereavement counselor with hospice. She recently published her book: "Looking Into the Eye of Grief: An Illustrative View of the Essence of Grief."

GARDEN BRICKS: The chapter takes orders for engraved brick twice a year, for the Butterfly Release in April and then again for the Worldwide Candle Lighting Ceremony in December. The next deadline to order bricks will be on March 1, 2025 for the Butterfly Release to be held on April 27, 2025. Brick Forms can be found on our Website <a href="www.tcfneworleans.com">www.tcfneworleans.com</a> or request one via email at <a href="mailto:tcfnola@gmail.com">tcfnola@gmail.com</a>.

#### THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS CREDO

WE NEED NOT WALK ALONE. WE ARE THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS. WE REACH OUT TO EACH OTHER WITH LOVE, WITH UNDERSTANDING, AND WITH HOPE. THE CHILDREN WE MOURN HAVE DIED AT ALL AGES AND FROM MANY DIFFERENT CAUSES, BUT OUR LOVE FOR THEM UNITES US. YOUR PAIN BECOMES MY PAIN, JUST AS YOUR HOPE BECOMES MY HOPE. WE COME TOGETHER FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE, FROM MANY DIFFERENT CIRCUMSTANCES. WE ARE A UNIQUE FAMILY BECAUSE WE REPRESENT MANY RACES, CREEDS, AND RELATIONSHIPS. WE ARE YOUNG, AND WE ARE OLD. SOME OF US ARE FAR ALONG IN OUR GRIEF, BUT OTHERS STILL FEEL A GRIEF SO FRESH AND SO INTENSELY PAINFUL THAT THEY FEEL HELPLESS AND SEE NO HOPE. SOME OF US HAVE FOUND OUR FAITH TO BE A SOURCE OF STRENGTH, WHILE SOME OF US ARE STRUGGLING TO FIND ANSWERS. SOME OF US ARE ANGRY, FILLED WITH GUILT OR IN DEEP DEPRESSION, WHILE OTHERS RADIATE AN INNER PEACE. BUT WHATEVER PAIN WE BRING TO THIS GATHERING OF THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS, IT IS PAIN WE WILL SHARE, JUST AS WE SHARE WITH EACH OTHER OUR LOVE FOR THE CHILDREN WHO HAVE DIED. WE ARE ALL SEEKING AND STRUGGLING TO BUILD A FUTURE FOR OURSELVES, BUT WE ARE COMMITTED TO BUILDING A FUTURE TOGETHER. WE REACH OUT TO EACH OTHER IN LOVE TO SHARE THE PAIN AS WELL AS THE JOY, SHARE THE ANGER AS WELL AS THE PEACE, SHARE THE FAITH AS WELL AS THE DOUBTS, AND HELP EACH OTHER TO GRIEVE AS WELL AS TO GROW. WE NEED NOT WALK ALONE. WE ARE THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS.

#### **LOVE AND HOPE**

On a cold winter day, the sun went out, Grief walked in to stay.
I turned away from the unwanted guest And bid him be on his way.
Grief was merciless, he brought his friends, Loneliness, Fear and Despair.
They walk these rooms, unceasingly, In the somber cloaks they wear.
Every so often now, Love pays a call She always has Hope by her side.

I welcome Love as well as Hope,
For I thought surely they had died.
Love counsels Grief in a most gentle way,
Bids him be still for awhile.
Then Love walks with me through memory's hall,
And for a time I can smile.

In loving memory of her son Michael Kerry Marston

#### A DOZEN ROSES

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If I had a dozen roses, I know just what I'd do. I'd give each one a name that reminded me of you.

The first rose I'd name "sunshine" cause you brighten every day.

The second would be "beauty", the kind that never goes away.

The third rose would be priceless, like those hugs you gave to me

I'd name the fourth one "silly", oh how funny you could be.

Rose five, of course, is "patience", something you have helped me find.

The sixth rose I'd call "memories", the precious gift you left behind.

The seventh and the eight rose would for sure be "faith" and "grace".

Nine would be "unique" because no one can take your place.

The tenth rose, well, that's easy; I'd simply name it "love".

Eleven, I'd call "angel"; I know you're watching from above.

I'd think about that twelfth rose, and I'd really take my time.

After all these roses are for you, my Valentine. I'm sending them to heaven in every color that I know.

So number twelve I'll name "forever", that's how long I will love you so.

#### Alan Pederson

Alan Pedersen is an award-winning speaker, songwriter and recording artist. His inspirational message of hope and his music have resonated deeply with those facing a loss or adversity in their lives and have made him one of the most popular and indemand presenters in the world on finding hope after loss.

Dominic Joseph Avella

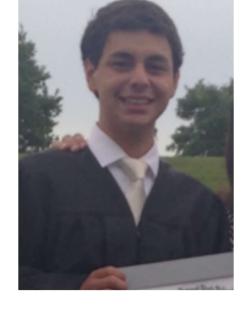
February 4, 1997 ~ September 24, 2018

## Valentines in Heaven

Are there Valentines in Heaven?
Are there Red Hearts everywhere?
Do they line the golden streets,
Or is that very rare?
I wish that I could send you one,
Right through Heaven's Gate,
To say how much we miss you,
On this special date.
I'd like to send a Candy Heart,
That is printed, "I Luv U,"
And maybe you would whisper back,
"I know, I Luv U too."



Marilyn Rollins TCF Lake-Porter, IN For All Our Children









Our Dearest Dominic We all miss you so much.

With love always, Mom and Dad

Dedication sent in by Maria Nicholson

#### **New SIBLING ZOOM Meeting**

Our next GNO Siblings Zoom Meeting will be held **2/19/2025**, **7:00pm - 8:30** Click on the following link: <a href="https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4763266796?pwd=2DLsESGSudSNzyGK18zITDRFwnkVE7.1&omn=79175929177">https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4763266796?pwd=2DLsESGSudSNzyGK18zITDRFwnkVE7.1&omn=79175929177</a> to start or join a scheduled Zoom meeting. Meeting ID # 4763266796; Passcode: K2EntH. For more information please contact Jaimie Kimball at <a href="https://ikimball88@hotmail.com">jkimball88@hotmail.com</a> or call (504) 559-2438.

### Aliesha Narain

February 6, 1977 - November 4, 2010

Happy Birthday to our Precious Star in Heaven.

We're sending a Dove to Heaven With a special package on its wings.

Be careful when you open it, Inside is filled with beautiful things.

It is wrapped up in a million hugs and kisses To say how much we miss you.

Have a Happy Heavenly Birthday our Love Angel!

We Love you Forever!

Mom, Dad, Sister, Nephews, Family and Friends.





Dedication sent in by Farida Narain

#### NEWSLETTER DEDICATION IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Alina Ezzo

February 7, 2010 – September 24, 2017

#### **Memories**

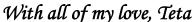
The certain special memories That follow me each day, Cast your shadow in my life In a certain way.

Sometimes the blowing wind Or the lyrics of a song Make me stop and think of you Sometimes all day long

Memories are good to have To share and keep in my heart, Just knowing that you're still inside Makes sure we'll never part.

> By Collette Covington TCF Lake Charles, LA







Dedication sent in by Sahar Chifici

Cody Martin

February 27, 1989 ~ September 22, 2006

I try to hide my tears
when I say your name,
But the pain in my heart
is still the same,
Although I smile and seem carefree,
There are so many that miss you...
Just like me.



Always missing you, Mom, Dad, Kate, and Meaux

Dedication sent in by Betty and Charles Boudreaux

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## NEWSLETTER DEDICATION IN LOVING MEMORY OF Dennis Duhon

February 24, 1961 ~ January 1, 2003



**30**TH BIRTHDAY WITH SUZETTE AND MORGAN

I thought of you with Love today
But that is nothing new
I thought about you yesterday
And days before that too
I think of you in silence
I often speak your name
All I have are memories and
Your picture in a frame
Your memory is my keepsake
With which I'll never part
God has you in His keeping
I have you in my heart.



One Day Closer!

#### Dear Dennis,

You are in my thoughts every day, but on your birthday Feb. 24, I remember all the birthdays when you were here, and we celebrated. I only wish we could have those times again. We all miss you so much.

With love always, Mom, Dad, Bruce and David

Dedication sent in by Melva and L.J. Duhon

The loss of your precious child is a loss felt by many. May the love and memories you shared bring you some measure of comfort during this difficult time.

- Author Unknown

### Hassaan Riles

February 19, 1998 - March 13, 2020

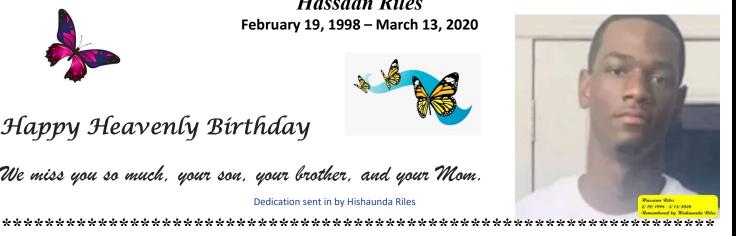




## Happy Heavenly Birthday

We miss you so much, your son, your brother, and your Mom.

Dedication sent in by Hishaunda Riles



#### NEWSLETTER DEDICATION IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Jenny Ann Kimball June 13, 1988 – February 23, 2001







Dear Jenny,

I can't believe it's been 24 years now. A lot of stuff has happened since you have been gone. You will always be in my heart. I loved being your sister. And thank you for the signs I get from you and mom letting me know that ya'll are watching over me.

## Love always, Jaimie

Dedication sent in by Jaimie Kimball



Until we meet Again

A light from my life has gone A voice I loved is still A place is vacant within my heart Which never can be filled

A bouquet of beautiful memories Sprayed with a million tears I wish that God could have spared you If fust for a few more years.

I hold you close within my heart, And there you will remain To walk with me throughout my life Until we meet again.

So rest in peace dear loved one And thanks for all you have done I pray that God has given you The crown you be truly won.



Your vacant place no one can fill I miss you now and always will.

**Author Unknown** 

## Nicholas Joseph Pezant

November 8, 1984 ~ February 5, 2005



What do we do when we love someone But they have gone away When all our days of bright sunlight Have turned to shades of gray? What do we say when no comfort comes From words of love and hope When efforts made seem pointless As we fight each day to cope? How do we act when we hear their name And we cannot help but cry This isn't fair, they were barely here It's not time to say goodbye! We promise them that they have made A place within our hearts Where they will live forever Though we are far apart We call upon the memories As time allowed and then Tuck them safely in our minds To visit now and again We cherish them as best we can Each smile, each word, each look We write the story they want told On the pages of life's book For most important is the vow We honor when they're gone Of sharing all they've given us







Dear Nicholas,

This February 5, 2025 will be 20 years since you left us. I really do not know how I survived this long without seeing you. When you first left I couldn't imagine going a few months without seeing you and now....it's 20 years!!

I used to worry that I would forget things about you...your laugh and your voice mostly. But, I can still recall both, thank goodness.

Life is not the same without you here. There is a lonesome feeling too hard to explain. Many of your friends still talk about you, how funny you were. You brought a lot of laughter and good memories to many friends and family. Your cousins Jennifer, Jason and Cameron miss you tremendously. And of course, your sister Emily misses you. I have the belief that I will see you again and look forward to the day we will be united once again. Until then I will continue to love you and miss you.

All my love, to my son, Nicholas!! Wom

Dedication sent in by Denise St. Pierre

### NEWSLETTER DEDICATION IN LOVING MEMORY OF

## Aubrey Pitre

June 16, 1987 - February 19, 2018



From that moment on







I love and miss you so much Aubrey, my angel,

Love you Forever!



Dedication sent in by Kathy Perkins

## NEWSLETTER DEDICATION IN LOVING MEMORY OF Lauren Ann Brocato

May 30, 1985 - February 27, 2016

It has been nine years missing my beautiful Lauren

If Roses Grow in Heaven



If roses grow in Heaven Lord
Please pick a bunch for me.
Place them in my daughter's arms
and tell her they are from me.
Tell her I love her and miss her,
and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek,
and hold her for a while.
Because remembering her is easy,
I do it every day,
But there is an ache within my heart
That will never go away.



Dedication sent in by Eileen Brocato





Love Mom



## TCF MEMORIAL GARDEN BRICKS <u>To Honor Our Children</u>



The Compassionate Friends is a non-profit organization for families who had a child, grandchild, or sibling die. The Greater New Orleans Chapter has constructed a "Memorial Garden" in Lafreniere Park at 3000 Downs Blvd., Metairie, LA to honor the memory of all children who have died.



Please complete the form below if you would like an engraved memorial brick(s) in the Garden in memory of a child.

The donation for each brick is \$75.00 for members or \$100 for non-members.

#### Additional donations toward Greater New Orleans Chapter expenses are welcome.

<u>Personal duplicate bricks:</u> If you order a Memorial Garden brick for \$75.00 for members or \$100 for non-members, you may also get an additional brick for \$50.00 for your PERSONAL use.

Each brick (4"x 8") may be engraved with up to 21 characters (including SPACES-no graphics) per line (3 lines max)

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## Our Children Remembered



#### **Angel Birthdays**

Dominic Avella	Feb 4	Son of Maria Nicholson and Francisco Avella
Aliesha Narain	Feb 6	Daughter of Farida Narain
Alina Ezzo	Feb 7	Granddaughter of Sahar Chifici
Kristen Lee Nye	Feb 9	Daughter of Barbara Nye
<b>Charlette Marie Simmons</b>	Feb 10	Daughter of Betty LeBlanc
Treadwell Pierce	Feb 10	Brother of Prashanti van Calsem
Dean Thomas Laurent	Feb 10	Son of Victoria and Terry Laurent; Brother of Natasha, Troy and Josh
Ann Margaret Eaker	Feb 12	Daughter of Helene Toney
David Paul Castaneda	Feb 16	Son of Patricia Castaneda
Taylor Friloux	Feb 16	Daughter of Jamie Reaves and Suzi Guerin
Akeem Davis Jr	Feb 17	Son of Myya Brown and Akeem Davis
Erskine Rockie Webster	Feb 17	Son of Charisma Bennett; Grandson of Sandra Webster
Sheri Bundy	Feb 18	Daughter of Carita and Buddy Arnold
Hassaan Riles	Feb 18	Son of Hishaunda Riles
Julie Ann Marino	Feb 21	Daughter of Sherry Marino; Sister of Sharon Nami
Adrien Aucoin	Feb 23	Son of Alix and Zach Aucoin
Hiram John Joseph Greer	Feb 24	Son of Alice and Hiram Greer
Dennis Duhon	Feb 24	Son of Melva and L.J. Duhon; Brother of Bruce and David
Nicole "Niki" Gustin	Feb 25	Daughter of Annette Gustin; Niece of Ann and Richard Folk
Harper Amiri Theard	Feb 25	Daughter of Katlyn Dawson
Eric Hansen	Feb 26	Son of Marilyn Hansen; Brother of Karen Hansen
Cody Patrick Martin	Feb 27	Son of Jill & Rob; Brother of Kaitlyn, Grandson of Betty & Charles

**Angel Anniversaries** 

Clint Butler	Feb 4	Son of Marilyn Strecker
Nicholas Joseph Pezant	Feb 5	Son of Denise St. Pierre; Brother of Emily
Treadwell Pierce	Feb 10	Brother of Prashanti van Calsem
Eric Lanus	Feb 8	Son of Linda Lanus
Priscilla Giraud	Feb 8	Daughter of Paige Leysath
Marc Lundberg	Feb 10	Son of Olie and Anna Lundberg
Zachary Clay	Feb 10	Son of Sacha and Roy Clay; Brother of Alexander
Selena Smith	Feb 11	Sister of Dena Peters
Julie Elizabeth Durr	Feb 13	Daughter of Ginny & Hank Durr
Jayla Rae Cook	Feb 14	Daughter of Bobbie Mason; Sister of Jessica
Lisa Ann Eschmann	Feb 15	Daughter of Nancy and Dennis Eschmann
Dylan Conor Burns	Feb 16	Son of Michele Burns
Michelle "Shelly" Haensel	Feb 17	Daughter of Cookie and Bill Haensel; Sister of Nicole and Natalie
Mason McStay	Feb 18	Son of Donna and Ross McStay
Stephan Osbourn	Feb 19	Son of Jessica Lauer
Aubrey Pitre	Feb 19	Daughter of Kathy Perkins
Jarrett David Maldonado	Feb 21	Son of Lydia and Edward Hill
Baby Aucoin	Feb 23	Baby Child of Alix and Zach Aucoin
Jenny Ann Kimball	Feb 23	Daughter of the late Claudia Kimball; Sister of Jaimie
Lee Russell Centanni, Jr.	Feb 23	Brother of Judy Bonura
Khalil Harvey	Feb 24	Daughter of Garrinell Southall
Harper Amiri Theard	Feb 25	Daughter of Katlyn Dawson
D. Conrad Dyer	Feb 25	Son of Linda Doussan
Joseph "Joey" Burke	Feb 26	Son of Anne Adams and Steven Burke
Michael Bonura	Feb 26	Son of Judy and Dominick Bonura
Lauren Ann Brocato	Feb 27	Daughter of Eileen Brocato



**Phone Friend** List

Our listeners are willing to listen, understand, and share.

504-456-8248 – Patsy Ashton, son, 24, drug overdose 504-559-2438 – Jaimie Kimball, sibling, 12, vehicle accident 504-265-0581 – William and Millie Hunton, daughter, 30, accidental overdose