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Shriners Hospitals for Children

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Lewis Mooney
8 Million Lane
Salt Lake City, Utah



Dear Lewis,

I hope your childhood was full of running, playing, jumping and exploring. I hope you joined in with friends at recess to play games, spent your summers outside in pools and sprinklers and rode your bike to chase down the ice cream man. For many children in your community, childhoods pass by as days are full of hospital stays and surgeries. Summers are not spent outside in the sunshine with popsicles and friends, but indoors with doctors, medications and tests. Children miss out on school. There's no class parties, valentines, field trips to the zoo or book fairs. Instead these local children are fighting for their lives.

These kids are born with cleft palettes, club feet, missing limbs and malformities, or have spinal injuries and severe burns from accidents. These kids, in your neighborhood, turn to Shriners Hospitals for Children, right here in Salt Lake City, for the best orthopedic care.

Shriners Hospitals for Children is more than a hospital. It's a family. You can become a member of the family by donating to help children like Katie Ladlie rescue her childhood.



Katie has been a patient of Shriners since she was two years old. Born with a malformed left leg, Katie went through several surgeries throughout her childhood. She bravely chose to have her leg amputated at the age of 12 instead of permanently fusing her knee. This choice gave her a new lease on life. Freed from the constant leg pain, Katie now excels in sports.

now a happy, healthy, ambitious and accomplished teenager.

Donors like you make it possible for children like Katie to have a chance to create new dreams and reach goals. With your support, you rescue children in your community. They can receive the care they need to move on from the hospital and get back to playing, birthday parties and school.



Since its founding in 1922, families can take comfort in knowing Shriners will always take care of their children, without worrying if they can pay the bill. With your donation to Shriners Hospitals for Children, you are helping to keep Shriners' care available to all.

Shiners Hospitals for Children never turns a child away, regardless of a parent's inability to pay. Shiners Hospital for Children needs donors like you to ensure every child has the necessary care to enjoy their childhood again.

There are many ways you can help your local Shriners Hospitals for Children:

- **Monetary donations:** Every cent counts to help kids like Katie. You can gift in your own name or in the memory of a loved one, either one-time or recurring. Donate via phone, (800) 241-4438, online at shinershospitalsforchildren.com or by mail 2900 N. Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607
- **Volunteer:** Shriners Hospital for Children in Salt Lake City always welcomes the gift of your time. Contact the hospital to find out about individual or group volunteering opportunities.
- **Other donations:** Toys, coloring books, action figures, blankets and clothing mean the world to a child stuck in the hospital. Your donation will make their day.

Thank you for being willing to bring back childhood for the kids in your neighborhood.

Shriners Hospital for Children is committed to providing the best care in the world to the kids who need it most. With your donation, anything is possible. Just ask Katie.

Yours sincerely,



Megan Allen
Director of Communications
Shriners Hospitals for Children



P.S. Your donation to Shriners helps kids just be kids again. Your support means children can get back to fun and games and carefree days. Send your love to the rescue today.



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