



**Northern  
Ireland  
Hospice**

## Remembering someone special with a Tribute Fund.

**Remember a loved one by setting up a tribute fund, and in their name, raise much needed funds for Northern Ireland Hospice and help us continue to care for terminally ill patients and their families.**

Demand for hospice services is ever increasing with more and more people in need of our help. It is our vision that hospice care will be available in the future to everyone who needs it. By setting up a tribute fund in memory of your loved one, you will help us achieve our goal.

*'I was devastated when my beloved grandmother died. She looked after me when my parents were at work and we were very close. I'll never forget her. She was always very involved in charity work and I felt that by setting up a tribute fund I was continuing her work and keeping her memory and her spirit alive. I know that she would be really pleased to be remembered in this way and very proud.'*

### **What is a Tribute Fund?**

Families, friends and colleagues often tell us that they would like a permanent and lasting tribute to a loved one who has sadly died. A tribute fund is a very practical and meaningful way for families and friends to celebrate a life and remember a loved one.

### **How does a Tribute Fund work?**

A tribute fund is set up in the name of your loved one and all gifts you and your family and friends make are donated to the fund. We will keep you regularly updated with every donation. As the fund grows it will assist Northern Ireland Hospice to continue its vital work.

*'We set up a Tribute Fund for our mum shortly after she died in hospice just over 3 years ago. It started off with a sponsored walk and family barbecue. 3 years on all my mum's friends and neighbours are involved and the money in the fund keeps growing. It has brought the family even closer together and we now celebrate mum's life in a very positive way. We really feel the fund is making a difference and we are helping hospice to continue caring for people like mum.'*

When your Tribute fund has reached £1,000 a plaque with your loved ones name will be placed on a butterfly sculpture in the Woodland Trust's Monkstown Wood and you will be invited to a special Remembrance Service during which a tree will be planted.

### **How to make your Tribute Fund grow.**

You can contribute to your tribute fund in which ever way you wish. Some people contribute single donations on special occasions such as Christmas, birthdays or anniversaries. Others organise fundraising events and others donate regular gifts by donating through direct debit. Which ever way you choose to grow your fund you can be assured that your gifts will be gratefully received and will help provide hospice care to more families.

*'We wanted something positive to come out of what was a very painful time. Setting up a tribute fund in our dad's name really helped the whole family. We put money in the fund every year on his birthday and anniversary and we know by doing so we are helping others.'*

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## What do I do now?

If it's not for you, you don't have to do anything. We understand that a Tribute Fund is not everyone's choice and any donations you make to Northern Ireland Hospice by whatever means will be gratefully received by everyone, staff and patients, at Northern Ireland Hospice and will be put to good use. However if you do wish to set up a tribute fund please fill in the slip below and return to:

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I would like to set up a Tribute Fund with the Northern Ireland Hospice.

Name of the person you are remembering \_\_\_\_\_

My address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

My Tel number \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile number \_\_\_\_\_

My Email address \_\_\_\_\_

My Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Death \_\_\_\_\_

My relationship to the person I am remembering: \_\_\_\_\_

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Northern Ireland Hospice will keep you informed about its work and its trading company. If you do not wish to receive further information please advise in writing.