



**YELLOW DOOR**



Please join us for the Hearts for Hope Luncheon—a meaningful afternoon where stories will be shared, impact celebrated, and hope renewed.

We'll honor the incredible children and families who inspire us, raise awareness of the growing need, and invite our community to help sustain and expand the mission of Yellow Door.

Together, we'll turn compassion into action because every child deserves comfort, care, and a place to call home during treatment.

- Thursday, May 1
- Farmington Country Club
- 11:30-1:30 PM (check in starts at 11:00)

Come be part of the story. Your seat at the table helps open more doors.

With gratitude,



, The Yellow Door Foundation



Hope to see you on  
May 1st!

To: Yellow Door Friends

**Reserve Your Seat**

**Register by April 24.**

**GRACE**

# Greetings



**FROM GRACE**

Hi there,

I'm Grace—and I just turned one month old, defying the odds! I got to celebrate in the hospital with my doctors, nurses, and my whole family.

I was born with stage 4 cancer, but I'm already fighting really hard. Chemo is tough, but Yellow Door is giving my parents, two sisters and grandparents a warm and comforting place to stay while I get treatment. I love spending time with my two big sisters.

Thank you for helping little fighters like me, and supporting my family during this tough time.

Love,  
Baby Grace

♥, Grace



**Thank you for the love  
& support for my  
family and me!**

To: Yellow Door Friends

## JOSHUA



Hi friends,

My name is Joshua and I'm 7 years old. A few months ago, I was feeling sick for a long time—like I had a stomach bug that just wouldn't go away. Then we found out it was something much bigger: Burkitt's Leukemia.

I've always loved battles—with lightsabers and swords in hand—and now I'm in the biggest battle of my life. Chemo has been really hard, and there have been some scary days, but I'm fighting with everything I've got. My family says I'm living up to my name—a true warrior.

Thanks to Yellow Door Foundation, my family doesn't have to be far away. No more sad goodbyes—just "see you tomorrow."

Thank you for helping make that happen!

 Joshua



*Thank you for helping kids like me  
feel at home during the fight.*

To: Yellow Door Friends

**KYLER**



Hi friends,

Guess what? My heart is finally fixed! I still need a little help breathing and I'm working hard in therapy to hold my head up again—being intubated made me forget how!

I love my light shows at night, watching TV, and playing with toys (especially my G-button—shhh, don't tell the doctors 😊). Ollie the octopus is still my best buddy.

Thanks for giving my mom and dad a cozy place to stay while I heal at the hospital.

You're a big part of my story!

Love,  
Baby Kyler

♥ Kyler



*Thanks for all your  
love and support!*

To: Yellow Door Friends

**HADDEN**



Dear Yellow Door friends,

Our son, Hadden Shifflett, was a beautiful young man—kind, brave, and full of heart. At just 17 years old, he was diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. For 8 months, he fought with everything he had.

In his final days, Yellow Door gave our family something we'll always cherish: the chance to be together. At the Dreamer apartment, Hadden was surrounded by love. He was baptized, and he received his high school diploma—moments that brought us comfort in the middle of heartbreak.

Though the cancer took him from us, his spirit, courage, and love will stay with us forever.

Thank you for giving this final gift.

With heartfelt gratitude,

♥, *Hadden's Parents*



*Thank you for the gift of  
peace and sanctuary during a  
difficult time.*

To: Yellow Door Friends

Help us say "YES" to every family needing a home away from home during treatment for serious pediatric illness at UVA Health Children's.

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