



HONORING NURSES INTERNATIONALLY
IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES



PRINCETON COMMUNITY
HOSPITAL

About The DAISY Foundation

The DAISY Foundation is a not-for-profit organization, established in memory of J. Patrick Barnes, by members of his family. Patrick died at the age of 33 in late 1999 from complications of Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (ITP), a little known but not uncommon auto-immune disease. (DAISY is an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System.) The care Patrick and his family received from nurses while he was ill inspired the creation of The DAISY Award® for Extraordinary Nurses, an evidenced-based means of providing nurse recognition and thanking nurses for making a profound difference in the lives of their patients and patient families. In addition to the DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses, the Foundation expresses gratitude to the nursing profession internationally in thousands of healthcare facilities and schools of nursing with recognition programs for nurses wherever they practice, in whatever role they serve, and throughout their careers. Learn more at www.daisyfoundation.org.

The DAISY Award Qualifications

- For any nurse who demonstrates extraordinary, compassionate care at the bed-side.
- Made a special connection with the patient and family.
- Included patients and families in the planning of their care.
- Did an excellent job educating patients and their families.
- Worked well with the healthcare team to meet patient and family needs.
- Made patients and their families feel comfortable.
- Went above and beyond.

Please Tell Us About Your Nurse

Your nurse's first and last name:

Unit / Room Number / Clinic Name (if applicable):

Date(s) of visit (if applicable): (mm /dd /yy)

Nomination Story:

Please tell us why you are nominating this nurse and what makes them so special. Please provide as much detail as possible.

About You:

Your first and last name:

Your phone and/or email:

Today's date: (mm /dd /yy)