

IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES

# Want to Say Thank You to Your Registered Nurse or Student Nurse?

## Share your story!

The DAISY (**D**iseases **A**ttacking the Immune **SY**stem) Award<sup>™</sup> is an international recognition program that honors and celebrates the skillful, compassionate care nurses provide every day. The DAISY Foundation was established by the family of J. Patrick Barnes after he died from complications of the auto-immune disease known as "ITP" in 1999.

During his hospitalization, they deeply appreciated the care and compassion shown to Patrick and his entire family. When he died, they felt compelled to say "thank you" to nurses in a very public way. Please say thank you by sharing **your** story about how a nurse made a difference you will never forget!

#### Thank you for taking the time to thank your extraordinary registered nurse or student nurse!

I am (please check one): □ Patient □ Family/Visitor

□ Please contact me if my nominee is chosen as a DAISY honoree so I may attend the celebration if available.

Name:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	
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Each DAISY Award honoree is recognized at a public ceremony on her/his unit and receives:

- A beautiful certificate.
- A DAISY Award pin.
- A hand-carved stone sculpture titled A Healer's Touch.
- And Cinnabon<sup>®</sup> cinnamon rolls—a favorite of Patrick's during his illness. The Barnes Family asks that whenever and wherever nurses smell that wonderful cinnamon aroma, they stop for a moment and think about how special they are.

Only "bedside" registered nurses (RNs) and student nurses are eligible for the DAISY Award. To say "thank you" or share your story for a member of our health care team who is **not** a nurse, please submit the yellow CATCH US AT OUR BEST CARD located throughout our facility.



### To Nominate an Extraordinary Nurse or Student Nurse...

Complete your nomination at deaconess.com/DAISY. You may also place this form in one of our designated DAISY Award<sup>™</sup> collection boxes or ask to speak with the charge nurse.

#### **DAISY Award Nomination Form**

#### Please identify the location of your nominee

□ Deaconess Midtown Hospital □ Deaconess Gateway Hospital □ Deaconess Henderson Hospital □ Deaconess Gibson Hospital Scan the QR code to visit □ Deaconess Union County Hospital our our DAISY nomination □ Deaconess Cross Pointe web page Nursing Dept./Floor: \_\_\_\_\_

Nurse Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_, or

Student Nurse Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Only one nomination per form)

I would like to thank my nurse and share my story of why this nurse is so special and went above and beyond.

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