



“FOR HER GLORY”

“But that if a woman has long hair, it is her glory? For long hair is given to her as a covering.”
NIV: I Cor. 11:15

Established in memory of Judy Piotrowski



This fund was founded by Judy Piotrowski, her husband Scott Piotrowski and close friends Jackie and Counte Cooley in August 2004. The mission statement of the "For Her Glory" fund is to preserve the dignity, self esteem and sense of well-being of cancer survivors who need wigs, prostheses, mastectomy bras or other items as a result of chemically induced baldness or a mastectomy. "For Her Glory" fund seeks to help restore the quality of life for those cancer survivors who cannot financially secure these products through other resources.

FOR HER GLORY STORY

Judy Piotrowski began her battle with breast cancer when she underwent a mastectomy on July 3, 1995. Her courageous battle lasted nine years until her death on August 27, 2004.

Although Judy was hospitalized several times during her struggle with cancer, in August 2003, she faced her most difficult battle. Her oncologist informed the family that she probably would not survive, but she did and once again began the healing process. Everyone around Judy knew this was a miracle. However, for Judy it only created questions such as: Why did God save me? What is my purpose? Judy was compelled to seek answers for these questions. One day, Judy, her husband Scotty, and friend Jackie Cooley were visiting "The Shoppe", a store owned by the Longstreet Clinic. The manager, Lynda Collier, was on the phone and quite frustrated over efforts to convince an insurance company to purchase a wig for a young lady with cancer. The insurance company refused her request! Unfortunately most insurance companies do not provide money for wigs.

The young lady Lynda was trying to help

was in her early twenties. She was a single working mother with two small children. She wore a baseball cap to cover her baldness. The young mother had no means by which to purchase a wig and seemed very embarrassed by the situation. At that moment, Judy, Scotty and Jackie made a promise. They would find a way to provide the funds needed for the young lady's wig. After placing several phone calls to friends, donations were received to help with this purchase. That evening Judy's statement to Scotty and Jackie was, "I now know my purpose".

The young lady sent a thank-you note. This simple gesture became the inspiration for Judy, Scotty and Jackie to establish the "For Her Glory" fund.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- Individual does not have insurance
- Insurance will not pay for needed items
- Individual is economically deprived

REFERRAL PROCESS:

Requests must be referred by a doctor of oncology or other health care professional who confirms eligibility requirements have been met.

Grateful Recipients Express Thanks!

Below are a few comments from the many notes, cards and letters received from recipients of the "For Her Glory" fund.

"Thank you so much for assisting me with getting a wig. It is comforting to be able to wear it and look normal until I have my own hair again. Your foundation has blessed me greatly!"

"God bless you for allowing me to be able to be normal when going out in public. Losing my hair was part of my identity. This is the first time that I have received such a gift of love and generosity-particularly from people who I have not even met. Cancer has truly opened my eyes to the goodness of others. Judy Piotrowski must have been a truly wonderful woman."

"Words cannot express how thankful I am for the help in making me feel whole again. Thank you from the bottom of my heart."

"Thank you so very much for the assistance I have received while undergoing chemotherapy for my breast cancer. There are no words to describe what this means to me. I have been able to work and maintain some normalcy to my life because of this wonderful program. I hope in the future to give back to your program some of what you have given to me and my family"

"...What a beautiful way to honor Judy Piotrowski's memory by making it possible to help the many women feel good about themselves during a very devastating time in our lives."



What Cancer Cannot Do

- It cannot cripple Love
- It cannot shatter Hope
- It cannot corrode Faith
- It cannot destroy Peace
- It cannot kill Friendship
- It cannot suppress Memories
- It cannot silence Courage
- It cannot invade the Soul

Know Your Risk

Prevention and Screening Tips

- Annual mammogram beginning at age 40
- Annual clinical breast exam beginning at age 40
- Clinical breast exams every 3 years between ages 20-39
- Monthly breast exams beginning at age 20



Recognition and Thank You to Major Contributors!

“For Her Glory” would like to thank the following contributors. Without their generosity in both time and money the “For Her Glory” fund would not have the means to continue its fight. This fight includes helping preserve the dignity, self esteem and sense of well-being of cancer patients or survivors who are in need of financial assistance. We apologize to any contributor who may have been omitted.

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- Jean Hawkins
- “The Jesters”
- Lynda Collier & Cathy Jerrells
- Staff of “The Shoppe” at Long Street Clinic
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- Fred Link

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What The “For Her Glory” Fund Has Provided to Date

The North Georgia Community Foundation administers the “For Her Glory” fund. The “For Her Glory” fund in turn helps to procure wigs, prostheses, mastectomy bras and other items needed as a result of chemically induced baldness or a mastectomy. A total of 118 wigs, at least 14 compression sleeves and a number of miscellaneous items have been purchased.

“For Her Glory” funds have been used to help 136 cancer patients and survivors. With continued support it will help to support countless more.

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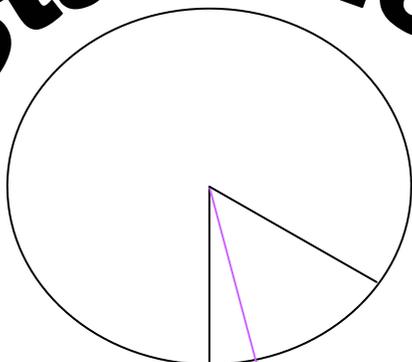
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IN LOVING MEMORY
OF JUDY PIOTROWSKI



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Statistics



For Her Glory Statistics

Wigs.....	118
Compression Sleeves.....	14
Miscellaneous Items.....	4
Total Recipients.....	136

NEWS FLASH!!!

We have exciting news about forming a For Her Glory 501C3. Stay tuned for more information!!!



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Jackson EMC Operation Round-UP Grant



For Her Glory was honored at the Harvest of Hope Gala-A Taste of Tuscany on Saturday, October 14, 2006. For Her Glory was selected as the Hope Award recipient base upon our demonstrated commitment to people living with cancer. For Her Glory co-founders, Jackie and Counte Cooley and Scott Piotrowski, wer recognized as honored guests at the Harvest of Hope Gala.

“For Her Glory” Fundraisers & Grants-Past and Future

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Past “For Her Glory” Fundraisers & Grants helped insure that we continue to fight the fight and continue Judy’s legacy:

2004-Our very first fundraiser at LUNA’S-A Night of Comedy and Music. Ticket sales from the evening generated \$14,000.00. A great first success thanks to the generosity of Juan and Frankie Luna and the numerous patrons who came out in full support!

2005-“The Jesters” held a Rock ‘N Roll concert at Chateau Élan. It was spectacular evening filled with friends, great food, awesome music and warm memories of Judy. Again, our sincerest thanks to the The Jesters, Jean Hawkins, The “Baptist Boys”, Beth Wilson and Jan Miller for the incredible arrangements that helped highlight the evening and to the many friends and supporters that made the evening. The evening generated over \$25,000 benefiting the “For Her Glory” fund.

2006-For Her Glory was awarded the Jackson EMC Operation Roundup grant for \$5000.

2006-Harvest of Hope Award for \$1000. Our thanks to Lynda Collier and The Longstreet Clinic for their caring partnership and generosity in helping our cause.

2007-The Christen Foundation awarded \$1000 to For Her Glory.

Our sincerest thanks to each business and individual that has helped us in our continued mission. It is because of you that we can continue this fight!

Upcoming Fundraisers and Awards

Fall 2007-We have submitted another grant request from Jackson EMC Operation Round-up

Spring 2007-Look for upcoming news about a Jesters concert!

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