

Thank you for taking time
to recognize your nurse!

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Date of nomination: _____

- Please contact me if my nurse is chosen as a
DAISY Honoree so that I may attend the
celebration if available.

I am (please check one):

- MD Patient Family/Visitor
 Staff Volunteer

If you have any questions, please contact:
540.741.1563.

Each DAISY Award Honoree will be recognized at
a public ceremony in her/his unit and will receive:
a beautiful certificate, a DAISY Award pin, and a
hand-carved stone sculpture entitled A Healer's
Touch. Additionally, everyone in the unit will
celebrate with 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.



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**THE DAISY
AWARD**

FOR EXTRAORDINARY NURSES

IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES

Want to Say
Thank You
To Your Nurse?

Share Your Story!

The DAISY (Diseases Attacking the Immune System) Award 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 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 of how a nurse made a difference you will never forget!



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