



Jennifer Ward Memorial Fund

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Dear Friends:

The Fifth Annual fundraiser for the Jennifer Ward Memorial Fund is quickly approaching! We are changing things up and will be holding the event on August 22 (instead of our traditional date in October) at the Hibiscus Restaurant in Somers Point, NJ. We wish to thank you for your generous contributions and support and hope we can count on you again. The continued support of our community strengthens our motivation and commitment to do more in Jennifer's name.

As you may know, the Memorial Fund was established in memory of our daughter, Jennifer Ann Ward. Only 29, she died from Sudden Cardiac Arrest in January 2005. Throughout her short life, she had an amazing capacity to give of herself. In support of the way Jennifer touched so many lives, from her family and friends to her students at St. Ann's in Wildwood, NJ, we started a memorial fund to carry on her memory. Jennifer inspires in all of us a gift of giving back to those in our community. The success of the *JWMF* is evident that her goodness continues in all we have achieved.

Statistics show that more than 200,000 Americans die of Sudden Cardiac Arrest every year. Up to 50,000 of these deaths could have been prevented if someone had initiated the Cardiac Chain of Survivor and an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) had been available for immediate use at the time of the emergency. It is our hope to place as many AED's as possible in the South Jersey area, to have more lay people trained in CPR and to help students in the area lessen their financial burden through scholarships.

Proceeds from your donations have provided:

Ten Automated External Defibrillators to schools and churches

CPR/AED training to groups of teachers and church members

Scholarships to students in Cape May County pursuing higher education

Please join us for our **Fifth Annual Fundraiser on August 22, 2009 at the Hibiscus restaurant in Somers Point, NJ**. If you're unable to make it, any donation is appreciated.

Thank you again for your generosity. Without your help all the good that has emerged from the Jennifer Ward Memorial Fund would not be possible.

Sincerely,

Gerry and Jerry Ward and the Fundraising Committee

We are a not-for-profit 501 (c) 3 organization. Your donation is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.