



You are the Light

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Ever had a time in your life when you seem to be walking in the dark? You want things to be simple and easy. Just when you are about to give in, you see a light. This light may come from a friend, family member or even a total stranger. It may even be delivered by the person you least expect.

At Human Connexus, we try to provide a little light to those who are experiencing dark times. We focus on providing financial services to individuals in need but we also try to shine by lending an ear. Human Connexus is the conduit of your brightness. Our luminosity depends on YOU! Help us continue to shine a bright light for others.

Meet Joshua

Joshua is 11-year old boy with spastic cerebral palsy, seizure disorder, chronic respiratory failure, with a history of necrotizing pneumonia. For the past year, Joshua has been in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit to deal with chronic respiratory failure. Doctors would like to remove one of his lungs but Joshua does not have the strength to make it through such a risky surgery. The family is praying that Joshua becomes stable so he can return home where Pathways Hospice will assist the family for daily care.

Joshua has two siblings, a 13-year old brother and a 6-year old sister. The family lives in East Palo Alto. Joshua's mother takes care of him full-time while his father works for a tree service company. This has been a devastating year for the family. Just recently, Joshua's mother was diagnosed with a relapse of brain cancer. She is currently undergoing radiation treatments. Given the critical nature of her own condition, Joshua's mother has not been able to care for Joshua as she did before. Joshua's father had to take significantly more time off from work in order to support his family during this critical time of need. Not only



has the family been under incredible emotional stress but they are experiencing significant financial hardship due to loss of income.

Even though the family has been through a lot, they are an extremely proud family with a very strong bond. Their goals are to make it through the medical crises at hand and to manage their own family's daily cost of living. Human Connexus Foundation is supporting the family with rental assistance. Please shine some light for Joshua, his mother and the rest of the family by making a donation so that their goals are achieved soon.

JAZZ IT UP

"The drinks were lively, the decorations were vibrant and the family's story told by Jessica was impactful." That is how one attendee described the night. The generous donors helped Human Connexus raise over **\$11,000!!!** Thank you to everyone who attended and big thank you for the team who made this evening so spectacular!



GIVE A GIFT!

Human Connexus needs your support! Please make a contribution so we help others spend more time with their loved ones. Please click the button below to donate.

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Love and Peace,

Cindy Campbell
Founder & Executive Director

