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## Hospice at Home Harbor Walk & Wine

**South Haven, Michigan,** July 30, 2008 - Hospice at Home in South Haven holds its annual Harbor Walk and Wine & Beer Tasting events on Saturday, August 16, 2008. The day begins at Stanley Johnston Park with a two-mile awareness walk along the historic Black River. Registration begins at 9am and the walk begins at 10am. Following the walk, there is an ice cream social. Registration is \$15 per person or \$20 per family and includes one t-shirt and ice cream.

The Wine & Beer Tasting event follows at 6pm on the scenic grounds of Dan and Mary Nulty on the Bluff of South Beach. Tickets are \$40 and include samplings of wine and beer as well as heavy hors d'oeuvres.

"Most of us remember a special person who was there for us at a difficult time. We remember who brought comfort in the midst of crisis," states Hospice at Home Volunteer Coordinator, Beth Fones. "This event is a time to celebrate those who provide support and compassion at the end of life."

Walkers can register for the Harbor Walk by stopping by the South Haven Hospice at Home office located at 05055 Blue Star Highway, calling 637-3825, or registering online at [www.hospiceathomecares.org](http://www.hospiceathomecares.org) – or arriving that morning. Wine & Beer Tasting tickets are available at the South Haven Visitors Bureau, Wolverine Hardware, or the South Haven Hospice at Home office.

Hospice at Home is the local, non-profit community hospice focusing on the patient and family regardless of the patients' diagnosis, treatment choices, life

expectancy, or ability to pay. It provides quality care to people adjusting to living with a serious illness, to people facing death, to people anticipating the death of a loved one, or to people healing their grief after the death of a loved one. Hospice at Home places an emphasis on the emotional, social, and spiritual needs of those who need care and those receiving support services. Serving Berrien, Cass, Van Buren, and Allegan Counties, the care is coordinated by a team of physicians, nurses, home health aides, social workers, spiritual care counselors, bereavement coordinators, and trained volunteers. Extending this care, Lory's Place, a bereavement and education center that builds hope and strength for every grieving family, is available to anyone in Southwest Michigan or Northern Indiana.

For more information about the Harbor Walk and Wine or Hospice at Home or call 269-637-3825 or 1-800-717-3811, or go to [www.hospiceathomecares.org](http://www.hospiceathomecares.org).

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