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Photography Grief Group

(Southwest, Michigan) July 22, 2010 - Many times the feelings brought by grief are beyond words. In this creative four-week Photography Grief Group series, people will use photography to express the emotions and experiences that have resulted from the death of a loved one. Each week participants will explore a new setting to capture photos that express an aspect of the grief process. Prints will be reviewed during the final session.

No photography experience is necessary. Please bring a digital camera if you are able. Extra cameras will be available during each session. This program is open to all ages. Classes are on Wednesdays, from August 11 – September 1, from 4:00 – 5:30 pm, at the Buchanan Hospice at Home Office, 4017 Chamberlain Rd, Buchanan. Please RSVP regarding attendance and the need for a camera to Lory's Place at 269-983-2707.

Hospice at Home also offers ongoing groups that meet during the evening for adults and children at Lory's Place Grief Healing and Education Center. The groups include regularly scheduled age-appropriate support group sessions that allow children and adults to interact with peers who have suffered similar loss. Groups for children and adults who are anticipating a loss or who have experienced a loss through pregnancy are also available, as well as educational and workplace grief programs. All community bereavement services are provided free of charge thanks to local community contributions.

Hospice at Home is the 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 contact Hospice at Home at 269-429-7100 or 1-800-717-3811, or go to www.hospiceathomecares.org or contact Lory's Place at 269-983-2707 or 1-800-717-3812, or go to www.lorysplace.org.

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