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## **Hospice of Santa Barbara *Light Up A Life* Stars Now Available**

**November 23, 2011, Santa Barbara, CA** -- This December 3, 4 and 10, Hospice of Santa Barbara will host its 28<sup>th</sup> annual holiday *Light Up A Life* ceremonies in Goleta, Santa Barbara and Carpinteria, respectively, inviting families and friends to celebrate the lives and memories of their loved ones. Hundreds of lights and stars will illuminate memorial trees at the Light Up A Life sites.

Stars may be purchased and personalized in memory of loved ones who have passed or in honor of those who are living. Stars may be hung at the Light Up A Life ceremonies or afterwards while the trees are up. A \$10 or more donation is suggested for each star and all proceeds support Hospice of Santa Barbara.

PJ's Hallmark in Camino Real Marketplace and the Lobero Theatre have graciously offered to sell Light Up A Life stars on site through the month of December. This will be the first time that stars will be available to purchase on site while the memorial trees remain up through the holidays. PJ's Hallmark sales will be in the store and the Lobero Theatre sales will be out of the box office. The box office is open Monday – Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

Light Up A Life stars are also available at [www.hospiceofsantabarbara.org](http://www.hospiceofsantabarbara.org), at the Hospice of Santa Barbara office (2050 Alameda Padre Serra, Suite 100, in Santa Barbara, 805-563-8820), at Corktree Cellars, 910 Linden Avenue, Carpinteria, and Peebee & Jay's, 1007 Casitas Pass Road, Carpinteria.

Hospice of Santa Barbara “volunteers” its free professional counseling and care management services to more than 470 children and adults every month who are experiencing the impact of a life-threatening illness, or grieving the death of a loved one.

### **Light Up a Life dates and locations:**

Saturday, December 3, 5:30 p.m. – Camino Real Marketplace (in front of PJ's Hallmark), **Goleta**

Sunday, December 4, 5:30 p.m. – Lobero Theatre front lawn, **Santa Barbara**

Saturday, December 10, 5:30 p.m. – Linden House, 789 Linden Avenue, **Carpinteria**

For more information, please call (805) 563-8820 or visit [www.hospiceofsantabarbara.org](http://www.hospiceofsantabarbara.org).

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