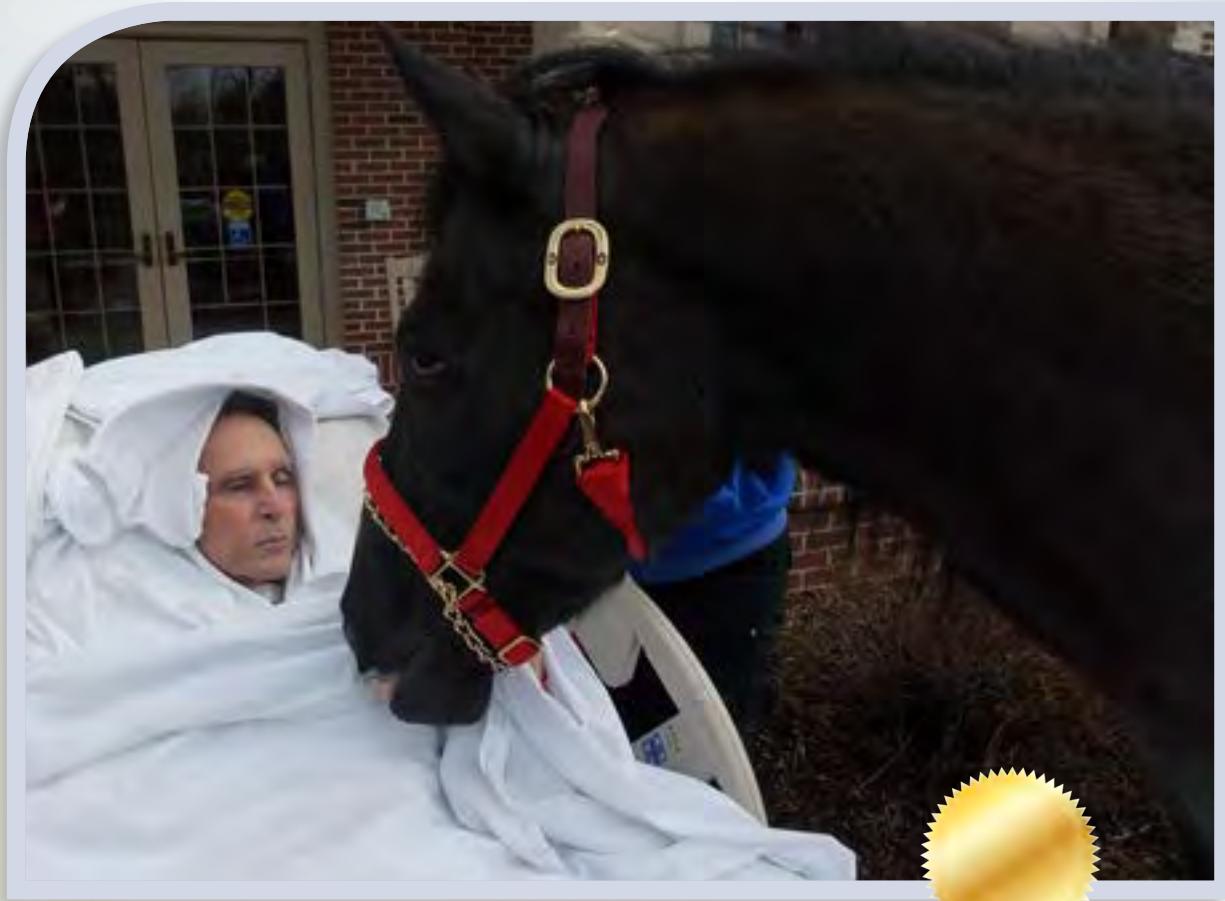


# 2013 creative arts contest



NHPCO is proud to showcase the winning photographs and social media videos of the **2013 Creative Arts Contest**. Each entry is a true testament to the talent and creativity of our many members across the country.





**FIRST PLACE:**

*All Visitors Welcome*

**Judy Lang  
Hospice of Northwest Ohio  
Perrysburg, OH**

“They say a picture is worth a thousand words... In April a special guest stopped by to visit his long-time friend. Despite the cold temperatures, Smokey from Little Miracles Riding Academy and Hospice of the Northwest Ohio patient Ken Hall enjoyed a few special moments together on the patio of the Hospice Center. Hardly a word was spoken.”

Photography – Adult Category



SECOND PLACE:

*Gone Fishin'*

Tiffany Brothers  
Hospice of Dubuque  
Dubuque, IA



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Veterans' Day of  
Honor Salute*

Kelly France  
MidMichigan Home Care  
Midland, MI



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Leaving No Stone Unturned*

Timothy Nickel  
Masonic Village at Elizabethtown  
Elizabethtown, PA



FIRST PLACE:

*Legacy of Love*

Ashley Mizell  
Sacred Heart Hospice  
Kansas City, KS



“Anyone who knew Rita knew that she loved children. Spending time with them brought her so much joy and happiness. She lived for her 16 great grandchildren, seen here with her youngest, Bentley. Love from her family was truly the best medicine; this love was the legacy she left.”

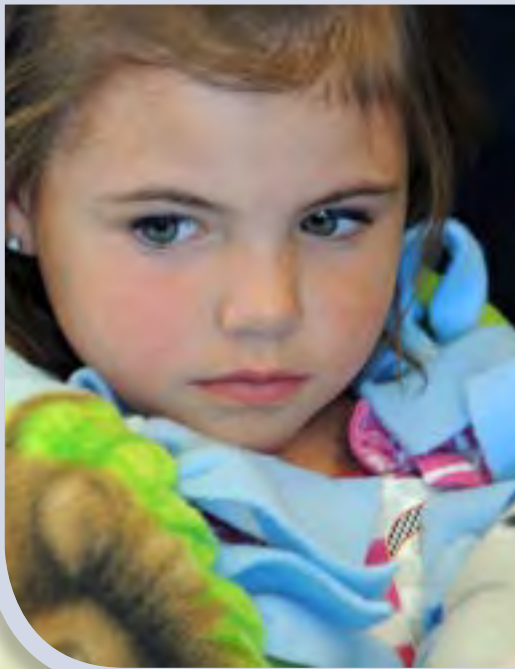
Photography – Young People Category



SECOND PLACE:

*With a Strum  
and a Song*

Audrey Waters  
MJHS Hospice and  
Palliative Care  
New York, NY



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Snuggled in a  
Blanket of Love*

John Anglim  
HopeWest  
Grand Junction, CO



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Compassion in Action  
Through Eryn's Eyes*

Alain McLaughlin  
Hospice of the Valley  
San Jose, CA



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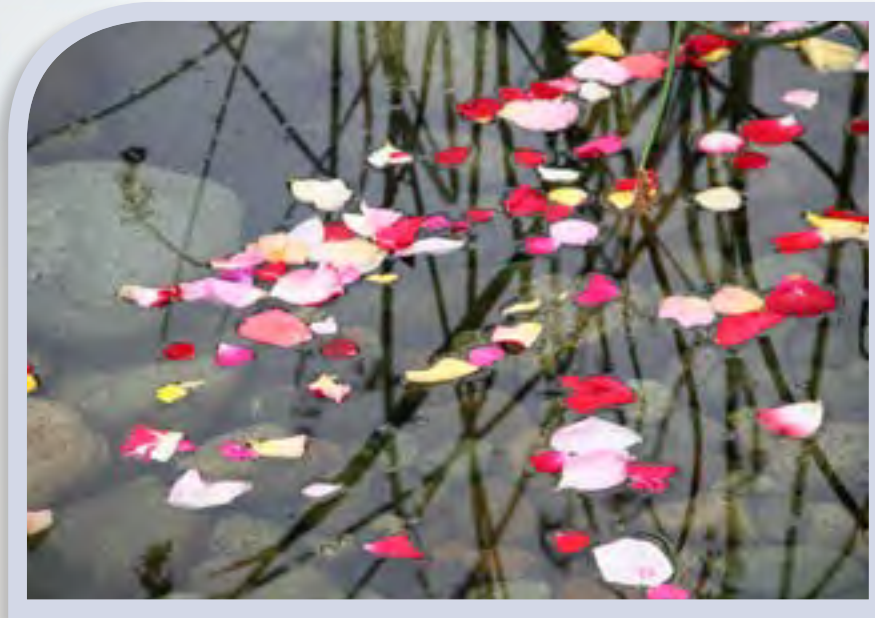
*The Heart of Hospice*

Laura Blumenstein  
Passages Hospice  
Lisle, IL



“As a hospice nurse, I care for each patient’s and their family’s emotional status. I am always in action – caring for my patients with tasks such as charting, vitals, and physical assessment. But the best part of my job is living the hospice philosophy of hope, compassion, and heart with everything I do.”

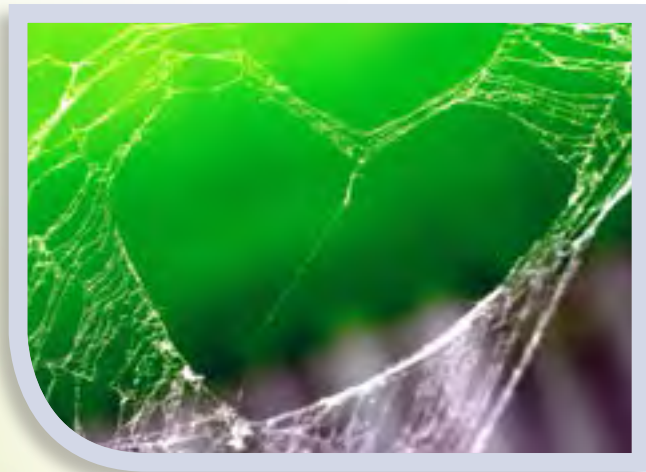
Photography – Nature/Abstract Category



SECOND PLACE:

*Petals of Grief*

Criss East  
Evergreen Health  
Hospice and  
Palliative Care  
Kirkland, WA



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Web of Love*

Ashley Belue  
Passages Hospice  
Lisle, IL

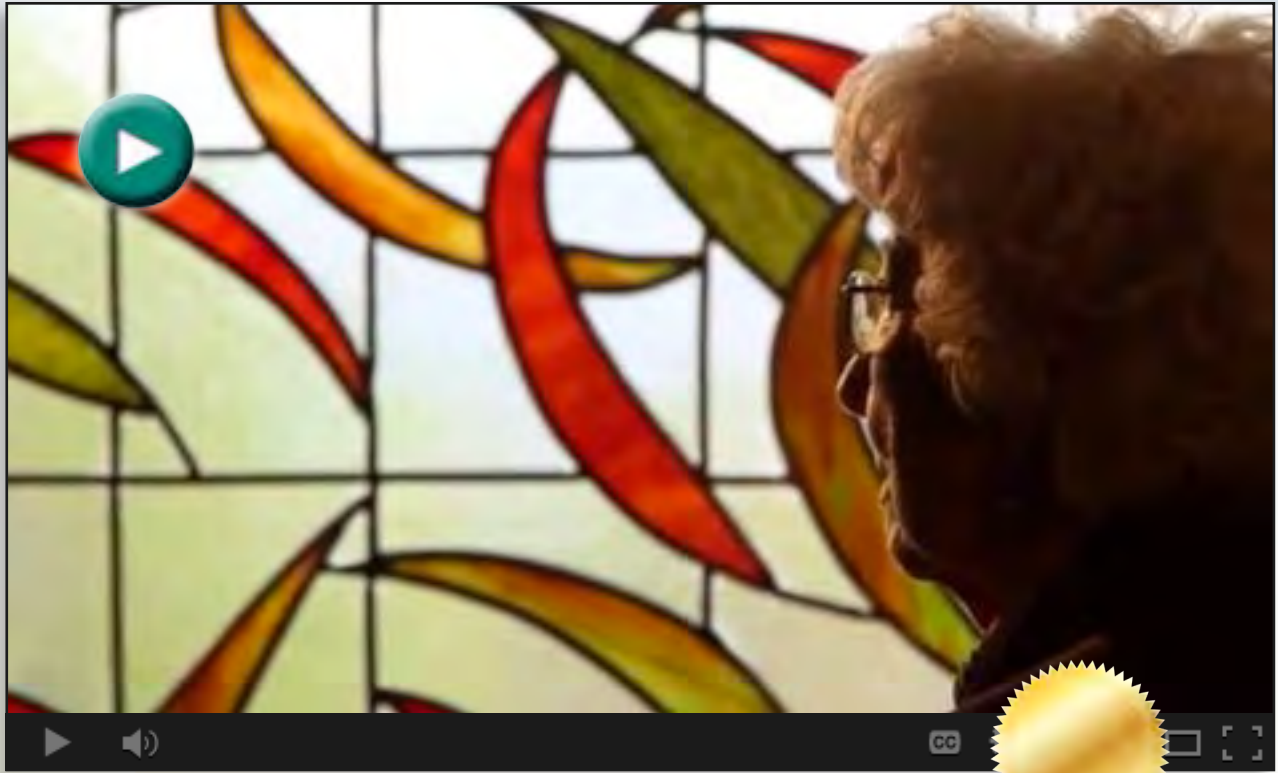


HONORABLE MENTION:

*Trailing Vines of Hope*

Wanda Chiles  
Hospice of the Bluegrass  
Cynthiana, KY

## Social Media Videos



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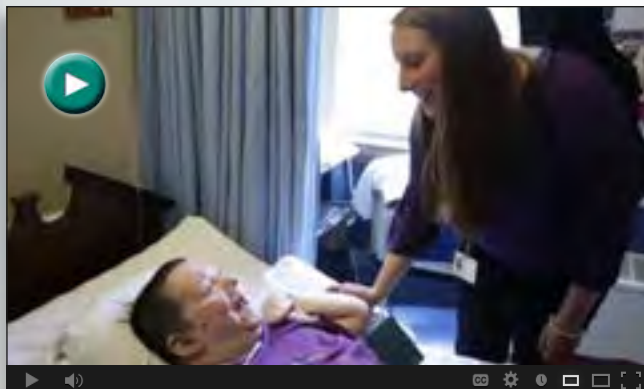
### *The Power of Community*

**HopeWest, Grand Junction, CO**

"This video showcases the dedication of our talented staff, generous donors and tireless volunteers who impact those we love every day. Together, we are profoundly changing the lives of those experiencing serious illness and grief – one family at a time."



## Social Media Videos



SECOND PLACE:

*Supporting Patients with  
Developmental Disabilities*

Hospice of the North Shore & Greater Boston  
Danvers, MA

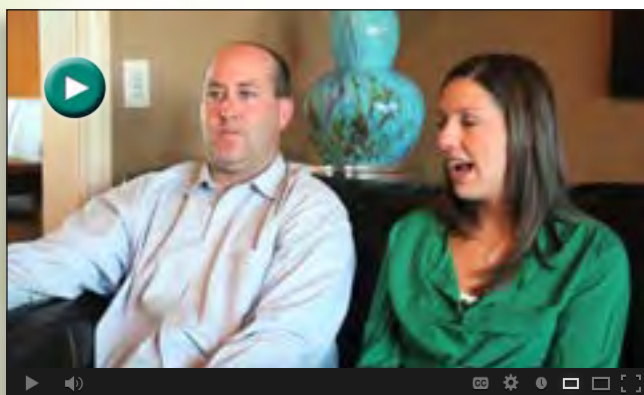


THIRD PLACE:

*Heart 'n Home,  
I Am the Difference*

Heart 'n Home Hospice & Palliative Care LLC  
Fruitland, ID

In honor of the families who so graciously and bravely shared their personal experience — teaching others about the comfort, love, and respect of hospice — we would like to honorably mention the following videos...



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Patient Care: The Miller  
McNeil Woodruff Story*

Circle of Life Hospice  
Bentonville, AR



HONORABLE MENTION:

*Jorie's Story:  
A Mother's Love*

BJC Hospice  
St. Louis, MO