

From Monroe, LA - Memorial Day to Remember.....

"It was Memorial Day when 2 ½ year old Jake Raborn was diagnosed with cancer of the liver. For more than two years he received an endless cycle of treatments from world renowned specialists at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. On September 27, Jake came home for the last time and Hospice Care of Louisiana was there to care for him and his family, in his final days. Although their time together was short, Jake and his family's brave struggle and unending faith was an inspiration to the entire hospice team. Jake's hospice nurses spent the last 24 hours of his life with Jake and his family at their home in West Monroe. Jake passed away peacefully on October 5 with his parents and his hospice nurses at his side.

Jake's brave struggle inspired the entire Northeast Louisiana region and beyond, to lend their support to Jake and his family. As a result of caring for Jake, Hospice Care of Louisiana is recognized as being one of few hospices in the area who will care for terminally ill children."

~Staff of Hospice Care of Louisiana