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Always there for Jocelyn... and for you.

Dear Friend,

Patients from across Atlantic Canada come to the QEII Health Sciences Centre for the life-saving care they require. For some patients, like Jocelyn LeBlanc, that care can stretch over decades.

Jocelyn LeBlanc, 53, is a survivor. Diagnosed with cancer of the thymus gland when she was just a teen, she was successfully treated, but has since battled cardiac and respiratory problems. Despite her health setbacks, including a life-saving triple bypass procedure, she has managed to enjoy life to its fullest, raising a family and experiencing both flying glider planes with her husband and horseback riding outside her picturesque home in Cow Bay.



Jocelyn LeBlanc

Jocelyn is thankful to be alive and to enjoy each and every day. She credits her sunny spirit to the support of family and friends and the excellent care received at the QEII. "It was thanks to a lot of kindness, a lot of praying and a lot of fine people that I'm alive today," Jocelyn recently said.

Providing care for patients like Jocelyn requires the most up-to-date technology and treatment equipment. We need your help to ensure that your health centre continues to have access to extremely valuable, life-saving equipment. Your support will allow us to continue to diagnose and treat patients with the best medical technology available. Simply put, for the best results possible we need the best instruments to do the job.

Your support is critical to our ability to deliver the care that improves the lives of Atlantic Canadians, people like Jocelyn. I hope her story inspires you to support the QEII Health Sciences Centre.



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We are truly grateful to be able to use new, sophisticated technology as it can affect both quality of life and length of life for our patients. We can make great progress in the treatment of disease if the resources are there. Please help us continue providing accurate diagnosis and treatment with a donation today.

You can help us fund state-of-the-art equipment and lead the way towards the future of health care – by giving generously today. The QEII Health Science Centre, through the QEII Foundation, relies on donations from generous Atlantic Canadians in order to deliver first rate health care. As a donor to the QEII Health Sciences Centre, your support is critical to this success. It is my hope that you will help with a gift today.

On behalf of all of the patients who will benefit from your gift, thank you for caring about your community and making excellence in health care a priority. Your generosity is truly inspiring to all of us at the QEII.

Sincerely,



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Chief, Diagnostic Imaging, Capital Health District

P.S. Your financial support makes it possible to acquire specialized equipment required by the QEII Health Sciences Centre. Take a moment right now to complete the enclosed gift card and attach your cheque; then return both the cheque and gift card in the enclosed pre-addressed envelope. **You'll be glad you did.**



*Jocelyn and her faithful dog,
Bella*

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