

PLEDGE/PAYMENT FORM

YOUR DONATION PLEDGE

Yes, I would like to become a Friend of Hospice and help keep the Hibiscus Hospice In Patient Unit open.

☐ \$20 ☐ \$30 ☐ \$40 ☐ \$100 ☐ other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

To be paid monthly on the: ☐ 1st ☐ 20th of each month

By ☐ Credit/Debit card ☐ Automatic payment

YOUR DETAILS

Title, first name & surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Street address or PO Box: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb and postal code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

CREDIT/DEBIT CARD DETAILS

Type of card: ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Details to appear on your statement:

Particulars \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

OR AUTOMATIC PAYMENT BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

Bank name: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch: \_\_\_\_\_

Account name: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank \_\_\_\_\_ Branch \_\_\_\_\_ Account \_\_\_\_\_ Suffix \_\_\_\_\_

Details to appear on your statement:

Particulars \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I agree to my bank's terms and conditions

AUTHORISED SIGNATURE

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Privacy:** We recognise the importance of safeguarding your personal information and will only contact you about issues that we feel are important to you. If you do not wish to receive further communication from Hibiscus Hospice, please tick this box ☐

BANK ONLY INSTRUCTIONS

Please credit Hibiscus Hospice Charitable Trust Account: 12 3084 0143511 00 using customer name as reference

When you become a Friend of Hospice you will:

- Help keep the Hibiscus Hospice In Patient Unit open now and into the future.
- Ensure no-one suffering from a terminal illness in our community has to die alone or in pain.
- Improve our Hospice's ability to meet growing demand for services.
- **Be entitled to claim up to 33% of your Friend of Hospice donations back as a tax rebate.** We will send you one annual receipt to make this easy.
- Receive regular updates showing how your money is being used.
- Be able to change or cancel your monthly donation at any time.



For as little as \$5 a week you can support your local Hospice throughout the year – it's easy...

All you have to do is fill in the attached pledge form and send it to us – then you're done!

Or if you prefer, you can sign up online at:  
[www.hibiscushospice.org.nz/Donate/BecomeaFriendofHospice](http://www.hibiscushospice.org.nz/Donate/BecomeaFriendofHospice)

*Please help us to keep the Hibiscus Hospice In Patient Unit open – after all it's a service you or someone close to you, may someday need.*



Living Every Moment

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You built it...



Now will you help to keep it open?





## Our In Patient Unit is here for our community

**Thanks to generous local support Hibiscus Hospice was able in 2009, to open our In Patient Unit.**

Since then over 1,000 patients have spent time here. Some have passed their final days in our peaceful, homely environment, surrounded by their family and friends. Others have come for pain and symptom management, then returned home more comfortable to make the most of the time they had left. And the rest have come for a short stay to give their spouse or caregiver a much needed break and strengthen their ability to keep their loved one at home for as long as possible.

**For hundreds of local families it is unthinkable that our In Patient Unit might not have been here to help them. Without it, their loved ones would have had to wait for a Hospice bed on the North Shore or be admitted to a hospital ward – and their families would have had to bear the added strain of travelling long distances to visit.**

Building a local In Patient Unit was however, just the start of the journey. It costs over \$2.5 million per year to keep the Unit open and as less than a third of this is funded by government, the rest must be raised from the local community which holds this service so dear.

**That's why Hibiscus Hospice needs your help. We've made a promise to our community to keep our In Patient Unit open but we can't do it alone – we need your ongoing support.**

**By committing to a monthly donation, you will become a Friend of Hospice, ensuring we are here for the terminally ill in your community, today, tomorrow and always**



## Debbie shares her story...

After being diagnosed with terminal cancer, Debbie Graham made sure she crossed as much off her 'bucket list' as she could by travelling with husband David on the trip of a lifetime to Europe.

**Debbie was admitted to our In Patient Unit for end of life care in September 2014, and with the help of Hospice was able to give her daughter Kirsty away at an advanced wedding ceremony.**

Debbie knew she wouldn't make it to the real wedding day in December so on the 20th September the family held a wedding blessing which included Kirsty, her bridesmaids and flower girls all in their dresses and apart from not saying the vows, the wedding was re-enacted right down to the cake and first waltz.

Hospice nurses managed Debbie's pain relief so she could really enjoy the special day.



**Debbie with her daughters Sophie, Kirsty and Bianca, on the happy day**

*"That's the incredible thing about Hospice – they give you the freedom to keep on living. Being at the Hospice In Patient Unit has also relieved so much stress from my family; they are really comforted by the care they see I'm getting here and I'm so grateful they no longer have to shoulder that responsibility. With Hospice looking after everything, we can just enjoy the time we have left." DEBBIE GRAHAM*

Debbie died peacefully at our In Patient Unit in October 2014, surrounded by her loved ones.

## No one wants to die alone or in pain and because of the Hospice In Patient Unit, local people don't have to...

**You can make a real difference for terminally ill patients who are admitted to our In Patient Unit from as little as \$5 per week:**

**\$5 PER WEEK**  
(\$20 per month)

Could pay for a patient to receive comforting and nourishing meals for a day, helping them feel like Hospice is a home away from home.

**\$7.50 PER WEEK**  
(\$30 per month)

Could pay for a daily nursing assessment where a patient's pain, nausea and mobility is reviewed and a care plan made for the day.

**\$10 PER WEEK**  
(\$40 per month)

Could pay for the daily cost of a syringe pump to manage a dying patient's pain.

**\$25 PER WEEK**  
(\$100 per month)

Could pay for a patient's consultation with a palliative care doctor.

**Whatever you are able to give, by becoming a Friend of Hospice you are helping to keep the Hibiscus Hospice In Patient Unit open for terminally ill members of our community.**

**One day it could be you, a family member or a friend who needs Hospice so please pledge your support... by completing and returning the form overleaf, today**