





#### Our Vision

To be the premier Hospice Agency serving the Central Valley, distinguished by excellence in service & committed to expanding access to those in need.

#### Our Mission

The mission of
Hospice of San Joaquin,
a not-for-profit organization,
is to provide comprehensive &
compassionate medical care,
counseling & support to terminally
ill patients & their families, regardless
of ability to pay, & to educate &
collaborate with health care providers
& the public in promoting end-oflife care.

Dear Friends of Hospice of San Joaquin,

In 1982, Hospice of San Joaquin began serving patients, fulfilling the dream of our founders. Since those early days of volunteer hospice care & no Medicare funding, the healthcare landscape has changed in many ways.

In the last year, we have seen many new regulatory requirements handed down from Medicare; all the while, they continue to sequester our Medicare reimbursements. Doing more with less is not new for non-profit organizations & we are grateful to our donors for helping us through these challenging times.

Additionally, where Hospice of San Joaquin was for many years, the only hospice in the area, the number of for-profit hospices in San Joaquin County is now 10. However, Hospice of San Joaquin continues to be the number one preferred hospice in San Joaquin County, as evident by our steady patient census & reinforced by those who voted us the #1 Hospice, #1 Non-profit & #1 Home Healthcare Service Agency in the Record's Best of San Joaquin 2015.

In Fiscal Year 2014-2015 we served 1,240 hospice patients & their families, & our beautiful Residential Living Center was a home away from home for 140 hospice patients this year. Our donor funded Transition's program provided an important bridge for those wishing to benefit from the support offered by the program, but are not quite ready for hospice care.

In Fiscal Year 2014-2015, Hospice of San Joaquin provided more than \$1,079,882. dollars in unreimbursed & unfunded patient care services, which includes community & health professional education, children & caregiver support, & other valuable services. We could not provide these services if it were not for the generous donors that support Hospice of San Joaquin & our amazing staff & volunteers.

Thank you to all who support Hospice of San Joaquin in its ongoing mission to help others.

Warmly, Cubece Comet

Rebecca Burnett, MPA, BSN, RN, CHPN, CHA

Chief Executive Officer



\*Please note our change from calendar year to fiscal year reporting.

#### Revenue

Reimbursement for Hospice Care	
and Other Program Revenue	\$9,108,833

### Contributions

Donations	\$523,821
Planned Gifts	\$128,651
Grants	\$117,089
Events	\$56,2755
	\$1,368,316

#### Other

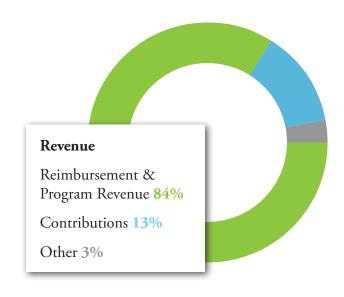
Investment Earnings	\$305,989
Other Revenue	\$14,863
	\$320,852

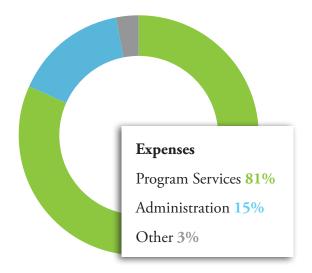
Total Revenue	\$10,798,001
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### Expenses

Program Services	\$8,781,081
Adminstration	\$1,665,093
Fundraising	\$342,357

Change in Net Assets	\$9,470
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# HOSPICE OF SAN JOAQUIN SERVICES



### Volunteer Department

Volunteer work here at Hospice of San Joaquin is varied, and we have recruited a diverse and talented group. Our Family Team members give direct patient support offering comfort, reassurance and often much needed breaks for the caregiver. Our Veteran-to-Veteran Volunteer Program matches up volunteer Veterans with Veteran patients, establishing trust by sharing common life experiences. Our Pet Therapy teams visit our patients offering a welcome distraction and helping to lessen stress and loneliness. Our Every Life Matters Program provides a volunteer for bedside vigil at very end of life, ensuring no one dies alone.

Hospice of San Joaquin Volunteers help out in so many other ways too. Our Administrative volunteer team helps in most all of our departments, supplying thousands of clerical and essential administrative task hours. Bereavement volunteers provide yearlong support to the families, facilitate support groups, or help with the Children's Bereavement Program. Our Residential Living Center staff depends on our volunteers to provide daily assistance and support to our patients and families. Lastly, our Butterfly Auxiliary is dedicated to the support and maintenance of our Residential Living Center through fund raising and advocacy.

These dedicated and compassionate workers donate over 10,000 hours a year, and provide a vital and invaluable role in the lives of patients and families.

### Department of Education and Clinical Outreach

Hospice of San Joaquin has joined two departments, Education and Admissions, in an effort to streamline our processes for the betterment of the patients, staff, and community.

Hospice of San Joaquin has been invited to many venues to participate in learning enrichment for the community. The director of the department has been invited to speak at three local colleges on numerous occasions to explain Death and Dying and Hospice Services, along with other relevant topics such as bereavement of the patient and family.

Annually, the department welcomes multiple residents and interns from the Internal and Family Medicine programs through San Joaquin General Hospital. These doctors work with our Medical Director and with the Registered Nurses to see firsthand what hospice care as well as how it can be integrated into the care of patients during their time at San Joaquin General and more.

Additionally, this year Hospice of San Joaquin was invited to two local hospitals to take part in a multiple day skills fair reaching all Registered Nurses at both hospitals.

### **Transitions Program**

When you or someone you love has advancing chronic or life limiting illness, life is affected in countless ways. Physical abilities decline, daily routines change, caregiving responsibilities may be taxing and medical information confusing. Transitions 'cares' and is there to help when you need it most.

Hospice of San Joaquin 'Transitions' is a community service program whose main goal is to help individuals and families cope with the problems that accompany life limiting or advancing chronic illness. It is designed to improve participants/families quality of life by providing palliative education and symptom management information, emotional support- encouragement and community resource information as needed. Transitions is not part of Hospice care and is offered at no cost to participants and families.

Hospice of San Joaquin's Transitions program received 247 referrals in 2015 with an average daily census of 91.



#### **Bereavement Services**

Hospice of San Joaquin offers bereavement support to the families of our patients and to the community at large. Families are offered support by bereavement staff and volunteers for the year following the death of their loved one. Bereavement support groups, individual counseling, and workshops are offered throughout the year for adults, teens, and children. Care is offered in Stockton, Lodi, and Manteca.

In this last fiscal year, 2014-2015, the bereavement department served 1,264 adults via groups, workshops, and individual meetings. An additional 1,544 hours were spent counseling bereaved Hospice of San Joaquin families on the phone.

Seven adult bereavement support groups were held in Stockton. Two adult groups were held in Manteca. Threee adult groups were



held in Lodi and one in Lockeford. Ten workshops were offered on subjects such as Understanding Your Grief, Loss of a Mother, Loss of a Child, and Coping with the Holidays.

A support group for those who have experienced a loss by suicide was offered on a monthly basis with an average attendance of seven.

Three children's support groups and three teen support groups were held in Stockton.

The bereavement department also reaches out to children and teens on school campuses. Seven groups were held on school campuses in the Stockton and Lodi school districts.

The annual day camp for children, "Camp Caterpillar" was held in September 13, 2014 with thirty in attendance.

The annual Memorial Service was held in June at Morris Chapel.

Bereavement staff reached out to eleven community and professional groups offering education on bereavement related issues.



### **Development**

The Development Department at Hospice of San Joaquin has had another banner year. Our signature event, Tree of Lights, raised over \$250,000. This annual event, co-sponsored by Pacific Gas and Electric, gives our communities an opportunity to honor and remember loved ones. Those memories stay with us all year long. This year we added a new site in Escalon.

On September 12, 2015 we celebrated 35 years of service with our Anniversary Gala at the beautiful Cortopassi Estate. Over 250 guests enjoyed a delicious dinner under the stars. We also honored Dr. Robert Browne at the Gala for his 35 years of service to Hospice of San Joaquin. The Gala Committee will begin planning the 2017 Gala in the Spring of 2016.

Our Hospice of San Joaquin Butterfly Auxiliaries work tirelessly all year long to provide funding for our Residential Living Center. There are Butterfly Auxiliary Chapters in Stockton, Lodi, Tracy and Manteca. The events coordinated by the volunteers include: Champagne and English Tea, Kentucky Derby West, Eggstravaganza, Tots and Tail Waggers, All American BBQ, Sip n Stroll and Hats, Heels and Harvest Luncheon. All of these events put on by the Hospice of San Joaquin Butterfly Auxiliary Chapters provided over \$240,000 to support the Residential Living Center. Please see our calendar of events on our website for more information on our 2016 events.

Truckin' for Hospice is another annual event held in June sponsored by the California Trucking Association. The annual motorcycle ride travels through the beautiful foothills and includes great food and a poker run. The event raised \$26,000 for Hospice of San Joaquin. This event will be celebrating their 15th year on June 25, 2016.

We were again voted "Best of San Joaquin" and are honored to provide quality care to patients and their families in the greater San Joaquin area. Thank you to all of our donors, community partners, volunteers and supporters for making 2015 another exceptional year.















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## Annual Spring Luncheon & Eggstravaganza

March 12, 2016

Presented by the Tracy Butterfly Auxiliary

### Champagne & English Tea

April 2, 2016

15th annual presented by the Stocktion Butterfly Auxiliary at the Church of Presentation.

### **Tots & Tail-Waggers Reception**

April 28, 2016

A revealing evening of appetizers and wine. Presented by the Manteca Butterfly Auxiliary at Bank of Stockton

### Truckin' for Hospice

June 25, 2016

A scenic, relaxing motorcycle ride through Stanislaus & San Joaquin counties sponsored by the California Trucking Association.

### All American BBQ

June 25, 2016

A delicious barbeque dinner & silent auction in a beautiful backyard setting. Presented by the Stockton Butterfly Auxiliary.

### Sip 'n' Stroll

August 20, 2016

Wine and food tasting experience as you stroll through the beautiful Brookside Classics. Presented by the Stockton Butterfly Auxiliary.

#### Hats Heels & Harvest

October 8, 2016

Delicious luncheon & fashion show presented by the Lodi Butterfly Auxiliary.

### Magic & Mischief

December 1, 2016

A family event enticing all into a little magic and mischief. Presented by the Tracy Butterfly Auxiliary at the Transit Station.

Please contact the Development Department for sponsorship & ticket information.

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### "The hospice team could only be called 'Angels.' Showed us so much compassion."

"Hospice is an amazing service provided to not only the patient but family members also. They relieved me of a terrible burden when I could no longer make good decisions for my friend. He was well cared for and tended to in his time of need."

"The staff and facilities of Hospice of San Joaquin were top rate. We couldn't have asked for better."

"Hospice of San Joaquin was a great comfort and help to me. They were there when I needed them; answered my questions about taking care of my sister and supported me when I was upset.

IMO, Hospice of San Joaquin rocks !!! :)"

"My husband was given the best of care, respect and kindness by everyone. I am so grateful for the love and care that was given to him as well as patience, understanding and support."

"The hospice team was wonderful. They made the process so much easier. They were responsive, helpful and supportive to my father and our family. Thank you Hospice of San Joaquin!"



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