



*Life
is a Journey*



"The special needs Journey is not one I planned to take.. but I sure do love my tour guide"

Re: Silver Linings Foundation

October 14, 2016

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my privilege to write this letter in support of Silver Linings Foundation. The president and director, Erin Lindenmuth, has become a wonderful friend and mentor of mine. We have now known each other for several years. Our journeys are very similar. Erin and I are connected through our driven passion to provide lifelong care and valuable resources for our children with special needs; her fight is for her daughter, and mine, is for my son.

My little boy, Caedyn, is the child of my heart. He is a post liver transplant recipient, and at ten months old, he woke up out of surgery with a traumatic brain injury that changed his life and our lives forever. A few short months after the surgery he developed seizures. Other than having my son medically treated by numerous specialists, I did not know what else to do for him; I didn't know where to begin.

We turned to Golden Rays of Hope, LLC; a company that helps individuals that are differently abled (have special needs) and their families. We met with founder and president, Erin Lindenmuth. We learned that she spent the last decade continuously researching, learning and advocating for her own differently abled daughter as well as many others. We could tell this was not a "job" to Erin, it was a passion. She would, did, and continues to advocate for Caedyn with the same passion she does for her daughter. Erin was the saving grace and answer to our prayers. She worked on getting Caedyn the services and equipment he needed right away. In the past few short years, Caedyn has made such great gains because she has helped provide him with a safety bed from SleepSafe® Beds, medical supplies, assistive equipment, and home care nursing just to name a few!

Erin is a reliable person who takes on challenges with eagerness and commitment. She is kind, resourceful, and a true undertaker. This commitment resulted in the creation of Silver Linings Foundation. Her hard work has been showcased in her experience of dealing with various audiences, such as members of the public, non-profit organizations, and people from all walks of life. She is a proud supporter of organizations like Children's Miracle Network, Make-A-Wish Foundation, and Leg Up Farm, and has hosted benefits where all proceeds went to help special needs families. There are no words to express my gratitude for her service, guidance, and generosity. She has made a powerful impact on our lives, and as the founder of Silver Linings Foundation, she will ensure individuals with special needs, as well as their families, are provided with healthcare education, resources, and medical equipment. The mission of Silver Linings Foundation is to "help improve the quality of life for individuals with special needs and their family's ability to care for them".

I don't know what I would do or where my little boy would be without foundations like Silver Linings. Therefore, I am honored and happy to give this foundation my complete endorsement.

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