## National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

"When a child loses his parent, they are called an orphan. When a spouse loses her or his partner, they are called a widow or widower. When parents lose their child, there isn't a word to describe them."

— Ronald Reagan

At The Center, we host the annual "Always in My Heart" event in the Garden of Hope for the National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day. Attendees light luminaries as we remember children lost by families in Texoma.

#### Did You Know?

In 1988, President Ronald Reagan proclaimed October as National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance month. In 2002, Congress declared October 15th as the national day of remembrance for families who have experienced this loss.



Please share information about this event with families you know who could benefit from remembering the life of their child with those who have walked a similar path.

#### Get Involved

#### WE NEED YOU!

It is impossible for us to reach those who would be most helped by our ministry unless someone refers them to us. We are passionate about helping families who have experienced this loss, but we need your help!

Please join us in ministering hope and healing to families who are grieving this loss.

For more information Stop by

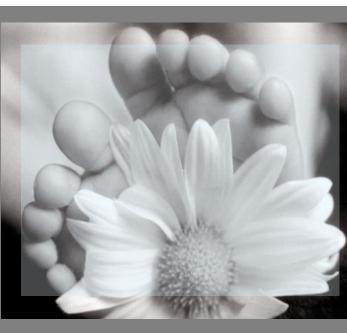


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Ministering hope and healing to families mourning the loss of an unborn child or infant.



Those who have lost an infant or unborn child often struggle to fully grieve the loss of that small yet significant life. Here at The Center, we desire to bring healing and hope to these grieving families. We can help families in a variety of ways:

# What We Offer:

The Garden of Hope

"Always in My Heart" Bible Study for Moms

National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

### The Garden of Hope





In 2013, we built the Garden of Hope to provide families with a place of closure and healing as they process the loss of a child.



We give families a means to remember and honor their child with a personalized mosaic tile on the Garden's heart-shaped walls or by holding a memorial service in the Garden

If someone you know has experienced this loss, please consider purchasing a personalized mosaic tile that will be installed in the Garden of Hope, in honor of their child. This is a perfect individual or group gift that you and your fellow small group or bible study members can purchase for someone you know who is experiencing this kind of loss.





In a civilization where the value of human life is identified with one's usefulness to society, families who have lost an infant or unborn child often feel like the rest of the world has overlooked their loss and that they must grieve in isolation.



To assist in the process of healing, we have begun a new ministry to moms who have lost an infant or unborn child.

This study has been crafted to minister to individuals or groups who have experienced a pregnancy loss through miscarriage, stillbirth, or early infant death.