

Program
Sunday, October 30, 2011

11:30 – 12:15 pm

Family Gathering and Luncheon

Share Photos and Memorabilia

12:15 – 1:25

Concert and Speaker's Journey

Somewhere Between Heaven and
Earth: Grieving Out Loud

Cindy Bullens

1:30 – 3:00 pm

Parent Workshop

Healing for Parents and Couples &
Parenting after the Death of a Child

Dr. Dale Larson

1:30 – 3:00 pm

Children & Teens' Art Workshop

Jean McCaw, Darah Curran

3:00 – 3:10 pm

Break

3:10 - 3:30 pm

**Children & Teens' Art
Presentation**

Family Gathering

3:30 – 4:15 pm

Closing Ritual and Music

Cindy Bullens

Life with Cancer Staff

**Pediatric Oncology
Family Bereavement
Workshop**

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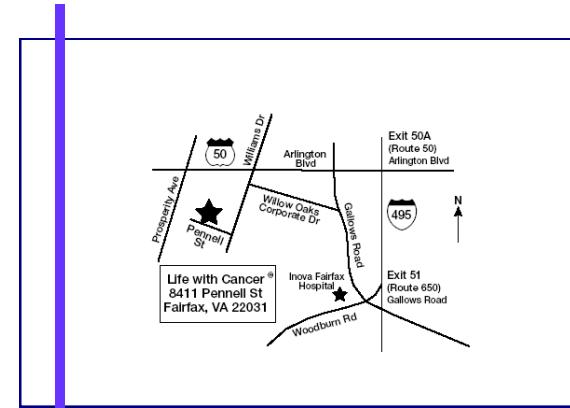
Family Center

8411 Pennell Street

Fairfax, VA 22031

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REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!**
Please register by October 26, 2011
Go to www.lifewithcancer.org
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Pediatric Oncology Family Bereavement Workshop

Purpose of this Workshop

To provide bereaved parents and their children a healing experience through music, art and connection with other families who have lost a child to cancer.

Target Audience

Pediatric oncology families who have experienced the death of a child within the past 10 years. This workshop is for parents and their children, ages 4-18.

This FREE workshop includes:

- a delicious lunch
- Cindy Bullens' *Somewhere Between Heaven & Earth* CD
- ample free parking
- Metro access: Dunn Loring Station

Speakers:

Cindy Bullens

Songwriter, Performer, Bereaved Parent
"Somewhere Between Heaven and Earth"

Dr. Dale Larson, PhD

National Presenter, Hospice and Bereavement Community, Professor of Counseling Psychology, Santa Clara University

Jean McCaw, MA, ATR-BC

Art Therapist, Life with Cancer

Constance Connor, LCSW

Pediatric Oncology Counselor, Life with Cancer

Darah Curran, MSW

Pediatric Oncology Counselor, Life with Cancer



Cindy Bullens is a two time Grammy nominated recording artist and songwriter whose career spans three decades. One of Cindy's most acclaimed works is 1999's *Somewhere Between Heaven and Earth*, written and recorded in the first two years after the death, from complications during treatment for Hodgkin's disease, of her eleven year-old daughter Jessie. Cindy brings her human experience and musical talent together in her unique workshop, *Somewhere Between Heaven and Earth: Grieving Out Loud*. A bereaved mother's story through word and song, told with heart and soul, and tears and laughter. Music critic and author Dave Marsh says: "(Cindy) remembered the lessons Jessie taught her, and, in her child's spirit, she did the bravest thing she knew how to do: she rose up, looked tragedy in the eye, and turned it into art."

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Dale G. Larson, PhD, is a Professor of Counseling Psychology at Santa Clara University, where he directs graduate studies in health psychology. A national leader in end-of-life care and training, he is a Fulbright Scholar, a Fellow in the American Psychological Association, and was Senior Editor and contributing author for *Finding Our Way: Living with Dying in America*, the Robert Wood Johnson funded national newspaper series. He is the author of the award-winning book, *The Helper's Journey: Working With People Facing Grief, Loss, and Life-Threatening Illness*. His scholarly publications on grief and loss, grief counseling, stress management, secrets, and team development are widely cited. His clinical practice focuses on assisting individuals and families coping with grief and life-limiting illness. A frequent keynote speaker, Dale Larson is committed to maximizing the contribution of psychology by giving the principles and skills of psychology away to the public and to professional and volunteer helpers.