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Hospice of Palm Beach County Celebrates Rose of Remembrance Weekend

West Palm Beach, FL - October 12, 2006 - Hospice of Palm Beach County joins with local Catholic congregations to honor the memories of loved ones during Rose of Remembrance Weekend, October 28th-29th, 2006. For more than a decade, Hospice of Palm Beach County has partnered with local faith communities to recognize the special relationship they share in caring for loved ones. Appreciation for this partnership is expressed in bulletin inserts distributed at services during the Rose of Remembrance Weekend, as well as descriptions of services available through Hospice of Palm Beach County programs. Hospice also provides a single white rose to each participating congregation in tribute to loved ones. Hospice of Palm Beach County will celebrate Rose of Remembrance with other faith communities throughout the year. For information on scheduling a Rose of Remembrance Weekend, please call Barbara at (561) 227-5146.

About HPBC: *Hospice of Palm Beach County offers a wide range of services and educational programs designed to meet the special needs of patients and families faced with advanced illness. Expert physical, emotional and spiritual care is provided wherever the patient is - the home, skilled nursing or assisted living facility, hospital or hospice inpatient unit, including the C.W. Gerstenberg Hospice Center in West Palm Beach, the Bethesda Memorial Hospice and Palliative Care Unit at Bethesda Memorial Hospital, the Hospice and Palliative Care Unit at Good Samaritan Medical Center, the Hospice and Palliative Care Unit at Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center and the Jay Robert Lauer Hospice and Palliative Care Unit at JFK Medical Center. The organization also offers full bereavement support to Hospice families and anyone in the community in need. Hospice of Palm Beach County's focus is on quality of life. The organization is sensitive to and respectful of religious, cultural and personal beliefs. Contact Hospice of Palm Beach County toll free at 888-848-5200 or visit the website www.hpbc.com for information.*

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