

# Thank You for Making Wishes Come True

Your generosity directly impacts children like Brianna from Lake Forest, a bright, creative teenager who has faced leukemia with extraordinary courage. Throughout long chemotherapy treatments and extended hospital stays, Brianna found comfort and distraction through creative outlets like drawing, building LEGOs, and creating elaborate nail designs. Her imagination became her escape, a way to hold onto joy even on the hardest days of her medical journey.

*I wish to have a sweet sixteen!*

Brianna, 16  
Lake Forest, CA  
leukemia



When it came time to choose her wish, Brianna returned to a dream she'd held since childhood. After seeing *Beauty and the Beast* for the first time, Brianna dreamed of having a yellow ballgown, just like Belle's iconic dress in the film. With her sixteenth birthday quickly approaching, Brianna realized it was the perfect opportunity to bring her dream to life. She envisioned a royal birthday celebration with guests dressed to the 10s, a tiered cake covered in red roses, and a dance floor where she could twirl with her family. Thanks to donors like you, Brianna's most heartfelt wish was granted!

On the day of Brianna's sweet sixteen, she was transformed into a beautiful princess, complete with a gorgeous gold ballgown and sparkling tiara. Brianna even designed her nails to match the theme. She spent an enchanting evening dancing and celebrating with the people she loves most.

For wish kids like Brianna, a wish is more than a single moment—it restores hope, strengthens families, and fulfills a dream that leukemia tried to steal.

Today, Brianna is enjoying her high school experience and is getting back to her favorite hobbies, like dancing and spending time camping. Her wish for a sweet sixteen is just one of the 273 wishes we granted last year, with each one made possible by generous donors like you. Your gift is more than a donation: it inspires hope, joy, and strength in children and families facing unimaginable challenges.

Thank you for being a part of this life-changing mission. Your generosity ensures that we continue to grant wishes for children like Brianna, bringing hope and joy to our community.