

**Balloon Release**  
By Jim Cunningham

With these balloons, we remember our infant loved ones who have died. Death has forced us to let go of the children we would hold. As we let go of our balloons, we send forth a message.

To the community, the message is:

Our babies were wanted, were real, are loved, are grieved and are remembered.

To one another as bereaved families the message is: You are not alone. With support we survive and grow.

To our beloved children we have spoken of today the message is:

We remember you! We miss you!  
And most of all we love you!

May all who see and find these balloons know that our babies were real, were wanted, are loved and are truly missed!

**Pikes Peak SHARE**  
Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support, Inc.



If tears could build  
a stairway, and  
memories a lane, I'd  
walk right up to  
heaven and bring  
you back again.



14th Annual  
Walk to Remember Memorial Celebration

Honoring babies who have died through miscarriage,  
ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth and neonatal death.

Saturday October 4, 2008 at 1 P.M.  
St. Luke's Lutheran Church  
With a memorial walk to the Children's Garden  
behind the East Library.

Conceived in Love, Carried in Love, Mourned in Love

## Walk to Remember Memorial Celebration

*Inside St. Luke's Lutheran Church*

Welcome Message Kerry Mand

Poem Reading "A Walk to Remember" Jen Unrau

### *Walk to the Children's Garden*

Poem Reading "Balloon Release" All

Release your balloons as we read the names of all  
the babies we remember.

*After returning to St. Luke's Lutheran Church*

Poem Reading "Shoes" Kate Herdejorgen

*During this time of quiet reflection and music, please come forward to receive your gift. You are also welcome to share memories of your child or of experiences since your loss. This is a celebration of life and a safe place to honor your baby's memory.*

Announcements Kate Herdejorgen

Closing Remarks Kerry Mand

At the conclusion of the ceremony, please stay for refreshments.

Pikes Peak SHARE: Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support, Inc is a non-profit, self-help support group for families who have suffered the loss of a baby through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth or neonatal death. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 5265 N. Union Blvd, from 7-9 P.M.

For more information about Pikes Peak SHARE please visit our website at [www.pikespeakshare.org](http://www.pikespeakshare.org), or call any board member:

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