

## FOR EXTRAORDINARY NURSES

## IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES

## Celebrating Student Nurses for their Commitment to Compassionate Patient Care and for Outstanding Clinical Skill

Thank you for taking the time to thank your Senior Student Nurse! All NURE 232 and NURE 290 are eligible to be nominated for this recognition.

Trinitas School of Nursing is proud to be a DAISY Award Partner. "DAISY" is an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System. The Foundation was established in 1999 in memory of J. Patrick Barnes who died at the age of 33, from complications of the Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura. Patrick's family was very touched by the remarkable compassion and clinical skill demonstrated by Patrick's nurses during his illness, so they created DAISY to recognize exceptional nurses everywhere. The DAISY Foundation is dedicated to saying Thank You to Nurses and is now proud to recognize Nursing Students for their care of patients and their families.

The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nursing Students is designed to remind students, even on the hardest days in nursing school, why you want to be a nurse. By recognizing nursing students for the above-and-beyond care and compassion shown to patients and their families, we celebrate what it truly means to be a nurse. We honor the nurse-patient *connection* that makes all the difference to patients and their families in their healthcare experience and that makes great nurses truly great.

Each DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nursing Students Honoree will be recognized at a public ceremony in her/his school and will receive: a beautiful certificate, a DAISY Award pin, and a hand-carved stone sculpture entitled A Healer's Touch.

## **To Submit Nomination:**

- 1. Fill in the fillable form below and print.
- 2. Submit to the DAISY Collection Box:

Lobby of Trinitas School of Nursing 40 West Jersey Street Elizabeth, NJ 07020

- 3. All nominations must be received by:
  - a. December 13th for the Fall Semester
  - b. May 7<sup>th</sup> for the Spring Semester
- 4. Any questions, please contact Professor DeVera-Bonilla at devera.bonilla@ucc.edu



Name of Nominee	
Section of where student's enrolled (Day-Evening or Weekend)	
Your name	
Your email address	
Your Phone Number	
Please check one: I am a faculty member I am a student	
Date of Nomination	
I would like to thank this senior student nurse and share my story of why this	nurse is so special: